



Retired Ambulance Association Victoria Inc.

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The Partners day meeting of the Association held at the Ambulance Victoria Complex, Doncaster, on March 9 2011, was opened by the President Chas Martin at 1030 with a warm welcome to all. New Member Don Carpenter was welcomed to his first meeting with us. Chas also wished those members who are dealing with illness & disability all the best. We were saddened to learn of the passing of Robert Strachan & Betty Beckwith our sincere condolences go out to the families.

Present: 30 Members and Partners

Apologies: Dave Appleton, Wynn Donald, Geoff Quennell, Neil Johnson, Dave Skinner, Max Beeson, John Moss, Charlie Mc Lean, Arthur Manning, Ken Holt, Lorraine Holt, Morrie 21 Browne, Barbara Betts, Warren Ashley, Ken Clarkson, Dusty Rhodes, Christine Rhodes, Ted Giddings, Eve Giddings, Martin Moran, Norm Mills & Graham Ryan.

Minutes: Moved – George Jackson, Seconded – Dennis Meek.

Finance:

Working Account	\$777.02	
Term Deposit	\$6383.10	due 10/03/11
Available Funds	\$7160.12	
Total Members	158	

Moved Ron Batten, Seconded Dennis Meek "That the treasurers report be accepted"

Correspondence: New South Wales Ambulance Retired Officers' Association, Retired and Serving Ambulance Officers Association of Queensland, Carol Lock Re her father Robert Strachan passing away on 26th January, Brian Beckwith, thanking members for their kind thoughts and support upon the passing of his wife Betty.

General Business: Chas informed us of another shirt run, this time there would be a choice of two types of shirts at the cost of \$25.00 each. If members would like one of the shirts contact Peter Leek and you will need to pay when you order. John Blossfeld asked if the Queensland & NSW retired ambulance meeting dates were available. Chas to find out. Chas once again asked members to look out for suitable guest speakers. Chas thanked Ian Cameron for his work in making new ID cards for our members; these are to help improve security at ASV HQ.

Guest Speaker: The guest speakers were Jodie Renton & John Fletcher from the Respecting Patient Choices Team at Austin Health.

A raffle was organized by Bill Mc Knight.

The President closed the meeting we were then invited to partake in lunch thanks to Pauline and staff.

Meeting closed 1150.