

Presidents AGM Report 2021

This is my last AGM report as, after being part of the committee since 2011 and president since 2016 I am retiring.

I'd like to thank all the members of the committee both current and past who have supported me and work diligently to make the club what it is today.

My tenure on the committee has been interesting. First taking over from Steven Carter and continuing on with the great work he had done in setting up the membership then taking over from Bryan Shedden as president.

The period of my presidency has been full of highs and lows. In recent times, due to COVID-19, there has been a lot of disruption and cancellations of major and normal events. This has not only been disappointment for you, the members, but also for me.

This year has been especially difficult due to the COVID-19 lockdowns which forced us to cancel a number of major events. This includes the 30th anniversary president's picnic, for a second time, NatMeet, and the majority of events that we would run as a club. The NatMeet has been handed over to Queensland to run the next event in 2024

As we start to come out of the COVID-19 lockdown we will endeavour to run as many events as possible always meeting the government requirements and guidelines.

The committee will be looking at ways to support our membership and reward them for sticking with us through these difficult times.

The club itself is in a good financial position and ready to go forward as and when the regulations allow.

I would like to thank the retiring, long serving members of our committee and officers of the club, Vice President Lesa Bunn, Secretary Wesley Hill and Treasurer Julie Sando for the critical work they carried out in the management of the club.

I wish the new president and committee well and I know, like the previous committees, they will work to improve on what we already have and make the club even better for our members. Please give them your support and remember they are all volunteers

Finally, I would like to thank all the members for the support they have given the club over this difficult period. Without them the club would not be what it is today.

Looking forward to 2022 it will be better than 2021.

Keith Monaghan

President
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