

# Minutes of the Flemington LAC Liquor Accord Meeting held at DOOLEYS Lidcombe Catholic Club

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2010 at 24-28 John St, Lidcombe

## **Attendees:**

David Mantle (Chairman), Rosie Vranic (DLCC), Tom Stamenkovic (Serbian Aid Club "Jovan Jovanovic Zmaj"), Brad Swarts (ALM, Metcash Silverwater), Katalin Pohl (Dooleys Waterview), Dana McErlane (Castle Hamper's), Margaret Ward (Auburn RSL), Yu Hwa Yu (Hing's Restaurant), David Humphreys (Acer Arena), Matthew Jeboult (Keighery Hotel), Rodney Ashley (Lidcombe Hotel), Louise Goddard (RAS/SS), Steve Ellis (Auburn Hotel Auburn), Lynne Boyd (Auburn Soccer Club), Ben Jessimer (SOP Sports Centre), Tony Carter (NSOP), Jonathan Kiddey (NSOP), Phillip Gagliano (Auburn Police), Bruce McMullen (Brown Forman Aust), Glen Fraser (Auburn Tennis Club), Patrick Pignataro (Royal Oak Lidcombe), Nathan Goode (Horse & Jockey Hotel), Nabil Mekdessi (Woolworths Liquor – Newington), Brian Milosevic (Strathfield Golf Club), Tony Edwards (Acer Arena), Damien Smith (Acer Arena), Darrell Spence (Auburn RSL Bowling), Graham McKenzie (Strathfield Plaza Woolworths), Sue Max (ANZ Stadium), Vicky Kotkiewicz (DLCC), Wennard Hoo (Woolworths), Kathleen Symonds (SOP Golf Centre), Marcus Hanna (Pullman Sydney Olympic Park), Sarah Morgan (Berala Hotel), Megan Dessent (Markets Hotel), Holly Mercer (Melton Hotel), Kylie Beekett (Armory Wharf Café), Zied Bechard (Zed's Italian & Seafood Restaurant), Gary Bastable (Village Tavern Auburn), Geoff Jansen (Markets Hotel), Hak Jae Lee (Lidcombe BBQ Restaurant), Karen Mally (Railway Hotel), Carol Simpson (Crossways Hotel), Suzy Bruckdorff (Lidcombe Bowling Club), Mimi Kwon (Seoul Restaurant), Marcelo Veloz (DLCC), Helen Yiangou (Minute Secretary)

## **Apologies:**

Peter Nicole (Auburn Police), Iona Krefel (OLGR – Liquor Accord Project Officer), Jesus Oliver Cardona (Sizzling Filled Restaurant), Karen Waters (Rosnay Golf Club), John Chu (Golden Covonet Chinese), Charlene Machin-Symonds (Hotel Liquor Wholesalers), Won Hee Lee (Wooden Bowl Restaurant), John Lee (STRA Haejangkuk Restaurant), Neville Frappell (Belfield Bowling & Recreation Club), Nathan Titmuss (DLCC), Commander Anderson (Auburn Police)

David Mantle (Chairman) opened the meeting at 10.10am and welcomed all in attendance at the meeting.

## **Committee Overview**

David Mantle introduced the new committee.  
Vice Chairperson - Patrick Pignataro  
Treasurer - Nathan Titmuss (currently away)  
Committee Member - Tony Edwards  
Secretary – Helen Yiangou

David Mantle said that Neville Edmunds has resigned from the Committee and a vacancy now exists.

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David Mantle said there is a vacant committee position available and asked if anyone would be interested in filling in the position.

Glen Fraser from Auburn Tennis Club has agreed to join the committee.

## **Review Minutes 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2010**

David Mantle tabled the minutes of the last meeting held 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2010 and asked that those minutes be adopted.

**Moved and seconded to adopt the minutes. Carried**

## **Constitutional Change – AGM to be held in August**

David Mantle said the Constitution needs to be amended. AGM originally noted that it has to be June but due to the change of meeting dates the AGM needs to be changed to the August meeting.

Constitution to be updated to reflect the change.

