Byford Bushrangers Inc.

October 2025 meeting

General Committe monthly meeting.

Please ensure all reports are uploaded prior to the meeting and any general business is communicated to the secretary.

When	Tue, 28 Oct 2025 at 6:30 PM
Location:	Byford & Districts Country Club, 88 Linton St N, Byford WA 6122, Australia
Present	Henry , Bushrangers Baseball VP , Bushrangers President (President), Lisa Clark , Bushrangers Assistant Registrar , Bushrangers Treasurer , Bushrangers Equipment Officer , David Loughlin , Bushrangers Registrar , Bushrangers Secretary , Bushrangers State champs Teeball , Bushrangers Uniform Officer , Teeball Vice President
Apologies	Jessica Dell Bella , Chris Den Boer , Kurt Elefsen , Clayton Grigg , Kristy Grigg , amanda Larsen , Jess McEnnulty , Samantha Mortas , Zoe Simmons

Minutes

1. Minutes

Casey & Tahnee previous minutes sited.

1.1. Meeting open/close

2. Previous minutes Presented

Matt - base umpiring - Matt has asked if it is the junior umpires doing the 7's.

Feels that the accredited umpires it is unfair if they can't do it and the U13's.

Base he wants to do the 13's rotating.

He wants to keep the Plate umpires as accredited.

Rotate the 13s on base then do them on plates for after Christmas.

Reviewing again to see how he is going with the roster at the next couple meetings.

Kiara asked if we could put it to the 7's teams if they don't want to do the base umpire give it to a under 13's?

Matt said its hard with payment.

Matt Carey said it needs to be a set rate across the board for the U13 to do it.

Karra and Matt Carey said why don't we tell the under 7's that they don't need base umpires we will supply them with Under 13's trainees to learn free of charge.

As 7's is simple it would be a good way to learn.

Roughly covering 18 umpire positions weekly.

Matt want's 12-14 umpires accredited each year moving forward. Josh has said those that get accredited in future and want to do it should be allowed and not just the ones who are doing it now that is not fair or good growth for the club.

Matt, Josh & Jason need to talk and decide which is under 13s are capable of doing the base umpires for 7.

Decided they don't get paid for the Under 13 group who are going to base the under 7s as it is learning.

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Decision

Under 13s will be doing the under 7's base umpire free of charge to learn every week.

Tasks

- Lisa to let TM know that the 7's will have base umpires (under 13's players) every week and matt will assign them/
  Assignee: Lisa Clark
- Josh , jason & Matt to decide which under 13's are confident enough to be put on the base umpire roster for under 7's
  Assignee: President (Bushrangers President)

3. President Report

Well done to Callum & Paul on making super squad representing Byford.

Emailed shire about the BMX and canteen issues. Have been assured that BMX do not own canteen and that BMX is difficult to deal with.

Everything will go via the shire for BMX now.

The locks have been removed from the toilets - is this the BMX - Dave.

Turf - back baseball diamond - crew is going to fix it on Wednesday.

Turf in the middle being fixed in early December.

Gravel being delivered tomorrow.

Extend the cut outs by half a metre.

Matt going to check diamond sizes for the older ages of baseball.

21st November - Court grammar have the carols on this night do we move to Saturday or keep the Friday

Do we look at 1 hour games on the Saturday.

Get food trucks, Mr whippy make a big night out of it .

Tasks

- Extend the cut outs for baseball diamond
  Assignee: Bushrangers Baseball VP
- Decide game times for the saturday 22nd novemeber
  Assignee: President (Bushrangers President)
- Book food vans & mr whippy for 22nd Novemeber
  Assignee: Bushrangers Events Officer

3.1. TBAWA meeting

Jason going to TBAWA meeting tomorrow.

Warren lake - put EOI out to the team - ALL TEAMS need to be notified

Club teams experience for carnivals.

Are they sending 7's to warren lake?

Can only have 2 players from the age above and cannot be on the field at the same time or send them as the older age group for example they would play under 13s.

