

CITY OF JOONDALUP

Minutes of the Joondalup Eisteddfod Working Party meeting held in Conference Room 2, First Floor, Joondalup Civic Centre, Boas Avenue, Joondalup, on Thursday 12 October 2000, commencing at 7.34pm.

1. ATTENDANCE AND APOLOGIES

Mr G Major	Chairperson
Cr J Hollywood	Councillor
Mrs F Muir	Community Representative
Mrs J Ruscoe	Community Representative
Mr A True	Community Representative
Mrs M Erneste	Community Representative
Mrs A Major	Coordinator Joondalup Eisteddfod
Mr J Boyd	Cultural Development Co-ordinator

APOLOGIES

Cr A Walker
Mrs R Morrison

2. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 9 FEBRUARY 2000

MOVED A True SECONDED F Muir that the minutes of the Joondalup Eisteddfod Working Party meeting held 9 February 2000 be confirmed as a true and correct record.

CARRIED

3. BUSINESS ARISING

The chairman congratulated Mr J Boyd on his recent promotion to the position of Cultural Development Co-ordinator at the City of Joondalup.

4. CORRESPONDENCE IN

A Major advised the Committee of various correspondence received.

5. CORRESPONDENCE OUT

A Major advised the Committee of various correspondence sent.

MOVED M Erneste SECONDED F Muir that the correspondence be received.

CARRIED

6. GENERAL BUSINESS

6.1 REVIEW OF 2000 EISTEDDFOD

The Committee made a number of suggestions for future Eisteddfods but agreed that the 2000 Eisteddfod had been very successful.

6.2 FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The Working Party heard that the financial statement of the 2000 Eisteddfod was to budget. Total income from entry fees, tickets sales and contributions was confirmed as \$9,796. The Working Party agreed to investigate the effects of GST on ticket prices and entry fees and advised that GST should not be allowed to reduce event income levels.

The Working Party agreed that the Eisteddfod should conduct a sponsorship campaign to seek event sponsors and increase the number of trophy donations. Sponsors should be sort to provide three cash prizes of \$500 each to increase the incentive to take part in the Joondalup Eisteddfod and increase the profile of the event. It was recommended that the three cash prizes be offered to overall winners in the following sections:

- Vocal. Solo. Classical. Open. Program up to 8 minutes;
- Pianoforte. Solo. Open. Program up to 10 minutes;
- Instrumental. Woodwind/Recorder Solo. Open. Program up to 10 minutes.

6.3 SUGGESTION BOX CONTENTS

A Major advised the Committee of suggestions received.

6.4 WORKING PARTY COMMENTS

J Boyd informed the Working Party that plans towards the proposed establishment of Performing Arts Facilities in Joondalup are progressing well and results appearing from a feasibility study are very supportive of the development. It was agreed that a 5 year Action Plan should be written to develop the Eisteddfod in parallel with the development of the proposed performing arts facility.

J Boyd to organised and advise the date of the first of two focus groups in late November involving Working Party members, adjudicators, teachers, parents and performers to begin the development of the plan.

The Eisteddfod Committee expressed their support for the large community venue proposed for the Performing Arts Facility to have a 1500 seat capacity rather than 1000.

The Working Party agreed that a sign should be placed at the entrance to sessions and Trophy Winners Concerts reminding audience members that no film or audio recordings may be made of performances and mobile phones must be switched off.

The Working Party agreed that the 2001 Official Syllabus should include the names of Adjudicators that had accepted their invitation to adjudicate sessions that year.

The Working Party agreed that the size of trophy winner's passes should be A6 and include a reminder of the new dress code for Winners Concerts.

The index layout of the Joondalup Eisteddfod program should be altered to include section 'names' and the break between days in the program be more clearly defined.

6.5 APPRECIATION FUNCTION

It was suggested that the appreciation function would be held in the Civic Centre on the evening of Wednesday 15 November 2000. The Working Party proposed that the function be a sit down dinner for volunteers of the 2000 Eisteddfod and invitations not be extended to partners of volunteers to reduce the cost.

7. EISTEDDFOD 2001

7.1 DATES

Sessions

2,3,4,5, August 2001

9,10,11,12 August 2001

16,17,18, 19 August 2001

23,24,25, 26 August 2001

Trophy Winners Concerts

7,8,9 September 2001

7.2 VENUES

It was agreed that the following venues should be approached for use in the 2001 Joondalup Eisteddfod:

Mercy College - Finucane Hall

St Stephen's School

Joondalup Civic Centre

Lake Joondalup Baptist College

7.3 ADJUDICATORS

It was agreed that the following people would be invited to be adjudicators in the 2001 Joondalup Eisteddfod:

Vocal	Ms Pamela Turner
Choral	Ms Prue Ashurst
Strings	Mr Helen Tuckey
Brass/Bands	Mr Bruce Herriman

Piano	Mr Alan True, Ms Valerie Lang
Speech & Drama	Ms Heather Thompson
Woodwind	Mr Joel Marangella

7.4 OFFICIAL ACCOMPANISTS

It was agreed that the following people would be invited to be official accompanists in the 2001 Joondalup Eisteddfod:

Ms Jacinta Jakovcevic
Ms Larissa Mechteriakova
Ms Lisa Rowntree
Ms Hazel Potts

7.5 MODIFICATION OF RULES

The Working Party agreed to adjust the rules and conditions of the event to include:

- an amendment to Condition 18. that allows performers wishing to be accompanied by multi-instrument pre-recorded music in 3 new instrumental sections.
- an amendment to Condition 25. relating to recent changes to APRA regulations.
- an amendment to Condition 20. advising performers that appropriate attire must be worn by performers at Trophy Winners Concerts.

7.6 MODIFICATIONS OF SECTIONS

It was agreed that the following new sections would be introduced for the Eisteddfod syllabus in 2001:

- (Primary School) Instrumental solo with pre-recorded multi-instrument accompaniment
- (Secondary School) Instrumental solo with pre-recorded multi-instrument accompaniment
- (Open) Instrumental solo with pre-recorded multi-instrument accompaniment

It was agreed that the following sections would be removed from the Eisteddfod syllabus in 2001:

- 76 – 85 Digital Piano Sections
- 86 – 91 Electronic Organ Sections

7.7 NEW COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Two nominated representatives to be approached with a view to membership of the Working Party were Mr Christopher Latham and Mr Chris Waddell.

8. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Thursday 15 February 2001, commencing at 7.30pm

10. MEETING CLOSURE

G Major closed the meeting at 10.35pm.