

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Meeting Open Kim opened the meeting at 7:19 pm Qld time

Attendances & Apologies

Attendees: Lisa McMillan, Kim Allgood, Jan Moser, Kira Rodriquez, Judith Hackett, Colleen Jonston-Devin.

Apologies: Chantelle Heathcote.

Welcome to the Annual General Meeting of CRPS Awareness – The Purple Bucket Foundation Inc., thank you for joining us. I meet with you tonight from the lands of the Butchulla people. In paying my respects to the local elders past, present and emerging, I extend that respect to all those of the lands on which you all join us this evening. I recognise that First Nation sovereignty was never ceded. This continent always was and always will be, Aboriginal land.

Minutes from Previous Annual General Meeting

Kim offered to read the minutes of last year's Annual General Meeting.

Motion: That the minutes of the Annual General Meeting held October 12th, 2021, be accepted as an accurate record

Moved: Kim Allgood *Seconded:* Kira Rodriquez
All in favour: Yes *Carried.* Yes

Announcement from the Presiding Member – Kim Allgood

Our team has spent another year quietly working with our picks and shovels, there will always be something to chip away at; but this year, our tenth as a registered health promotion charity has seen much of our hard work finally uncover some real progress.

- Suicide Prevention Australia has agreed that Chronic Pain needs to be included in its policy documents.
- LivingWorks Education Australia has agreed that Chronic Pain should, and will be included in its suicide prevention training material.
- CRPS Awareness – TPBF has forged a stronger research relationship with Central Queensland University.
- Our website and social media audience has increased by more than 25%
- We are in the initial stages of forming an under-18s CRPS support group.
- And our future projects are looking truly promising.

Every year for the last five years, our committee member Sue Rodriquez and her husband Rodge, have spent each day of The Man from Snowy River Festival, looking after one of the gates. Every penny they have earned for doing so

has been donated to CRPS Awareness – TPBF to assist with our admin costs. Sue and Rodge have now retired from this volunteer activity and I would like to extend a special thanks to them both.

Each member of our committee brings something unique and special to the Bucket, and without the work and input of every member, we would not be where we are today. I give my heartfelt thanks to the outgoing committee for your support and commitment. I am truly grateful. Congratulations on all we have achieved under your watch and thank you for all you have done to get us here.

Kim handed the meeting over to Jan for the Treasurers report.

Treasurers Report

The Audited Financial Report for the year ended 30 June 2022 was finalised last month. We incurred a net loss of \$1,837.23, which continues to reflect the loss of corporate sponsorship and lack of events due to Covid during the 2021/2022 financial year. The Balance Sheet however shows total funds of \$7,342.61, which is still a strong position for the charity. It will certainly be our goal to find new sponsors so that we are in a better position to offer more awareness and support to our community.

Motion: That the Treasurer's report for the 2021/22 financial year is accepted as a true and accurate record.

<i>Moved:</i>	Jan Moser	<i>Seconded:</i>	Lisa McMillan
<i>All in favour:</i>	Yes	<i>Carried.</i>	Yes

Kim thanked Jan for her efforts and the time put in to all her positions on the committee throughout the year. Jan in reply thanked Kim for all she has done for the Bucket.

With the finalisation of business for the financial year 2021/22, Kim declared all committee positions vacant. Kim introduced our chair, Lisa Mcmillan who is the co-founder of CRPS Awareness – The Purple Bucket Foundation. With 2022 being the Foundation's tenth year as a registered health promotion charity, it seemed fitting that Lisa would be the Chair of this meeting.

With all positions of CRPS Awareness - The Purple Bucket Foundation Inc. now vacant, it is my pleasure to announce that there is no contest for nominations. This means the new committee is;

Kim Allgood – President and Secretary – continuing roles
Jan Moser – Treasurer and Assistant Secretary – continuing roles
Florin Oprescu – Vice President
Judith Hackett – Committee Member
Chantelle Heathcotte – Committee Member
Kira Rodriguez – Committee Member

It has been my pleasure to announce the 2022/2023 committee for CRPS Awareness - The Purple Bucket Foundation Inc., and I now hand the meeting over to your new chair Kim Allgood.

Other Business:

- While there was no other business, Judith introduced herself and spoke of her CRPS journey.

Kim declared the meeting closed at 7:39 pm.