



WA HEALTH PROMOTING  
SCHOOLS ASSOCIATION (INC.)

Supporting Student Health

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## Minutes of the General Meeting

Date: Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> August 2019  
Time: 3:30 - 4:30pm  
Venue: Cancer Council WA (Level 1, 420  
Bagot Road, Subiaco)

Chairperson: Amanda Ferguson  
Minute Secretary: Leisha Aberle

Meeting opened at 3:32pm.

### 1. Welcome and apologies (1 min)

#### Present:

#### Office Bearers:

President	Leisha Aberle	Foodbank WA
Vice President	Amanda Ferguson	WA School Canteen Association
Treasurer	Sally Blane	Cancer Council WA
Committee Member	Reearna Morgan	Foodbank WA
Committee Member	Shannon Wright	Cancer Council WA

#### Other attendees:

As per attendance sign in book.

#### Apologies:

Jill Darby (Committee member)	ECU
Ruth Wallace (Committee member)	ECU
Jessica Marmoy (Committee member)	Helping Minds
Phoebe Joyce (Committee member)	Act-Belong-Commit

### 2. Acceptance of previous minutes (1 min)

General Meeting held 27 June 2019.

Motion to accept minutes, moved by Amanda Ferguson, seconded by Shannon Wright.

### 3. Business arising (2 mins)

No business arising.

### 4. General and other business (10 mins)

4.1 New Financial members: Animal Fun.

## 5. Executive/Presidents report (15 mins)

5.1 2019 marks the 30 year anniversary for WAHPSA. The Executive committee is in the early stages of planning an end of year event to celebrate this milestone, event to occur on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2019. If members have any ideas of how they would like to see this milestone celebrated, or ideas for keynote speakers, please contact the committee, all suggestions are welcomed. Please send your ideas and thoughts via email to [washpsa@gmail.com](mailto:washpsa@gmail.com)

## 6. Guest Presentation (20 mins)

Paul Searle (Principal Consultant) - Alcohol and Drug Awareness  
From the Road Safety and Drug Education Branch will be providing an overview of the School Drug Education and Road Aware (SDERA) program and how they work with schools to implement a whole-school approach to health education.  
Paul's presentation can be found on WAHPSA website, under the 'meetings' tab.

## 7. Organisational updates (10 mins)

7.1 WA School Canteen Association - Involved in upcoming WACSSO State Conference Saturday 17 - Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> August, more event info can be found here: <https://www.wacssso.wa.edu.au/training-events/wacssso-conference/>

7.2 Cancer Council Crunch n Sip Program - Great Vegie Crunch is on 9-13 September, more info can be found here: <http://www.crunchandsip.com.au/events/the-great-vegie-crunch-event/>

7.3 Cancer Council Sunsmart Program - team has had recent enquiries from schools for attendance at staff meetings, interesting for this type of enquiry but promising schools are thinking of us supporting their staff meetings.

7.4 Foodbank WA - ABC Radio Perth is hosting 'Foodbank Pop up Pantry' at Perth Airport base on Wednesday 21 August. Aim is to raise awareness of the issue of food insecurity and our education programs which help address this, and to encourage people to donate food items by either dropping off at ABC East Perth studio or pop into see the ABC radio team broadcasting live from Foodbank. We have a newly launched resource (Superhero Foods Handbook) now available to order from our website: [www.superherofoodhq.org.au](http://www.superherofoodhq.org.au)

7.5 Immunisation Alliance of WA - keen to spread word regarding the puppet show visiting schools, bookings under way for term 4, all information and contact details can be found on program flyer on 'Meetings' tab of WAHPSA website.

Meeting closed: 4:37pm.

Next meeting: This is the last official meeting for 2019. 2020 meeting dates to be advised in December 2019.

### WAHPSA 30 Year Celebration Event

Date: Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November

Venue: Bendat Parent & Community Centre, 36 Dodd Street, Wembley

Time: 8.00 - 10.00am