

GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

Monday 29 March 2021, Gillen Club **6:00pm – 7:00pm**

1. Meeting Open: 6:05pm

2. Welcome: Chair welcomed members.

3. Present:

1	Lauren	Winter	Southern Regional Representative	Centralian Middle School
2	Naomi	Briggs	Gillen Primary School	Chair
3	Cassie	Q'Bree	Principal	Centralian Middle School
4	Georg	Winter	Parent Member	Centralian Middle School
5	Wayne	Wright	Parent Member	Bradshaw Primary
6	Bryan	McKain.	Parent Member	Ross Park Primary School

4. Apologies:

1	Michelle	Parker	Executive Officer	NTCOGSO
2	Amiuus	Lennie	Chair	Centralian Senior College
3	Fred	Richardson	Invited Member	Centralian Senior College
4	Leanne	Usher	Teacher Member	Bradshaw Primary
5	Kate	Dobie	Parent Member	Bradshaw Primary
6	Stacey	Leddra	Parent Member	Sadadeen Primary School
7	Bec	Imbot	Parent Member	Centralian Middle School

5. Minutes previous General Meeting:

Moved: Georg Winter Seconded: Lauren Winter

6. Business Arising from previous General Meeting Minutes:

Moved: Georg Winter Seconded: Lauren Winter

7. Correspondence In: Nil

8. Correspondence Out: Nil

9. Business Arising from Correspondence: Nil



10. Chair / Regional Representative Report: The Chair provided a verbal report which included:

- NTCOGSO and its role in schools
- Encouraged all present to logon and register on the NT COGSO website to access member resources and to ask their fellow members to do the same
- · Reminded members to not hesitate contacting your Regional Representative anytime for support
- Encouraged members to seek training or help from NT COGSO whenever required

Moved: Lauren Winter Seconded: Naomi Briggs

11. General Business:

11.1 SRB feedback on: 'One Team One Territory'

Only Cassie O'Bree had any knowledge of this as she was working in the department when it was being developed. All present agreed to keep an ear open. Cassie felt like it had not been floated yet as the consent education had taken centre stage. The question was raised as to where the information was supposed to come from?

11.2 NT COGSO Annual Full Council (Sat 4 September 2021) - 2021 Motions Preparation

Everyone was very interested to hear about the motions, nearly all present are new to SRBs and new to COGSO. It was really great to hear from the members about their needs. They expressed concern over teacher recruitment and retention. Many were keen to have COGSO present some training especially around how to be an effective SRB representative. The continuation and expansion of VET was encouraged. Concern over school safety at 'kiss n go' areas was again raised. The school survey was also raised, questions asked as to when it is, can they add questions and who sees the results, Cassie O'Bree was really helpful in this area.

11.3 General Meeting Venue

All present agreed that the meeting time and place worked for them and they were looking forward to the next one. Some expressed disappointment that not more of their SRB members attended. Hopefully they will encourage attendance at the next meeting.

12. Date of Next Meeting: 24 May 2021, 6pm, Gillen Club

13. Meeting Close: 7:00pm