

**Minutes for the HTNA 2005 Annual General Meeting**  
**0905 hrs 18<sup>th</sup> August 2005**  
**Novotel St Kilda, Melbourne**

1. AGM opened by Christy Pirone at 0905hrs.
2. Apologies read: no apologies.
3. Members Present: see attachment Table A.
4. Proxies stated: see attachment Table B.
5. Minutes for previous meeting: Accepted by Dave King and seconded by Anne Sydes.

**6. Presidents Report by Christy Pirone**

Christy Pirone expressed thanks to the HTNA 2005 Melbourne organizing committee and all other units for their support throughout the year. Recap of 2004 Sydney HTNA meeting and our strengths and achievements. Christy announced that this would be the end of her term as president of the HTNA and her future move to working in the South Australian Health Department. She will continue as a member of the HTNA and with her involvement in HIMS. Christy recognizes to need to further develop HIMS and will continue to work with Steve Goble on this task. Christy referred to her volunteer role in the Graduate Certificate at the Adelaide University and the ongoing problem of decreased enrolments. She expresses a desire to hand over coordinator role, but is willing to keep going until such time as a replacement becomes available.

Christy wishes to thank everyone for their friendship and support since 1987.

**7. Secretary's Report by Czes Mucha**

Czes Mucha updates the membership regarding work done on the administration of the HTNA. This includes updated reports and streamlining processes. He states that these improvements have made it easier to retrieve information regarding the association. Czes acknowledged the role of the state representatives in keeping their own members up to date with all association news. Czes also acknowledged the healthy bank balance prior to conference expenses.

Christy Pirone acknowledged Czes Mucha's hard work during the last year as the secretary of the HTNA.

## **8. Treasurer's Report by Chris Craft**

Chris Craft reported the current membership as:

97 full members  
15 associate members  
12 corporate sponsors  
3 life members

Chris Craft referred to the financial report for the last two years (attached) and stated the balance was at \$56,000 prior to conference costs. Chris referred to various expenses throughout the year ie: IT equipment for the Editor Steve Goble and the addition of EFT ( external funds transfer ). EFTPOS has been negotiated at \$16/month rental with a reduced merchant fee of 2.6% on transactions ( \$26 per \$1000). This gives us instant approval and deposit of funds.

Chris acknowledged work done on the database, which has made this tool quicker and more efficient. These improvements include easy, instant generation of membership receipts.

## **9. Business arising from the previous minutes**

Item 11: Chat line update – C Mucha

Reference made to previous discussion regarding better communication forum required. One suggestion was web based. Czes looked into this matter and can report that it is expensive and time consuming to maintain. After looking into this mode of communication, it does not seem to make financial sense to the association. Czes acknowledged that our current system has the advantages of not having to log in and offers real time email. Czes expressed concern regarding email list not being updated and people not putting their email address on the registration form.

Dale O'Halloran noted that if anyone experiences any problems with the Chat line, please contact the Wesley Hyperbaric Unit in Brisbane.

Suggestion of need for unit email addresses to be printed on the Offgassing contact page. Steve Goble will look into fitting it into the current contact list. May need to replace fax no with email address or have inserted in next Offgassing.

Czes asked if all units could notify him with their generic email address.

**ACTION EDITOR AND TREASURER**

Item 18: Life Membership – Bob Ramsay

Czes Mucha noted poor response from Bob Ramsey's statement in OCT Offgassing and would like to republish in upcoming Offgassing. Attached to this will be a designated date for feedback and asked if the state representatives could collate all feedback from their members.

Bob Ramsay acknowledges that the HTNA have only one award, that being the Life Membership. Bob suggested that we need more awards and that Hyperbaric Health were willing to support two such awards. These would consist of a Technician award for excellence and a clinical award for excellence.

Christy Pirone acknowledged this offer and put it the membership.

VOTE: Yes from the membership

Christy Pirone noted that this is a lovely gesture.

**ACTION EXECUTIVE ( for further discussion )**

Item 19: Protocol standardization and development CI and accreditation – Anne Sydes

Clinical Indicators

Anne Sydes was asked to report on her work so far in the clinical indicators and protocol standardization. Anne informed the executive that she was never approached to do the protocol standardization. Anne presented her work that she has completed so far. She has five CI's :

1. Cessation of Treatment Due To Failure of Wound to Respond
2. Unplanned Interruption or Cessation of Treatment Due To Aural Barotrauma
3. Failure to Arrive
4. Failure to Arrive At the Prescribed Time, Requiring Rescheduling Of the Patient
5. Unplanned Interruption or Cessation of Treatment Due To Claustrophobia

Anne indicated that Marg Van Linden was assigned to assist her on this project (as per 2004 AGM) but Marg was unaware of this. Anne asked if anyone was interested in helping her. Michael Hammond volunteered to assist.

