

PSWA PHILATELIC FORUM

Record of meeting of the PSWA Philatelic Forum, 4 October 2021 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, Ian Culshaw, George Morris, Gavin Woodward, Steve Hoath Rod Kantor, Bob Neville, Glen Stafford, Penny Wells, Ken Moore.

Apologies: Bruce Haynes, Anna Friis, Andrew Watson, Ross Duberal..

Visitors: Nil

Corrections: Nil

Business Arising: Nil.

Correspondence: WAPC Minutes for 7 September 2021

Jan Gane – Proposal for WAPC / PSWA to purchase A3 printer

Publications: London Philatelist – July-Aug; Black Swan – Sept; Philately from Australia – Sept.

Ask The Forum: Nil.

Display Tips: Nil.

Book Reviews: Refer to main list in ‘Topic for the Evening’

Exhibitions / Showtime: SWANPEX 2021 (State), 29-31 Oct; Perth 2023 (National) TBA – Probably Gloucester Park Racing (Mike Kouwen and Glen Stafford). Royalpex Palmerston North, 19-21 Nov 2021, Toowoomba One Frame, 9-10 Oct 2021 (Virtual Exhibition due to Covid 19); London (FIP) 19-26 Feb 2022; Newcastle (Half National)

Postponed to 29 May 2022; Canberra (Specialised National), 18-22 Mar 2022; Melbourne (FIAP) 8-11 Sept 2022; Adelaide (National One Frame) 21-22 Aug 2022; Cape Town 2021 FIP / FIAP (postponed to 8-12 Nov 2022) NZ FIAP 16-19 March 2023.

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

Topic for the Evening: SWANPEX 2021 Entries. Part 2

- (1) Rod Kantor – Zimbabwe, Impact of Inflation on Postage Rates (P/H, 5 frames)
- (2) Steve Hoath – The Great White Fleet Visit to Australia (PPC revamped, 1 frame)
- (3) John Blinco – An 1800’s Study of the Sudan (P/H, 1 frame)
- (4) Kevin Kealley – Liberty Loan and War Bond Labels, 1917/1918 (1 frame)
- (5) Ken Moore – Nyasaland (Traditional 5 frames)
- (6) George Morris – Australia Hosts the Olympic Games (Work in Progress, 2 ½ frames)
- (7) John Blinco – (Literature) A Study of the Imperium style Key Plate issues within the 16 Colonies that employed the design between 1902 and 1912.

All seven displays were well received by members and considered worthy Swanpex exhibits.

Much discussion was held and constructive comments conveyed to the exhibitors.

Mike Kouwen tendered a vote of thanks.

General Business: Swanpex entries to be judged on Sunday 17 Oct, 10.00am, Philatelic House.

Next Meeting: 4th November – Swanpex 2021 entries for feedback session, possible workshop on subject / classes spread over 3 to 4 months.

Agenda for 1st Nov2021: 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 9.43pm.

John DiBiase, Hon. Scribe,

29 October 2021