# MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE VICTORIAN HOMING ASSOCIATION

# HELD AT NOTTING HILL ON THE 6<sup>th</sup> OF FEBRUARY 2023

President Andrew Spiliopoulos opened the meeting at 7.07pm. Andrew welcomed all members present to the meeting.

A minute's silence was held for Hans Simeth. Hans was remembered for being a good worker at the rooms and also for the great achievement of winning three federation races in four weeks. He flew a small team of pigeons and was especially good at sprint racing.

#### Matters arising from the previous minutes - none.

Moved Neville Stone seconded Peter McDonough minutes be accepted. Carried.

#### Treasurers Report – Gerry Sheean

Gerry advised that the VHA was in a sound financial position with all expenses currently paid and added money in a strong position. Gerry then went through the notes he had submitted with his financial report explaining each of the twelve points.

It was moved Jim Cerin seconded Alan Marcon the Treasurers report be accepted. Carried.

## Secretaries Report – Steve Brown

Steve Brown thanked Paul Bryant for auditing the books, acknowledged all life members and gave condolences to all members who have suffered bereavement during the past year. He then thanked Gerry Sheean for his excellent work during the year. Steve noted how quick and thorough Gerry is with his duties during race season. Steve finished by thanking Andrew Spiliopoulos for hosting presentation day and wished everyone an enjoyable 2023 season.

## Presidents Report – Andrew Spiliopoulos

Andrew spoke about the difficulties with the 2022 season with the floods and bad weather resulting in weekends not always being available to race. He wished everyone a great season to come.

Meeting closed at 7.28pm.