

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 19 JULY 2012

Attendees were Ron Vaughan, David Llewellyn, Michael Kostiuk, Simon Fraser, Jemma Tribe, Jo Gash, Wendy Vaughan, Patricia Llewellyn, Jeanette Kostiuk, Apologies David White, Vera Farnham, Marion Wallis, George Mc Donald, Margaret White,

1.0 The meeting welcomed our local MHR, Joanna Gash, who attended the meeting.

2.0 Reports

2.1 Treasurers report

period July 2011 to June 2012 balance \$ 4853.97 June 2012 compared to \$ 5472.13 for 2011.

2.2 President's Report

The Get to the Point Committee extends its appreciation to those residents who regularly support the monthly meetings throughout the year. The committee needs this support to present a balanced view to Council re proposals for our beautiful "Retro" fishing village.

Highlights are:

Minor works and improvements only.

The Gazette is growing in size and strength under our very capable editor, David Llewellyn, who always welcomes letters to the editor and contributions to keep the Gazette entertaining. Only recently our printer, Klimpton Press, ceased business and the Gazette is now printed by Pelican Graphics.

Another successful P & C Easter fete was held at the school hall and a successful day was attained through the spruiking of George McDonald with ticket sales.

The Gallery and Craft shop continues to prosper and fills an important link as one of the Greenwell Point attractions for visitors. It celebrates its 4th birthday in August. The Gallery extends its appreciation to the Bowling Club for its generous inclusion in the Trivia Night fund raising.

The Telstra site is still ongoing with our request for some corporate involvement to improve their site by way of landscaping which has been avoided so far with the big telco shirking even a reply.

The Clubs NSW scheme for distributing their gaming profits to local organisations failed to attract any donations our way. Subsequently no applications were made this year.

The solar bollard lights just landed in the Point. They were supplied through a Shoalhaven Council grant. The lights are to be erected in the near future and the committee is seeking any willing workers to be involved with their installation along the foreshore pathway off Adelaide St.

The Council General manger, Russ Pigg, visited the Point on 4th May and was met by the executive committee who presented a 31 point list of items requiring Council's attention and consideration to improve the amenity at the Point, To date a few of these items have been attended to.

The Greenwell Point sign has been rescued from the paddock in Nowra. The frame, which was blown over, has to be located before repairs can be effected. We need volunteers to re-erect.

I would like to extend my appreciation to Darryl McLean and Robyn Miller for their valued service to GTTP as Treasurer and Secretary. Both have moved on and their positions have been capably filled by Simon Fraser and David White respectively.

My thanks are extended to Secretary David White, Treasurer Simon Fraser and Gazette Editor David Llewellyn for keeping “Get to the Point” sailing and on course

3.0 Election

Election of officials for 2012/2013 President called on David Llewellyn to act as presiding officer. President Nomination Ron Vaughan moved Simon Fraser sec. Patricia Llewellyn Secretary Nom. David White (in absentia) moved Wendy Vaughan sec. Simon Fraser. Treasurer Nom. Simon Fraser moved Ron Vaughan sec. Patricia Llewellyn Election of Team Leaders deferred until next meeting ordinary meeting commenced 7.17 pm

4.0 Volunteers

It was discussed that GTTP might manage a schedule of work and volunteers to do this work around the town. This could start for the erection of the long delayed solar lights for Adelaide St.

5.0 NBN

Joanna Gash pointed out that the NBN would not go to Greenwell Point as the criteria for the NBN has changed from 1000 people to 1000 houses. We only have 718 dwellings.

6.0 Tai Chi

The tai chi proposal has apparently not enough interest to be viable.

7.0 LEP Changes

It was discussed that Council’s Special Development committee had met and decided on three sites at the Point. (See page 7)

8.0 Boat Ramp Wharf

It was stated that the wharf had a maximum boat size that should not be exceeded due to wind and tide pressure. To be discussed further re action.

Meeting concluded 7.43 pm