



PARRAMATTA TOASTMASTERS CLUB

PO Box 578, Parramatta, NSW, 2124
Club 2274, Area 13, Western Division, District 90, Region 12

Minutes of Club Meeting #1421 (6 February 2020)

VENUE: Linden Room, Parramatta RSL Club, 2 Macquarie St, Parramatta NSW, 2150			
COMMENCED:	6.30pm	TOTAL ATTENDEES:	29
CHAIRMAN:	Michael Said	PRESENT MEMBERS:	23 out of 34 active members
THEME:	Spring into Speechcraft	QUORUM:	23/18 Yes
SECRETARY	Ian Lipski		

Attendance

PRESENT MEMBERS (23)	VISITORS (6)	APOLOGIES (11)
Barbara Mifsud Christine Huynh Edim Hujdur Elizabeth Wilson Gary Wilson Ian Lipski John Taylor Karl Pereira Marko Matic Matt Tonkiss Michael Fong Michael Said Mike Kano-McCallum Monique Tonna Omar Ikhras Peter Steinhour Rob Tibbertsma Ronald Marriott Sabesh Sitsabesan Sue Ismiel Vicki Sheehan Vivek Singhal Wendy Lipski	Helen Fong James Lloyd Wilson Nitya Sai Krishna Vanessa	Alicia Leise Andrew Emerson Anu Vijayan John New Linda Said Mandy Chiu Samuel Fenton Sean Leise Suben Subenthiran Thida Win Tom Woods

Resolution: 'That the apologies for non-attendance at tonight's meeting be accepted'

Moved by: Sabesh Sitsabesan	Seconded by: Karl Pereira	CARRIED
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FUTURE APOLOGIES

Matt Tonkiss	Next meeting		
Rob Tibbertsma	Next meeting		

MINUTES

Resolution: 'That the minutes for meeting #1420 be taken as read and confirmed'

Correction show number

Moved by: Ian Lipski	Seconded by: Edim Hujdur	CARRIED
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CORRESPONDENCE IN

Date	From	Details
	John Lomu	Test Speaker for Evaluation Contest – Email to Parramatta President, thanking the Club for their warmth and hospitality.

Resolution: 'That the correspondence in be received'

Moved by: Vicki Sheehan	Seconded by: Wendy Lipski	CARRIED
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CORRESPONDENCE OUT

No Correspondence Out

Date	To	Details

Resolution: '

Moved by:	Seconded by:	
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REPORTS

SERGEANT AT ARMS

- We are working on the best room setup - it is under review and consideration for the best outcome

Resolution: 'That the report be received'

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Moved by: Omar Ikhras	Seconded by: Vivek Singhal	CARRIED
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TREASURER

- December 2019 financials almost ready – awaiting some final transaction records
- January 2020 Financials are being prepared
- Club membership fees are due – I will be sending an email around with bank details

Resolution: 'That the report be received'

Moved by: Edim Hudjur	Seconded by: Sue Ismiel	CARRIED
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VICE PRESIDENT PUBLIC RELATIONS (VPPR)

- February Natta was emailed out to members
- Hard copies of the Natta were distributed at the meeting
- We are participating in the District 90 LinkedIn campaign. If you are on LinkedIn please follow our page "Toastmasters District Parramatta" and like and share our posts.

Resolution: 'That the report be received'

Moved by: Christine Huynh	Seconded by: Sabesh Sitsabesan	CARRIED
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VICE PRESIDENT MEMBERSHIP (VPM)

Resolution: 'That the report be received'

No report

Moved by:	Seconded by:	CARRIED
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VICE PRESIDENT EDUCATION (VPE)

- The Area contest is on the 29 of February. The venue and other details are yet to be confirmed. Please keep that date free to support our club's winners, International Speech winner Vicki Sheehan and Evaluation contest winner Ron Marriott.
- Speechcraft course is to start on Tuesday 11 February at Rydges Parramatta and is coordinated by Barbara Mifsud with a full class of 14 Speechcrafters.

Resolution: 'That the report be received'

Moved by: Sabesh Sitsabesan	Seconded by: Karl Pereira	CARRIED
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PRESIDENT

- Six out of 7 Exec members have completed Club Training and the 7th has enrolled to complete the training.
- David and Belinda Griffiths expecting a baby girl in July.
- President Wendy making a road trip to Tamworth – unfortunately, none of the clubs had meetings on during the visit. We are information sharing with the clubs in Tamworth ie. Matt Tonkiss notes on Evaluation.
- The Speechcraft Education night, to prepare for the upcoming Speechcraft course was attended by 10 Toastmasters.

Resolution: 'That the report be received'

Moved by: Wendy Lipski	Seconded by: Sabesh Sitsabesan	CARRIED
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GENERAL BUSINESS

FRIVOLOUS MOTION

I move that: ""

No Frivolous Motion

Moved by:	Seconded by:	LOST
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NEW MEMBER INDUCTION

Resolution 'That James Nieradka be accepted as a member of Parramatta Toastmasters'

Moved by: Rob Tibbertsma	Seconded by: Michael Said	CARRIED
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Mentor – Karl Pereira

SPEAKING PROGRAM –

Toastmaster:-

#	Name	Title	Project	Evaluator
1	Marko Matic	Me, So Far	L1 Dynamic Leadership Project 1 – Ice Breaker	Barbara Mifsud
2	Michael Fong	Who will I Be?	L2 Dynamic Leadership Project 2 – Understanding Your Leadership Style	Sue Ismiel
3	Peter Steinhour	Impact and Importance of a Mentor	L2 Innovative Planning Project 3 – Introduction to Mentoring	Sabesh Sitsabesan
4	Monique Tonna	Behind the Line	L5 Strategic Relationships Project 2 - HPL	Ian Lipski
5	Gary Wilson	The Odd One Out	Presentation Mastery Project# 2	Ron Marriott

AWARDS

Best Table Topic	Wendy Lipski
Best Evaluator	Ron Marriott

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Best Speaker	Monique Tonna
Stirrer's Spoon	Monique Tonna
Icebreaker	Mark Matic

MEETING DECLARED CLOSED: 9:30 PM