

WHITEMARK COMMUNITY GYM SPECIAL COMMITTEE AGENDA

Whitemark Community Gym Special Committee Agenda 23 of September

DATE: Monday the 23 of September, 2019

VENUE: Interstate Hotel

COMMENCING: 5.00pm

PRESENT

Cr Rachel Summers Chair
Anne Campbell
David Heap Physical Health Worker
Nicole Jones
Fiona Turley
Lauren Swan Council Rep

APOLOGIES

Jenny Cooper

DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTEREST

Councillors are to advise if they have a pecuniary interest in respect to any matter appearing on the agenda, or any supplementary item to the agenda.

CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

David moved, Nikki seconded

CORRESPONDENCE IN & OUT:

- Rachel emailed Vicki accepting her resignation.
- Rachel emailed the council about a community development representative and secretary.

AGENDA ITEMS

Resignation

- Vicki Warden has resigned from her position on the gym committee. The committee thanks Vicki for all her work towards the community gym. A letter will be sent to Vicki to thank her for her work and dedication.

Gym committee money

- The committee would like to investigate how funds raised are recorded in the council system.
- The committee would like to know the amount of funds available to them.
- Lauren was going to look into this.

Gym Buddies

- It has been raised to several committee members that some people are using the gym without buddies.
- Rachel to post a Facebook reminder. Lauren to remind council staff of gym buddy system and to draft up an official letter to be passed through council that can be given to people who are not following the council rules.

New committee members

- It was discussed whether we want to advertise for new members. We decided to look at this at a later date.

New secretary

- The committee nominated a new secretary until issues with council are sorted.
- Nominated: Nikki Jones Accepted by everyone at the meeting.

Reimbursement

- David to be reimbursed for mats he purchased.

Mirrors

- David got a quote from Robert Holloway in regards to the mirrors for the gym. The quote was \$1600
- We thought we would ask Guy Ireland for a quote.
- Permission needs to be sought from council and Lions Club in regards to purchasing the mirrors and fitting them.
- We thought we would look at putting one big mirror in the weights section.

Matting

- Vicki was looking into rubber matting
- Enviromex matting was discussed as being suitable for gyms to put under equipment.

New Gym

- Discussed having a new and bigger gym as the gym is so important to a small community of an aging population as well as it being good for people's mental health.
- Rachel discussed that putting a gym behind the hall would be a problem and would need to be built up high.
- Council can't take on any new assets.
- We could put an application for a community fund.
- We discussed the possibilities of becoming incorporated if council covered the insurance but this would be an issues as we would need to cover cleaning and maintain the area.
- We discussed approaching politicians for assistance towards a gym but the council would need to support this.
- We discussed waiting for the workshop that is being organised to see what our next options will be.

Gym Inductions

- Who else could do gym inductions if David is unavailable?

New equipment

- How do we let people know how to use the new gym equipment?
- Maybe some signs could be placed near new equipment.
- Who deems donated equipment as being safe?
- Any asset over \$1000 need to go through council.

Thanks

- Thanks to the council for moving the equipment around so that it is safe to use.
- Thanks to Shane for putting the new spin bike together.

Gym maintenance

We discussed clutter in the gym. Is there excess stuff in the gym that we can get rid of? Lauren is going to see David and arrange tidying the gym from clutter.

Gym money

- Who will collect the money? Lauren will look into getting a lockable money box. Only problem is what if people need change.

Gym open day

- We were thinking about having an open day to attract new users. It was decided to look at this later.

Next meeting: Monday, the 28th of October at 5pm.

General Business

Action from last meeting:

- Ryan to ask Kathleen to put request to run a Sizzling Seniors class in gym in writing to Heidi.