

North Road Combine Inc.

Management Committee Meeting of all Clubs.

Held on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2017 at Zammit Oval, Deception Bay.



Present: Wayne Buckingham, Dave Dwyer, Ron McKiernan, Ian Cree, Micheal Mercieca, Barry Ward, Trevor Sproxton, Ian Dowd, Kevin Sherring, Jessica Clark, Dennis Martens, Barry Turner.

Meeting opened at 7.05 pm.

The President briefed the meeting about the current virus and also mentioned that the DPI was investigating a flock of pigeons in Qld which has had heavy losses in the last week. Nothing is confirmed as results will not be in until next week. He also urged flyers to follow the protocol of the biosecurity and watch Colin Walker's site for updates. Also spray any vegetation around your lofts and yard to minimise mosquitoes around your loft.

Some cartage payments are overdue, so it was asked if people could please pay the overdue fees, as all payments will be fully reimbursed to the flyers that do not wish to fly the line of flight that the North Road Combine members vote on at the AGM.

A discussion took place on the line of flight for this year. Logan, North Gold Coast and Sunshine Coast all expressed that they would like to fly the North Route.

Barry Turner the President of the Southside Section stated that if a west line is voted in they will have no alternative but to make their own arrangements for flying this year.

It was explained by the President that this decision would be taken back to the North Road Combine's AGM for discussion. He reiterated that no decision would be made tonight.

Dennis Martens stated that he wishes to go south for the 2018 season.

The question was asked "If we were to race only part of the season and it was postponed due to the Rotavirus what would happen to money paid as cartage."

The answer was, "If and when this situation occurs a decision will be made at the time."

Meeting closed at 7.43 pm.