PSWA PHILATELIC FORUM

Record of meeting of the PSWA Philatelic Forum, 5 October 2020 held at Philatelic House, Wellington Fair, Unit 18, 40 Lord Street, East Perth. Meeting opened at 7.56pm with Mike Kouwen in the Chair. Five people in attendance: Mike Kouwen, Brian Pope, John DiBiase, Anna Friis, Bob Neville.

Apologies: Bruce Haynes, Rod Kantor.

Visitors: Nil. Corrections: Nil. Business Arising: Nil.

Correspondence: WAPC Minutes for September 2020 and Agenda for 6 October 2020 (AGM)

Publications: London Philatelist – Jul - Aug & Sept; Australasian Stamp News – Aug & Sept; APF News – Sept; Philas News – Sept; Aust Post Impressions – Nov; Auckland City Stamps – 10 Oct.

Ask The Forum: Nil.

Display Tips: Nil.

Book Reviews: Nil.

Exhibitions / Showtime: SRSS 2020, 17-18 Oct; Melbourne 2021, 11-14 Feb (FIAP); AusVipex 2020 – Oct/Nov 2020 (National); Perth 2023 (National) TBA – Viable venues are currently being investigated, so far on the list are Claremont Showgrounds, Ascot Racecourse, Belmont Park Racecourse, Gloucester Park Racing (Mike Kouwen and Glen Stafford).

Notes: PHILANIPPON 2021 will take place on 25-30 August (FIP – World Specialised Champion Stamp Exhibition) and to be held in Yokohama, Japan. Frank Pauer is the Australian Commissioner and is seeking entries from Australia. (<u>frankpauer2@bigpond.com</u>). Entry forms to be with Frank by 18 January 2021.

Topic for the Evening: Bob Neville – Social Display.

Bob showed nearly 5 frames of "The Life of HMS Hood". He asked into what Class this should be displayed. Mike Kouwen handed out APF Guidelines into Open Class and asked members for comments. Interesting display with interesting talk, especially with the commentary on the battle with the Bismark. Mike Kouwen tendered a vote of thanks.

General Business: Mike Kouwen suggested that we suspend Forum meetings for 6 months because of Covid. There are no exhibitions in sight, hence, it was agreed that the next meeting be held in May 2021.

Next Meetings 3 May 2021 New and Revamped Exhibits

7 June 2021 Topic TBA

Agenda for 3 May 2021: Apologies / Visitors / Corrections / Business Arising / Correspondence / Publications / Ask the Forum / Display Tips / Book Reviews / Exhibitions / General Business / Topic for Evening / Next Meeting.

Meeting Closed at 9.33pm.

John DiBiase, Hon. Scribe,

1 November 2020.