

PSWA PHILATELIC FORUM

Record of meeting of the PSWA Philatelic Forum, 5 March 2018 held at Philatelic House, Wellington Fair, Unit 18, 40 Lord Street, East Perth. Meeting opened at 7.55pm with Bruce Haynes in the Chair. Five members in attendance: Bruce Haynes, Brian Pope, Mike Kouwen, David Lee, Brian Barrett.

Apologies: John DiBiase, became ill late on the day so no Secretarial documentation available; Penny Wells, Ross Duberal, Anna Friss.

Visitors: Hamish Macdonald

Brian Pope undertook Hon. Scribe's function.

Business Arising: Mike Kouwen advised that the forthcoming publication – "Picture Postcards of Swan River" by John Dowson was expected soon after Stamp Fair. A5 format, 112 pages, \$24.95 plus \$5.00 postage.

Corrections: Nil.

Correspondence: Nil

Publications: Nil.

Ask The Forum: Nil.

Book Reviews: Nil.

Display Tips: Mike Kouwen asked about some problems he was having with his Title page for Newcastle. He had two examples in the frames. What should be included, how to indicate rarities, etc.

Exhibitions / Showtime: Praga 2018 (FIP) 15-18 Aug, John DiBiase Commissioner, (closed); Canberra 2018, 16-18 March; Newcastle 2018, 25-27 May; Israel 2018 – FIP, 27-31 May (Philip Levine); Macau 2018 – FIAP, 21-24 Sept (Stephen Browne); Thailand 2018 – FIP, 28 Nov – 3 Dec (Frank Pauer), Armistice 2018, NZ – 9-11 Nov (Ian McMahan); SRSS 2018, 20-21 Oct, (same venue as previous) Sydney 2019 – TBA.

Seven entries accepted out of 17 applications for Prague (one from WA – Penny Wells).

Topic for the Evening: Israel entries, but none present.

David Lee presented *Albert Kimmerling: His Life and Times*. Following the Judges remarks on this exhibit at Swan River 2016.

Bruce Haynes showed *Boer War Camp Mail*, work in progress.

General Business: Nil.

Next Meetings:

2 April

Newcastle 2018 entries

7 May

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Agenda for: 2 April 2018: Apologies / Visitors / Corrections / Business Arising / Correspondence / Publications / Ask the Forum / Display Tips / Book Reviews / Exhibitions / Topic for Evening / General Business / Next Meeting.

Meeting Closed at 9.41pm.

Brian Pope Hon. Scribe,

6 March 2018