

Minute Convenor Meeting 23 May 2011

Meeting Opened 7:35pm

Messages from Michael:

- Thank you to Boronia for answering the call for assistance this season.
- There is still a shortage of umpires, with issues filing Div 1 and 2 pools, however this is improving.
- Judy Deane and Pat Wilson are providing assistance to the umpires committee. They have great experience to provide to our umpires.
- We were visited on Saturday by Lynn Pudarich who commented on the high quality of our umpires and that Campbelltown is looking good for the future.
- We will be breaking for the State Championships at Baulkham hills on 12 June, and again for State Age Championships on 2 July.
- A reminder to provide umpires for the finals by the end of June. 1 umpire for each team your club has in the finals plus 1 reserve for each timeslot. Finals umpires are allocated based on merit and will therefore not always be even for the number of teams you have in.
- Senior and Junior badging request need to be provided to Cindy and Boronia now for the whole season.

Messages from Cindy:

- If you are umpire, please don't put your name on the book as convenor for that timeslot.
- Dress appropriately.
- If you have an umpire that you believe is close to a badge, then let Cindy know so she can screen before scheduling a panel. Ensure the umpire is on at least a 14A's game and has a current exam pass and Level 1 accreditation before the screening.
- Without Pat and Judy, we can't do all that we do, so please show respect for them.
- For Fun Net games, no umpire is required. The coach is the preferred umpire, as 2 people giving advice and direction is confusing for beginners.

Messages from Boronia:

- Presentation of umpires needs improving – NSW and Aust umpires will be visiting at any time this season, so please ensure we look great at all times.
- National C badging is ok on Grad A
- National B badging is ok on Div 1 or Div 2.
- Old national B's are being coached to national A.
- Although it is not a rule, Boronia prefers the coach of a team does not umpire that team.

- Thanks to my committee, Robert, Arlene, Emma, Patricia, Suzy, Pat and Judy for their assistance.
- Presentation, Presentation, Presentation. Umpires should be wearing either full whites, registered club uniform, or a white shirt over your playing suit.
- Boronia advised that clearance is not required by her for senior umpires. It is the responsibility of the club convenor to ensure the umpire has sufficient skills for the game allocated.

Meeting closed 8:25