9's coaches need to be made aware that the state kids are playing as state team.

Jason and matt can look at nominations and figure out if need to merge team.

Tasks

- Are the under 7's going to Warren Lake
  Assignee: Teeball Vice President
- All teams need to be notified for warren lake and that if they have a 9's state player in their team they will not be available
  Assignee: Teeball Vice President

4. Treasurer Report

$246 on card.

$52555 in account.

$1990 in term deposit.

$72000 total.

Spent a lot this month - 25k spent.

8k on equipment.

6.5k was the mound.

8k on merch.

3.5 on uniforms.

Stocking back up for uniforms this was.

Canteen income - we get $150 a week from canteen.

Karra invoices every Thursday.

Chris has paid his $500 sponsor.

1 invoice outstanding of $100.

States will go out next week.

Photos for girl's carnival - Kristy needs to book.

Canteen payment from last year - if we don't hear from you by x date, we will invoice him a set amount.

Need to buy another deep freezer for ice - approved

$8000 for t-ball & baseball together.

Chocolates toward pitching machine.

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Decision

Tasks

- Book aussie in action for the girls carnival
  Assignee: Bushrangers Events Officer
- Budget for tball & baseball wind up $8000
  Assignee: Bushrangers Events Officer
- Freezer for ice approved
  Assignee: Bushrangers Equipment Officer

5. Registrar Report

Nothing to report.

6. Tee-Ball Report

Fill in roster working well.

Good feedback.

Communicate is working well between Jason and Lisa for game count.

Make sure TM know that they need to put it on the game count of players filling in.

Jason going to send a reminder of the process.

Tasks

- [x] Reminder message for how the fill in roster works
  Assignee: Teeball Vice President
- [x] Reminder message to TM to add fill in players to game count sheet
  Assignee: Lisa Clark

7. Baseball Report

Mound coming.

Dirt - being sorted.

Teams are going so well.

Training on Wednesday and wants to keep Monday training too.

Charter - Matt and Alby have put names forward to coach and got approved as the coaches.

Somebody questioned Matt and Will's eligibility to coach and play in Southern Titans charter but this has been cleared.

TM have shared the try outs for charter.

40 kids' rego already aiming to get 60.

MP teams are doing very well.

No soft toss as of this week.

Matt got a warning for pitch counts for going 1 pitch over.

Baseball WA AGM 19th November

8. Equipment Officer Report

Costco, can we get bulk toilet paper please.

Got smaller pitcher's helmets for the little ones.

Wants to get matching ones for states 3 pitching helmets. Approve

Bat cave $7 per ball for tball.

Machine pitch nets - they are good.

More blemish baseballs for practice. Approve

New tool kit was purchased.

Tasks

- [ ] Purchase toilet paper from costco
  Assignee: President (Bushrangers President)
- [ ] Purchase blemish baseballs & 3 pitching helmets
  Assignee: Bushrangers Equipment Officer

9. Uniform Report

Spent a lot of money.

Stock levels - Received more training shirts.

Ordered hoodies.

Confirmed that the remaining playing shirts are close to coming - they will arrive on Thursday.

Photos - wear orange.

A member has hassled Kiara and ID for a bomber jacket thing in a tracksuit material.

Minimum order is 10 at $80 each so total $800.

Committee voted no.

Can this member get a final warning for hassling people.

Opening ID store up for state supporters.

Hats - need to order more.

Pink shirts delivered for girls carnival.

Give the girls the opportunity to buy them if they want to.

Tasks

- [ ] Order more hats
  Assignee: Bushrangers Uniform Officer
- [ ] Notify TM orange side of shirts for photos
  Assignee: Lisa Clark
- [ ] Give the girls the opportunity to purchase their girls shirt to keep
  Assignee: Bushrangers Uniform Officer
- [ ] Give the member who keeps hassling our comittee a final warning
  Assignee: Teeball Vice President

10. Umpire Report

Filling 15-20 spots a week.

11 green shirts.

Baseball WA love the idea.

