

# Friends of Inglewood Triangle

Minutes of committee meeting held **Thursday 31 January 2019**at 7:15am at Dave and Betty's Café

Central Ave & Beaufort Street, Inglewood.

#### Meeting opened 7.15am

- Present Jillian Adams, Christine Allbeury, Alison Bunker, Suzanne Bushby, Sue Campbell, Jane Coffey, Vicki Dixon, Jean Foster, Mary Gray, Maria Holland, Veronica Kurak, Anne-Marie Regan, Christine Richardson, Graham Zemunik.
   Apologies Tim Ryan, Maddy Holland
- 2. Minutes of meeting of 15 January 2018 confirmed. Moved: CA Sec: AB
- 3. 2018 Annual report circulated by email.
- 4. Office bearers for 2018 were:

Convenor Maria H
Treasurer Christine R
Secretary Chris A

Committee Members Maddy H, Suzanne B, Anne-Marie R, Mary G

It was agreed last year that office bearers would be rotated.

The following have indicated an interest in being office bearers for **2019**:

Convenor Danielle Brady
Treasurer Tim Ryan
Secretary Jane Coffey
Committee Members All other members
City of Stirling (CoS) liaison Sue Campbell, Danielle Brady and Jane Coffey

Other roles include

Organising weeding and watering, Chris A and Christine
Perth College Chris A and Christine to coordinate with Suzanne
Clean Up Australia Day coordinator Christine R

Moved: Ann-Marie Sec: Sue

#### 5. Treasurer's report for 2019

2018 ACCOUNTS							
2018		XX907			XX915		TOTAL
Opening Balance	-\$	26.71		\$	46.73	\$	20.02
EXPENSES							
Membership UBC	\$	45.00		\$	-	\$	45.00
				\$	-	\$	-
Bank transaction fees	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
INCOME	$\vdash$						
Interest Dep	\$	0.11		\$	-	\$	0.11
Membership 2018	\$	140.00		\$	-	\$	140.00
Donations	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
Transfer between accounts	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
Cash on hand	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
Closing Balance	\$	68.40		\$	46.73	\$	115.13
Members 2018:	Do	ceipt	\$				
Christine Allbeury	rte	338	-				
Jill Adams		339					
Vicki Dixon		340					
Suzanne Bushby		341					
Maria & Maddy Holland		342					
Veronica Kurak		343	-				
Graham Zemunik		344					
Anne Marie Regan		345					
Mary Gray		346	\$10.00				
Alison Bunker & Myles Harmer		347	\$20.00				
Christine Richardson		348	\$10.00				
Sue Campbell		337	\$0.00	Mei	mbership	paid	Nov 17
Wendy Garstone		349			06/2018		
Total			\$140.00	Red	eived in	2018,	\$10 in 2017
Cheque to be written							
Nil							

#### Recommendations as follows:

- Membership remain at \$10
- Continue our membership of Urban Bushland Council (\$45)
- Christine Richardson is willing to be nominated for a position on the Executive of UBC.
   Nomination form signed by DB sec SC

Moved: Sue Sec: Danielle

#### 6. General business

- Clean up Australia day Sunday 3 March starting at 8 am Christine will register and organise as in previous years
- Perth College Suzanne outlined suggested plans for 2019
   Term 1 is usually too hot, end of term 1 water plants in IT area
   Term 2 and 3 explore IT. Any planting to occur in Yokine Reserve as CoS have no further funds for planting in IT. Suzanne agreed PC would be happy to plant in the new area.

#### Priorities for IT bushland and working with City of Stirling

City of Stirling will not support further planting in IT which is now in 'maintenance mode'. Some discussion over the threat of dieback and how best to tackle further spread. Main source of concern was the recent death of Bull Banksia in D whether this is dieback or ground water level being the cause. Discussion on how best to improve communication with CoS to when work is to be done in IT; tree trimming, spraying, weeding around delicate areas etc. Chris will try and find out what the current dieback strategy is. Meeting with CoS to be arranged with Sue, Jane and Danielle to establish a relationship with new team; dieback, black flag, communication etc.

The second bat box that was acquired last year needs to be installed and the current one straightened up for more success. To be discussed with CoS.

#### 10 Year Progress report

Danielle suggested to write an overview of what has been achieved in IT to date and the transformation over the years. Covering revegetation, effect of consistent weeding, rubbish collecting. This to be shared with local press. The history of IT also to be updated for UBC website. Agreed it was a great way to engage Bianca Sandri and the other Councillors. Danielle agreed to write the report.

#### iNaturalist

Continuing work on iNaturalist in 2019. Inglewood Triangle is a 'project' and photos should be added to the project to be included on the IT page. If help needed uploading photos members can ask Jane or Graham.

#### Other issues impacting IT

City of Stirling - There is some concern over CoS new policy to move from mown verges to wood chips and pesticides. CoS currently mows 3/4 times a year. There is a chance the verge will be turned to woodchips without consent of FoIT.

Mary suggested 8th Ave could be closed off and used as a native plant nursery. Also questioned if the bare area at northern area at corner of 8<sup>th</sup> Ave and Walter Road outside fence could be planted. However, this area is maintained by mainroads and is line of sight for traffic joining Walter Road so needs to be kept clear.

This year Western Power were caught trimming trees, issue was raised with CoS but even they are not told when this is scheduled.

#### Engaging with Inglewood Primary School and other schools

Group considered reaching out to Inglewood and other schools however the teachers change every year. Success also depends on numbers of volunteers that can work during school hours. The group are already committed to a certain number of days with PC and having two schools on board may be tricky at this time.

### Terry Tyzack reserve 'Birdie Bush'

The friends have previous agreed to look after bushland adjacent to Terry Tyzack, Possible names were discussed: 'Birdie Bush' was suggested as the bush back onto the golf course and several birds have been already spotted there. Dieback survey to be requested from CoS. Noted that the area contained within the golf course is sometimes used as a dumping

ground and to keep an eye on it.

Jane or Graham to set up a iNaturalist page once name is confirmed.

Perth College can plant here with CoS supplying 200 seedlings. Agreed only local species to be planted.

## · Volunteer training and community engagement

It was suggested some training could be given though guided walks in the bushland as an opportunity for members to learn more about flora and fauna in IT.

Jane's Walk (held in May) could be an opportunity to hold a guided walk for members and the public to learn more about the flora and fauna in IT. Guided walks to be considered at a later date.

7. Close of meeting 8:33 am No meetings scheduled.