Rivervale community Network

Committee Meeting Minutes

02 November 2017

Location: 12 Tanunda Place

Present: Felicity Hatzis (Chairperson), Ian Humphrey (Vice Chairperson), King Yin Lui (Secretary), Helen Ladhams (Committee Member), Sandy Sutton (RCN member), Alan Perkins (RCN member),

Apologises: Vikki Pendalina (RCN member); Giacinta Smith (treasurer)

Meeting opened 6.45pm. Minutes of the previous meeting were agreed as accurate and approved by all that attended.

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Item	
1	ECU Logo presentation Agreed on updated versions (with heart) Minor changes to colouring of font suggested to make the 'r' and 'v' in Rivervale more clear, currently can be mistaken for a 'w' Actions Ian: Confirm with ECU students use of logo in time for Jupp Lane event
2	 Jupp Lane event update RCN to have the following activities at the event: Flyer (1/3 of A4 paper) with broad overview of our key aims, website, Facebook, email Signup sheet for memberships and create a working group for the popup skate park Pictures and ideas for proposed popup skate park
	Actions Helen: create signup sheet, email to King Yin to print Helen: upon confirmation from Ian, organise RCN sign to be printed King Yin: writeup summary of RCN aims for flyer, circulate then send to Alan Sandy: organise 1xtrestle and black tablecloth, bring to Jupp Lane during setup Ian: prepare skate park information
3	Public liability insurance – update It was agreed that RCN will approach council with proposal of how they may support community groups obtain public liability insurance under a common policy administered by the council, the premise of which is that it is a large cost for volunteer groups to bear, and unnecessary cost for multiple groups to obtain separately. The RCN will also inform other community groups about our proposal to gather evidence Actions: Ian: write up proposal suggesting how this could be implemented at council level Alan: approach existing network of community organisations
4	Future purpose The committee defined our group objectives which will lead future activities. These objectives can be re-defined as the Network evolve.

Our defining motto to be: 'connecting, promoting, and growing the Rivervale community' Through two key actions:

- 1. Promote social and community lead events through our Facebook and membership
- 2. Work with the local council to steer place activation in the Wilson Park precinct through greater community consultation

By building a greater membership pool we will have more leverage to achieve outcomes for the community greater than the sum of it's parts. Community members will have a platform to connect with others, the effects of networking within the community will have positive outcomes to our mental, physical, and social wellbeing and create future as yet unforeseen opportunities.

5 Online presence

Updates to the website are needed including a *Projects* page (currently yarn bombing, Jupp Lane and skate park)

Profiles page of current committee

Facebook page: update *About us* section; more regular posts that are more generalised to attract following and keep people engaged. At least one post daily.

6 Funding applications, update

Community contribution grant

Men's shed involvement in building skate park ramps may have possible insurance issues, hindering their ability to build the ramps; Ian and Alan to investigate

7 The committee will next meet at the Jupp Lane Lounge Friday 17th November 5pm.

Meeting closed 8:30pm