

# ROYAL ASSOCIATION OF JUSTICES

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## SOUTH WEST BRANCH Committee Meeting Minutes

August 2008

Past Pres, B Della-Patrona  
Committee, B Morgan  
Committee, T Lee Steere  
Committee, R Prestage  
Committee, G Wilks  
Committee, S Carbone  
BSN Sub Com Secretary,  
G Edwards  
RAJ Councillor, L Jones

**Attendances.** AC, TD, LR, TLS, SC, BDP, MF, CM, KC.

**Apologies** RP, BM, KF, VE., GW

**Minutes of Previous meeting:** Read by AC. Rec and End:- Moved. TLS Seconded. KC carried

Business Arising:-

**Correspondence :-** Rec and End:- Moved. BDP Seconded. SC carried

- Statistics form from K Howlett
- Advice of the death of Mr C A W Gale JP, Busselton.
- Website Data update from T Hunt, R Holly, J Wright, G McDonald, G Turner, S Fokkema
- Advice of attendees at Manjimup Seminar
- Letter to SWB with invitation to Mandurah/Murray Sthn Districts Seminar on Friday Oct 10<sup>th</sup>.
- Letter from RAJ re Branch Histories
- Letter from Collie J's P regarding the date of the 2008 Christmas windup Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> Dec
- June Quarter stats from Collie Court
- Letter from B Johnson re Badge
- Letter from L Worthington advising availability for rosters
- Email correspondence trail with A Jovanovich re website access
- Manjimup JP Roster
- Email to all committee re Meeting 8<sup>th</sup> Aug
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Business Arising:-

**Treasurers Report :-** Rec and End:- Moved. SC Seconded. TD carried

Business Arising :-nil

**Justice Centre Report :-** Rec and End:- Moved. BDP Seconded. PF carried

Move to new rooms is imminent.

Sept to Nov Roster tabled

June/July statistics tabled

Business Arising :-nil

**Busselton Sub Committee Report :-** Rec and End:- Moved. BDP Seconded. KC carried

Letter from GE received

Business Arising :- Noted

## **Collie Sub Committee Report :-** Rec and End:- Moved. [Click and type initial] Seconded.

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- Letter received but in error was not tabled. Included with minutes for noting and acceptance by committee.

Business Arising :-

## **RAJWA Report :-** Rec and End:- Moved. TLS Seconded. PF carried

Conference went well as did the dinner. History books were not available for presentation to the speakers but indications are that they will be presented to libraries around the State. Bail Act Amendment Act is now ready and should be enacted shortly, but will be held up by the election. New P plate rules are now in place and advice will be forthcoming from the RAJWA shortly.

Business Arising :-Noted.

- LR asked to follow up the requested response to our submitted Fraternal Agreement.
- Moved BDP Sec SC Thanks to LR for his time as Council Delegate. Carried

## **Report from Magistrate :-** Magistrates on leave

### **1. General Business**

1. 2 July Pres/Sec Meeting. AC report.
  - a) EFT working well.
  - b) Reason for discrepancy in membership is difference in the honorary membership age criteria between SWB and RAJ.
  - c) Notice of motion at SWB AGM to discuss a possible change in SWB Hon Membership Age.
  - d) In the meantime write to RAJ asking for a special meeting to reduce the RAJ Hon Membership before subs are due in July 09
  - e) When the RAJWA move into the new premises there may be facilities for phone conferencing meetings.
  - f) General matters brought forward by AC at the meeting.
    - SWB Website up and running,
    - 3<sup>rd</sup> Magistrate appointed to Bunbury.
    - Signing Centre relocation underway.
    - TLS standing for council.
    - Why not more lead time for resolutions.
  - g) AC suggested we start a list of “younger persons” for possible future appointment as J’s P. Justices are requested to forward any “possible” contenders to be added to the list. (see attachment for a list collated so far.
  - h) AC advised members that voting for council positions is important.
- 2 RP to be reminded about organising a social function
- 3 BDP The person who sends out the Bridgetown rosters will now send to Manjimup for posting.
- 4 AGM and Training Seminar 16<sup>th</sup> October. Secretary to prepare news sheet and other relevant material.

### **Committee positions due for election**

Jnr Vice President	(2yr term)
Secretary	(2yr term)
Treasurer	(2yr term)
1 Committee	(2yr term)
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### **Committee Positions with one year still to run**

President
Snr Vice President
JP Rooms Coordinator/Committee
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Meeting closed at 2.50pm