West Byford have a team going to Baseball WA t-ball carnival.

Twilight rules for the Saturday round-

50-minute games

10 minutes to get out the way

11. State Tee- Ball Report

Last week of trials this week.

Order sent for training shirts.

Flags samples are on the way.

5 flags are coming $15 a flag.

Teams will be finalised on Sunday.

Wind up - combine all teams as one wind up.

State trophy at state wind up.

Needs the budget for state wind up.

Hire the Briggs pavilion pizza and cool drink.

Slide show of images.

Tasks

- [ ] Book briggs upper for state wind up and discuss with Kristy what the plan is
  Assignee: Bushrangers State champs Teeball

12. Social Media

Going good.

Put any social media posting in the group chat so one of us sees it as 3 of us are running it.

12.1. Player of the day

1 player of the day only

Tasks

- [ ] Remind TM only 1 player of the day allowed each week
  Assignee: Lisa Clark

13. Events

Photo day - Wednesday.

Get into shirts.

Send the form to the tm to be sent straight back to Kristy to send to Aussie in Action.

Henry wants to know if we can add the logo in and how much would it be? - josh said he would email.

Toddlers - Juice box, sausage sizzle & lolly bag after the last session.

Kristy needs to organise with Chris for price of sausage sizzle.

Need to make lolly bags - 400 for fire brigade visit too- Bek has said she will do this.

Josh emailing to confirm fire brigade.

Have chocolates been ordered?

Tasks

- [ ] Email fire brigade for visitor
  Assignee: President (Bushrangers President)
- [ ] Have chocolates been ordered
  Assignee: Bushrangers Events Officer
- [ ] Order lollys and bags
  Assignee: President (Bushrangers President)
- [ ] Make 400-450 lolly bags
  Assignee: Bushrangers Secretary
- [ ] Organise with chris price for sausage sizzle and juice per kid for toddler wind up and for him to cook and have ready to go
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14. Coaches Report

Message to go out to coaches reminding one player of the day.

Make sure coaches know need to rotate players.

Put a message each week with like fun facts.

Blanket rule to not hold bat on the bench.

Bat stands coming soon.

They will need to be put out on set up.

Finishing on even innings - with the horn this isn't always getting done.

Matt suggested changing the start time for the 9's to be able to have a bit more extra time.

Do we start at 4.50pm for the first time slot.

Or change at 4.45pm.

Need to add in the bylaws that if not even innings it needs to revert back to where it was if after the horn.

If we start at 4.45pm every age group would have 1-hour games with a 15-minute gap between the games.

Re vote on moving the time slots earlier.

Move diamonds when baseball is at home so baseball can warm up - josh is going to check.

Put to a vote on the committee - Bek

Tasks

- [x] Message coaches to remind only 1 player of day
  Assignee: Bushrangers Chief coach Teeball
- [x] Message to go to TM no bats to be on the bench and no warm up swings
  Assignee: Lisa Clark
- [x] Put a vot on chat about changing start times and game lengths
  Assignee: Bushrangers Secretary

15. Sponsorship Report

States - player flags give to state sponsor.

16. Newsletter

Zoe going to do one a month.

16.1. Keeping newletter short and sweet

17. General Business

By laws- 4.79 Game milestones - game counts from previous clubs is what it is now but do we want to change it.

should only be

Tball

Baseball

MP

Charter

Representing Byford.

Bek going to put as a vote on the chat as we don't have enough members present for a fair vote.

Charter is after our wind up do we get the players who got milestones during the charter season but moved club their award. Order the 2 that were achieved.

Stop approaching the committee members while they are watching their kids play and coach - let them watch their kids and talk to them later unless urgent.

Tasks

- [ ] Put game milestones recognised to a vote on chat
  Assignee: Bushrangers Secretary
- [ ] Order 2 trophies for the 2 kids who madee the milestone during charter but left the club
  Assignee: Bushrangers Registrar

End of minutes.
Summary of matters arising are tabled on the following page.

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