

STRATEGIC DISCUSSION FORUM

Monday, 23rd March 2020

Minutes

1. Attendance:

- **1.1 Board Directors:** Megan Fardon (Chair), Jim Nicholls (Deputy Chair), Don Close (Treasurer), Jacky McDonald, Mary Marsland and Max Kewish (members)
- **1.2 Officers:** Jim Clement (Secretary)
- **1.3 State Delegates:** : Cynthia Tacey (CAQ); Jim Clement Croquet Vic); Lyn Parnell (Croquet SA); Sheila Twine (Croquetwest)
- **1.4 Observers:** Lynda Davis (Qld), Caryll Marshall (Secretary, Croquetwest)
- **1.5 Apologies:** Sue Beattie (Croquet Tas); Geoff Crook (Director); Rob Murray (Executive Officer)
- **2. Opening:** This Forum continued on from the AGM, at 10:05 a.m. AEST. Due to the Coronavirus situation, it was an abbreviated meeting.
- **3. Coaching:** Greg Bury (National Coordinator Coaching) provided an update on the current situation regarding the redesign of the Croquet Australia coaching system.
- **4. 2021 WCF U21 GCWC Training Squad:** Jacky McDonald presented her view of Junior Croquet in Australia, comparing it with that in New Zealand and England, and her wishes regarding the Australian squad for the 2021 WCF U21 GCWC.
- 5. Close: The forum closed at 11:50 a.m. AEDT