

**Minutes of the Flemington LCA Liquor Accord Meeting held at DOOLEYS
Lidcombe Catholic Club on Tuesday 6th May 2014 at 10.00am**

ATTENDEES:

Peter Denmend (Chairman), Rosie Vranic, Wayne Nollan, Dilshan Kodikara, Justin Corcoran, Steve Rogrigues, Senior Constable Paul Aishou, Constable Fernando Gamit, Alexander Spence, Sharon Arrow, Chris Dunn, Kylie Beckett, Paul Pellegrini, Owen Madden, Alex Biddolph, Ann Batkin, Stephen Ellis, Lauren Tulafono, Neil Hendry, Glenn Fraser, Patrick Pignataro, John Chammas, Brian Crawford, Mitchell Hood, Stephanie Melo (minutes)

APOLOGIES:

Ying Xia, John Seward, Nathan Titmuss, Greta Fletcher, Geoff Jansen, Megan Dessent, Jesse Bridge, Damien Smith, Margaret Ward, John Ross, Jamal Assad, Andrew Shand

The Chairman Peter Denmead declared the meeting opened at 10.05am.

REVIEW MINUTES OF MEETING HELD 25th FEBRUARY 2014

RESOLVED: That the minutes held 25th February 2014 be adopted as a true and correct record of proceedings.

No matters arising from those minutes.

Senior Constable Paul Aishou – FLEMINGTON LAC Presentation

Senior Constable Aishou provided a brief presentation on alcohol related crimes. He stated the following:

- Between February to April there were 14 incidents of individuals being picked up for drink driving; where they had been previously drinking in a licenced premise.
- Between February to April alcohol related crimes was 6% of all incidents in the area.

Senior Constable Paul Aishou – MINORS

A brief discussion was then held on issues surrounding minors. Licensees will be guilty of an offence if the minor is not immediately removed from the premise. He reminded all members to be vigilant as fines are immediate.

Senior Constable Paul Aishou – GENERAL

Senior Constable Aishou then introduced Constable Gamit as he will be going on annual leave for the next three months. Constable Gamit will be taking over Senior Constable Aishou's responsibilities for the Flemington Liquor Accord during his absence.

A reminder was also issued to members regarding compliance for ALEC. Senior Constable Aishou asked if all members could please ensure they are on top of their audits.

Amanda Kamara – SUPPORT BUSINESS COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP

Amanda Kamara provided a presentation on the benefits of supporting the Auburn community through business partnerships.

She first explained Auburn's diversity:

- Auburn is the second most diverse community within the local state of NSW
- Unemployment is higher than state percentage
- Top five countries: China, Vietnam, South Korea, India, Turkey
- Top five languages: Arabic, Cantonese, Mandarin, Turkish, Korean

Amanda then went on to explain the benefits of supporting the Auburn community:

- Builds brand, image and reputation
- Contributes to the community wellbeing
- Improves staff morale
- Media coverage of partners

Means of providing support to the community includes:

- Provision of volunteer staff for events, exhibitions and/or festivals
- In kind support
- Pro bono support e.g. accountancy
- Sponsorship
- Access to premises e.g. use of a meeting room
- Provision of gifts e.g. gifts for a raffle

Amanda explained the above are only examples. If members would like to support the community, they need to identify what they want to do and with whom. Alternatively there could be a particular issue they would like to be involved with. Once these matters are clear, it is easier to find a project.

Amanda went on to explain that council's role is to work in partnership with the communities and to facilitate the business community partnership.

Tania Jolley, CEO – DNA SECURITY SOLUTIONS

A presentation then followed on a product called DNA Guardian. It is designed to prevent armed robberies beyond the traditional means by placing "fear" into the minds of criminals.

The product sprays a light mist over the criminal which is unnoticeable to the human eye when activated. It also dries clear on the individual and items they are wearing or

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carrying. The spray itself is a synthetic DNA which leaves a unique “fingerprint”. Each fingerprint is unique to the venue.
Tania also stated that businesses that have used this product have had a reduction of 98% in crime.

Pamphlets were made available for members.

COMMITTEE OVERVIEW

Treasurer’s Report

Account details at 1st April 2014

Opening Balance	\$24,107.89
Total Credits	+\$21.05
Total Debits	-\$0.00
Closing Balance	\$24,128.94

GENERAL BUSINESS

The Chairman announced the next meeting will be held on the **5th August 2014** at **10am**, at the **Novotel Sydney Olympic Park Hotel** (Olympic Boulevard, Sydney Olympic Park).

The Chairman thanked all speakers and members that attended the meeting.

Meeting closed at 11:20am

Peter Denmead.....
Chairperson

Date.....