# **PSWA PHILATELIC FORUM**

**Record of meeting** of the PSWA Philatelic Forum, **3 December 2018** held at Philatelic House, Wellington Fair, Unit 18, 40 Lord Street, East Perth.

Meeting opened at 8.00pm with Bruce Haynes in the Chair.

Ten people in attendance:

Bruce Haynes, Brian Pope, John DiBiase, Mike Kouwen, David Lee, Brian Whittaker, Ross Duberal, Penny Wells, Andrew Watson.

#### **Apologies:**

Rod Kantor, Anna Friis.

Bruce Haynes called for a one minute silence to respect the passing of Dr Derek Pocock. Photographs and diary relating to Dr Pocock tabled.

Visitors:	Hamish McDonald
Business Arising:	Nil.
<b>Corrections:</b>	Nil.

### **Correspondence:**

WAPC Minutes for November and Agenda for 6 December 2018. Bruce Haynes' withdrawal of his offer to help coordinate electronic exhibitions.

# **Publications:**

Stamp News – Nov;	Phoenix – 14 Dec;
Principality Auctions – 7 Dec;	Philatelics Australia – 14 Dec;
Cavendish – 5 & 6 Dec;	Stamp Lover – Oct;
Pioneer Post – Nov;	London Philatelist – Nov;
Postal Order News – Oct.	

Ask The Forum: Nil.

Display Tips:	Nil.
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**Book Reviews:** Nil.

# **Exhibitions / Showtime:**

Armistice 2018, NZ, 9-11 Nov, (Ian McMahon); Thailand 2018 – FIP, 28 Nov- 3 Dec, (Frank Pauer); Sydney Stamp & Coin Expo 2019, 13-16 June; CHINA (FIP) - June 2019 Bunbury 2019, National One Frame, 19-21 July (Bunbury). New Zealand 2020 (FIAP) Exhibition.

# **Results:**

Dunedin:Bob Neville – Large Gold;Bangkok:Bruce Haynes – Vermeil, Glen Stafford – Gold.

Mike Kouwen gave a report on the Dunedin exhibition.

# Topic for the Evening: Six Sheets Shemozzle.

- (A) Andrew Watson Coolgardie Goldfields.
- (B) John DiBiase WA Private Newspaper Wrappers.
- (C) Brian Whittaker Power of the Sun.
- (D) Ross Duberal Fiji Canoe Issues, 1893-1902.
- (E) Bruce Haynes Swedish Christmas Seals.

The winner of the Six Sheet Shemozzle competition was declared as Bruce Haynes. Well done.

# **General Business:**

Brian Pope reported on an article in "Stamp Lover" regarding Aerophilately – should this Class be a separate section of Postal History? Brian suggested that this could be included and discussed in next year's Forum Syllabus.

Bruce Haynes tendered a vote of thanks and provided a festivity message for Christmas and the New Year. A bottle of wine was enjoyed by members and guest.

# **Next Meetings:**

4 February	Judging Revenues	(Bob Neville)
4 March	Writing a Critique	(Members)

# Agenda for: 4 February 2019:

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

# Meeting Closed at 9.50pm.

John DiBiase, Hon. Scribe, 31 January 2019