**Moved and seconded to change the AGM from June to August. Carried**

## **Flemington LAC**

Sgt Phillip Gagliano raised the following:

- Alcohol relating issues within licensed premises have dropped
- Increase in street robberies
- Crime scene preservation guidelines
  - Immediately after the person in charge of the licensed premises becomes aware of an incident involving an act of violence causing an injury to a person on the premises, the person must:
  - Take all practical steps to preserve and keep intact the area where the act of violence occurred, and retain all material and implements associated with the act of violence including:
    - Determine the scene e.g. perimeter and locations
    - Prevent access to an secure the scene by placing a person to guard the area
    - Make in inquiries to identify the assailant/s where appropriate, and request witnesses remain within the licensed premises until police arrive – if not, record all witnesses particulars where practical
    - Leave and do not touch any items associated with the act of violence, such as weapons, broken glass
    - Do not clean up or interfere (e.g. move furniture) with crime scenes (interfering with evidence may constitute an offence, leaving you liable to prosecution, and/or result in the closure of the premises)
    - Record all information into notebooks/incident registers ensuring names, security no., specific tasks and/or involvements of each person are recorded.

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- Provide all records in notebooks/incident registers to police
- Make direct and personal contact with the Local Area Commander or delegate, and advise the Commander or delegate of the incident.
- Comply with all directions given by the Commander or delegate to preserve or keep intact the area the act of violence occurred.
- Be aware of section 22 of the act – sales of liquor
- RSA Registers – must be at the premises and must contain RSA certificates
- Incident books/registers must be kept
- Banning orders – banning order applications are on the website
- No level 3's for the month of April
- Main concerns are drink driving, street robberies and domestic violence
- OLGR have done 2 inspections in the Flemington Local Command – conclusion was excellent results – no warnings issued

## **Presentation – Allen Barry and Peter Jeffries from Barringtons Group**

David Mantle read the biography for Allen Barry.

Allen Barry is the Executive Director and founder of Barringtons (1991).

Barringtons employ staff in the areas of security risk and crisis management, personnel vetting, vocational training and recruitment, online training, IT and compliance management.

Allen has been involved with Corporate Australia for nearly 30 years, initially as a regulator before establishing himself as a private provider in some of the areas of business that Barringtons currently operate in.

His main business focus within Barringtons now is training, customised IT development and compliance management.

Allen's background prior to Barringtons includes:

- Senior Investigator – Building Industry Royal Commission
- Senior Investigator – Licensed Gaming Investigation
- Senior Investigator – State Drug Crime Commission
- Other areas of the police service, where he held the rank of Detective Sergeant, dealing with organised Crime and Serious Crime.

Allen is heavily involved with A.S.I.S. International, the largest security/risk association in the world.

Allen holds the following volunteer/community roles:

- ASIS Australian representative on the National Resilience Community of Interest Taskforce
- Deputy Chairperson of ASIS NSW Chapter of ASIS

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- Chairperson for the Bachelor of Policing External Advisory Committee  
University of Western Sydney
- Volunteer Surf Life Saver – Bilgola NSW

Allen Barry presented the following:

1. Armed Robbery Crime Scene Preservation and Risk Assessment
2. Armed Robbery survival – Cash security and armed hold up prevention

## **Review Business Plan – consideration and acceptance**

David Mantle said the Committee is recommending the following:

The aims of the Flemington LAC Liquor Accord is to:

- Reduce the incidence of alcohol-related crime in and around licensed premises
- Reduce the incidence of alcohol fuelled violence in and around licensed premises
- Work closely with our local Police in enforcing anti-social behaviour strategies that impact upon our core business of providing an enjoyable environment.
- Promote the responsible service and responsible consumption, of alcohol.
- Reduce the harm arising from the consumption of alcohol.
- Identify and address alcohol-related issues in the accord area.
- Build solid partnerships between licensees, community, government and other stakeholders.
- Maintain viable and active accord membership.

Action Plan:

- Rapid intoxication of patron
  - o Reduction in the number of intoxicated patrons. Reduction in the number of alcohol related incidents
- Incidents not being recorded with enough detail
  - o Increase the quality of incident reports – Police acceptance
- Secondary supply to minors
  - o Reduction in the number of incidents involving minors
- Patrons failing to leave premises when asked
  - o Reduction in the number of non-voluntary exclusion incidents.  
Reduction in the number of Police responses
- Drink driving
  - o Reduction in the number of drink driving incidents linked to licensed premises. Increase in the number of patrons identifying as “Designated Drivers”

**Moved and seconded to accept the Flemington LAC Liquor Accord Business Plan. Carried**

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David Mantle advised that fees must be paid and also advised that only 11 payments have been received to date.

David Mantle thanked all at the meeting and closed the meeting at 11.15am.

Next meeting to be held Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> August 2010.

David Mantle .....  
Chairperson

Date.....