



Wildflower Society of Western Australia (Inc)
Merredin Branch
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MINUTES OF THE 224th MEETING
Held at The New Herbarium, Coronation St, Merredin (old North Merredin Primary School) on Wednesday 20th November 2019.
 Commencing at 7.32pm

Present: Mal Harper, Tracy Scott, Lil Armstrong, Kerry Brown, Roy Butler.

1. Apologies: Nil.

2. Confirmation of previous minutes 16-10-2019. Moved Lil seconded Roy.
 Carried.

3. Business Arising: To General Business.

4. Financial Report:

Balance as at 31-10-2019 Statement No 300 \$1228.06

Received \$100 donation from Louie-Jane Gamble; .09c interest.

Moved Tracy, seconded Kerry that financial report be accepted. Carried.

5a. Correspondence in:

Emails forwarded:

22/10: The Biosecurity Blitz begins.

29/10: WA Landcare Network Oct 2019 Update

31/10: Invitation: Tackling Climate Change in WA. Ideas for State Policy.

31/10: NACC Notes 31/10/2019

5b. Correspondence out: Nil.

Moved Lil, seconded Kerry that inward correspondence be received. Carried.

.6. General Business:

1. Write to Merredin Shire requesting a white board be installed over the blackboard. Magnetic white board is much more user friendly & the other rooms have them.

2. Sandwich board for advertising: decide what to put on it and get a quote from printers.

3. Roy & Mal visited Tamma Parkland – checked out broken table & looked at what was there. Lots of broken glass & small amount of asbestos.

In the original plan recommendations, there is mention of a fence – to fence off the old rubbish tip area. No fence has yet been erected. Look through Tamma paperwork to find out details re fence.

Interpretive signage needs to be replaced – worn out & vandalized.

Weed management: Cape tulip & soursob need to be sprayed at the right

time with the right chemicals.

Write to Shire re the above: erecting the fence, signage to be replaced & spraying for weeds.

4. Lil gave us an insight into the ANSPA Conference at Albany in October, as one of the 300 participants. Made many contacts and represented us very well. She brought back a flyer re organising WSWA workshops & activities for kids. We hope to organise one next winter or spring.

Meeting closed 8.45pm

NEXT MEETING: Wednesday 18th December 2019 at 7.30pm in the new Herbarium (old North Merredin Primary School). Bring nibbles & drinks for Christmas Cheer.