

PSWA PHILATELIC FORUM

Record of meeting of the PSWA Philatelic Forum, 4 July 2022 held at Philatelic House, Wellington Fair, Unit 18, 40 Lord Street, East Perth. Meeting opened at 8.00pm with Mike Kouwen in the Chair. Eleven people in attendance: Mike Kouwen, John DiBiase, Glen Stafford, George Morris, Gavin Woodward, Rod Kantor, Jeannine Millsted, David Mazitelli, Ian Culshaw, Steve Hoath..

Apologies: Anna Friis, Andrew Watson.

Visitors: Robin Oh.

Corrections: Nil

Business Arising: New design medals for Swanpex carried forward to next month.

Correspondence: WAPC Minutes for 7 June and Agenda for 7 July 2022.

ANPEX prospectus (Adelaide 2022)

SAVPEX prospectus (South Africa 2022)

Greetings postcard from Anna Friis - currently in Sweden

Publications: London Philatelist Jun;; Stamp News - Jun; Rex & Fair – Jun; Rockingham & Kwinana Auction Catalogue. (**Note:** all these publications may be borrowed - for members only).

Ask The Forum: Gavin Woodward asked about paper selection for the backing of covers.

Display Tips: Nil.

Book Reviews: Glen Stafford spoke on a new publication that he has received titled 'Ecuador'.

He said that this is a most welcome tome to add to the South American bookshelf. Glen will show his copy at the next Forum meeting.

Exhibitions / Showtime: Perth 2023 (National) 2-5 November, Gloucester Park Racing (Mike Kouwen and Glen Stafford); Melbourne (FIAP) postponed to 2024; Anpex (Adelaide National One Frame) 21-22 Aug 2022; LIBERIC 2022 – 16 Oct; Wellington, NZ National, 11-13 Nov 2022, includes the Australasian Challenge; Cape Town 2021 FIP / FIAP (postponed to 8-12 Nov 2022); NZ FIAP 16-19 March 2023; SWANPEX 2022 – 30 Sept to 2 Oct (Full State Exhibition).

Jakarta 2022 (FIP) 4-9 Aug, Mike Kouwen – National Commissioner.

Exhibition Results CANPEX: Glen Stafford (South America, One Frame) - 80 points

John DiBiase (Lady Gowrie Labels, One Frame) - 80 points

Topic for the Evening: Anpex Entries (Adelaide)

- (1) Glen Stafford: Nicaragua Airmail Stamps (4 frames) Non-Competitive
- (2) John DiBiase: Royal Antediluvian Order of Buffaloes (1 frame)
- (3) John DiBiase: Western Australia Telegraph Office Forms (1 frame)
- (4) George Morris: Munich Olympics (1 frame)

General Business: Wellington Australasian Challenge – Exhibitors selected: Mike Kouwen, Glen Stafford, John DiBiase, Ian Culshaw and two Novices, Steve Hoath and Phil Heal.

Penny Wells has accepted the Commissioners role for New Zealand.

Swanpex 2023 will be held in July as not to clash with Perth 2023 National Show.

Next Meetings:

1 August

Exhibiting Workshop

Glen Stafford will be showcasing 'postal stationery' with a power-point presentation.

5 September

Swanpex 2022 Entries

Agenda for 1 August 2022: 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 9.25pm

John DiBiase, Hon. Scribe,

30 July 2022