

**Minutes for AAAGP Committee Teleconference
Friday 19 May 2006
12 midday**

- 1 Attendance**
Jane Gunn, Mark Nelson, Deb Askew, Kelsey Hegarty, Dimity Pond, Susan Wearne, Joachim Sturmberg, Debbie Mutton
- 2 Apologies**
Jon Emery, Grant Blashki, John Campbell (resigned as SA rep)
- 3 Minutes of Last Meeting**
Amendment: Kelsey was an apology. Accepted.
- 4 Business Arising**
Members Survey
Jane still working on this. Planning to have ready for the conference. Jane
- 5 General Business**
5.1 Perth Conference
5.1.1 HODs Meeting
Remind HODs for items for agenda. Add APHCRIS (Mark) and Research Quality Framework. Debbie
- 5.1.2 Distinguished Papers**
Thank you to Mark and Deb Askew for assisting Jane with the process. The rating was done on-line. Those selected where:
1. Clare Heal – “Can Sutchers Get Wet?”
2. Angela Taft – “Consensus Guidelines” – a systematic review.
Andre will be sent details of these selected papers. Jane
- 5.1.3 Plenary Session**
All organised. (Jane)
- 5.1.4 Booth**
A number of depts will be contributing with materials. Dr Furler will be sending a poster as his report for his Travelling Fellowship.
- 5.1.5 AGM Agenda Items**
Email to be sent to members calling for items. Debbie has begun a list. Debbie
- 5.1.6 Dinner**
All plans are going smoothly. Around 50 people registered for dinner so far. Larry Green and Andre Knottnerus will be attending dinner as our guests.

- 5.2 Membership**
- 5.2.1 **New Members**
Dr Katie McMahon was accepted into membership.
- 5.2.2 **Application Forms**
A discussion was held with regard to applications from those who do not know another member to sign their application form. It was agreed that the state representative would contact this person and determine: why they want to be a member, how they found out about us, whether they have an interest in teaching or research and also are they linked to anyone who is a member. The state rep would then contact the President with their recommendation. If not successful, the President will contact the applicant.
- 5.2.3 **Subscriptions**
There are still 92 members who have not paid their subscription for 2006. Debbie expressed her disappointment after implementing the simple credit card system. Another reminder email will be sent and payments will be sort at the conference. Debbie
- 5.3 Newsletter**
Aiming to have it ready for the conference. Still awaiting lead article and President's message. Looks good so far!
Next newsletter: Mention ROAR database and encourage people to enter their details. Also article about what Dimity is doing on curriculum. Grant
- 5.4 RACGP**
- 5.4.1 **2006 Convention**
A3GP will be having a workshop at 11.30am and another at 3.30pm on "Critical Thinking". Deb A will be our facilitator. Registration fees for Deb to be negotiated with RACGP.
- 5.4.2 **2007 Convention**
Theme is "Patients are Communities of Health". Joachim would like to explore the idea of how to make scientific presentations more interactive for this conference. He also suggested future discussion on how A3GP links in with RACGP during this conference. Joachim
- 6 Other Business**
- 6.1 **Consent for Research in GP**
A3GP is referring this to NSCR for consideration.
- 7 Next meeting 16 June 12 midday.**
- 8 Meeting closed 1.00pm.**