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Beach Committee Meeting Agenda

Agenda Item		Notes	Actions
1	Attendance	<p>BOM Chair Person – Matt Hodges (MH) CEO – Robyn Kuhl (RK)</p> <p>Committee Tara Banks (TB) Chris Adams (CA) Marty Bertuleit (MB) Regional Representative - Nick Wells (NW) Indoor Beach Representative - Rod Taylor (RT) VWA Executive Officer – Gregory Hunt (GH)</p>	
2	Apologies	<p>Apologies Nick Wells, Rod Taylor</p>	
3	Minutes from Previous Meeting	23 rd February 2022	Minutes Approved
4	Volleyball Activities/Updates	<p>4.1 Committee Updates RK provided updates on behalf of RT and NW who were apologies</p> <p>Indoor Beach – Finished super league season. New owner at Canning Vale. Winter season for Super League again next year which will mean no clashes with ATABT.</p> <p>Regional – Bunbury and Busselton are running their beach program Albany are working with their council to get the beach back. Geraldton and Broome have put in application for courts to be built</p>	

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		<p>4.2 VWA Updates VWA Staff and Board Updates</p> <p>UniSport Nationals with both indoor and beach competitions were held in September. Beach was held at City Beach with 17 Male, 9 Female and 12 mixed teams. VolleyMates App was launched October 22nd. Staffing updates – Jacqueline and Angelo have both resigned. Applications have now closed for the Regional position in Geraldton.</p> <p>Torquay VolleyFest (International Beach Pro Tour event and Australian Beach Volleyball Tour) in November/December and AVC (Asian Beach Volleyball Tour Event in Mollymook) announced for April. Helps build towards upcoming Commonwealth and Olympic games in Australia</p> <p>4.3 Terms of Reference Board has approved To be circulated December/January</p> <p>4.4 VWA Awards Criteria (for 22/23 season)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beach Junior Player of the Year <p>Junior player to change to Youth player of the year to align with national age group terminology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beach Team of the Year <p>Consensus that award should stay as teams have played together in previous seasons and may just be a trend in recent years given no interstate travel for national tour events or similar. Note – Minimum of 5 teams eligible for the award to be given per gender.</p>	<p>GH to pass on to Marketing and Comms the updates for the awards</p>
5	ATABT 2021/2022 Review	<p>5.1 Survey Results Noted players wanted better officiating but only 1/3 interested in a development session. Not interested in increased costs (paying referees) as this just adds to nomination fees.</p>	

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	<p>To assist with referees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Include filled out scoresheet in each clipboard. • Look towards Mentors from players in the tour. • Get player attention during technical meetings and provide snippets of information. TB happy to be point of contact between referee committee and provide snippets of information for technical meetings <p>Discussion of Open vs Graded Formats Committee happy with formats Keep publicity up for what format is for which events as some comments in the survey about being unsure of the formats</p> <p>GH to follow up on the two sponsorship responses. Post meeting note-Both responses provided no options (None and N/A listed)</p> <p>Noted a low response rate compared to previous years. Quick turnaround from last beach event to indoor (players already moved on or have forgotten). Should survey be sent mid season? Can send end of season function information at this time.</p> <p>5.2 Finance Summary Overview of the finances from the 2021/22 season.</p> <p>Increased labour Costs compared to previous season, not enough extra entries to offset this. Ways to reduce labour cost - Pitching to players regarding pack down (volunteer players), Option of putting question in nomination form. New sand into Inner City Beach can allow one round to be played there. Labour costs are expensive hence moving a round to ICB may help reduce overall expenditure Roughly 50% increase in total nomination fees but all went to Workforce.</p>	<p>RK to ask referee committee for assistance with beach notes. TB to be point of contact after that</p> <p>Extra meeting to be added mid season (section 8)</p> <p>GH to include question regarding pack down in nomination form</p>
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6	ATABT 2022/23 Planning	<p>6.1 Schedule</p> <p>Draft schedule from VA for national event dates</p> <p>Australian Beach Volleyball Tour</p> <p>Torquay 2nd-4th December</p> <p>Cobram 17th-19th February</p> <p>Woolongong – 10th-12th March</p> <p>Coolangatta (Aus Champs) – 24th-26th March</p> <p>Australian Junior Beach Volleyball Tour</p> <p>Canberra 26/27 January</p> <p>Cobram 15/16 February</p> <p>Wollongong 8/9 March</p> <p>AYBVC – 27th – 30th March leads into ABVSC 31st March – 2nd April</p> <p>Option for an ICB tournament in 2022/23 season.</p> <p>Means going away from playing at the beach which has been a positive in previous seasons. Can provide footage on upgrades over social media to help sell the event.</p> <p>Mid season function in line with ICB round or a fundraising opportunity for State Teams</p> <p>6.2 Competition Formats</p> <p>Look at the WA Open 18th/19th March weekend (final round).</p> <p>11/12 Feb Round (City Beach?)</p> <p>25/26 Feb Round for ICB</p> <p>50/50 split on Graded/Open Rounds</p> <p>Open rounds – Round 1, two regional rounds & WA Open</p> <p>Remaining rounds to be graded.</p> <p>Ideal scenario (if able to secure all beaches)</p>	<p>GH to confirm new date of WA Open with City of Stirling. Will then consult committee for remaining dates of the season.</p>
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7	Juniors and Masters	<p>Competition Opportunities Discussion around the options and potential dates for Juniors and Masters competitions within the beach season Agreement on providing beach clubs the opportunity.</p>	GH to send free dates to beach clubs once Beach Tour dates have been confirmed with councils
8	2022 Meeting Dates	<p>Monday February 20th – Move to February 6th Monday April 3rd Monday August 7th Committee wanted an extra meeting at the end of the beach season</p>	Monday February 20 th date moved to February 6 th . Extra meeting added at end of season April 3 rd .
9	Any other business	<p>9.1 City Beach Booking System System allows public to be able to pay and play. Current volleyball community can book without having to pay for equipment. Concerns over current process at the beach but methods to lock nets. Post meeting note – Locker system and net locks are yet to arrive. Some impact to current uses given Beach Tennis but with posts to be redug at Cottesloe and Scarborough this should lessen the demand</p>	
10	Date of Next Meeting	Monday February 20th – Moving to February 6th	