**ACTION ANNE SYDES AND MICHAEL HAMMOND**

### Protocol Standardization

Christy Pirone acknowledged that no work has been done on this subject yet. It will involve peer review and visits to other units. Christy asked for volunteers for this project. Steve Schinke to work on project.

**ACTION STEVE SCHINKE**

### Accreditation

Tom Workman spoke to membership about the importance of accreditation to the association. Of top priority is the development of an accreditation process and encouraged the HTNA to come together during the organization, development and execution of the this process. He stated that the HTNA will be pleased with the benefits gained from accreditation.

### Item 21: National Datasets/Databank – S Thurston – S Goble

Steve Goble gives Sue Thurston's apologies for being unable to attend. Sue has written an overview to update the membership regarding this subject. (See attachment letter). Steve gave a brief overview of the collection of the last two years of data and thanked all units for their prompt reply. Steve asked if there were any suggestions for changes to the database, and could the membership send such feedback to Sue Thurston

Christy Pirone asked if anybody was using the collected statistics and if we should include clinical indicators in the date collected.

Nil further discussion noted at this time.

### Item 22: HIMS. – Steve Goble

Steve Goble acknowledged the UHMS grant awarded last year and informed us that they are working towards developing HIMS online. This would include data collection, results and instant feedback. Steve identified problems regarding the new online system. He noted that some computer systems are unable to receive date due to lack of post open on the system. Some organizations are reluctant to open this port because it is the same one that hackers use.

## **REPORTS**

### 10a. Training Committee – Technical – Steve Goble

Steve Goble discussed the RTO (Registered Training Organization) and its allocation of a full time educator. To date, they are open for applications and have already received one. Dale O'Halloran referred to the application process and the long process involved in applying for RPL (recognized prior learning). Tom Workman stated that he would assist with contacts and the overview of the certification process. This will require reviewing courses to see if they meet guidelines.

**ACTION TRAINING COMMITTEE (TECHNICAL) AND TOM WORKMAN**

### 10b. Training Committee – Nursing – Frank Guerriero

Frank Guerriero updated the membership on the work of the committee. This includes a national database for nurses and a standard exam nationally. Frank has been working on the exam questions with the collection of all the exams nationwide. This has been developed into 13 categories and some gaps have been identified. To date there is 350 questions required to finish database.

Dwayne Cananzi asked if the exam is specific to monoplace or multiplace.

Frank stated that the exam will not be unit specific and that this assessment tool will be used to help measure if people have met the standard. Frank suggested that the software involved will be able to spit out an exam that is suited to your requirements and weighted appropriately. Frank asked if anyone would volunteer to help generate questions. Nick Murphy from Vaucluse hospital volunteered to assist. Christy acknowledged that more discussion is needed.

**ACTION FRANK GUERRIERO AND NICK MURPHY**

### 11. Standards Australia – P Atkinson – S Thurston

Peter Atkinson updated the membership regarding the policy for Australian Standards. The review period is 15 years and this time frame is the maximum for a valid standard. Regarding ANZHMG, Peter stated that the review process of this standard will commence shortly as they are awaiting Bob Wong to give data. Items of this standard will need to be addressed and the membership will be contacted when the ball gets rolling. Peter asked for anyone with concerns/questions to contact him or Sue Thurston.

**ACTION PETER ATKINSON AND SUE THURSTON**

## 12. Grants – Hyperbaric Health, Dan – Corry Van Den Broek – Carol Baines

Christy Pirone acknowledged the Hyperbaric Health/Dan research grant of \$20,000. Corry Van Den Broek, as the HTNA working party representative, updated the membership regarding this proposal. He acknowledged that it needs some fine tuning. Corry stated that the committee overseeing the grant will include 2 doctors, 2 nurses and 2 technicians. Everyone within the association will have access to the annual grant and it will be awarded at the HTNA conference. Corry will update the membership with further developments.

**ACTION HTNA WORKING PARTY AND EXECUTIVE**

## 13. NFPA Report – Peter Atkinson

Peter informed the membership that the new 2005 NFPA reports are out and available for purchase. Peter introduced Tom Workman, the outgoing president of the NFPA. Tom gave an overview of the NFPA to the membership. He extends an invitation to a HTNA representative to the meetings in the US, although he acknowledged that a physical presence is difficult, but stated that it is essential to the Association to have a presence at least once every three years. Tom encouraged the HTNA to make a commitment to attend and budget accordingly. He acknowledged that maintaining an involvement in an international body such as the NFPA will be good for the HTNA. Tom recommends purchasing the handbook rather than the standard itself, and informed the membership that the next edition is due out some time after 2008.

Christy Pirone stated the association will continue to strongly support the NFPA and continues to maintain representation. HTNA will need to budget for a representative to attend in 2007.

**ACTION EXECUTIVE**

#### 14. Executive reimbursements – Chris Craft.

Chris Craft noted the discussion recently on the executive conference call prior to the meeting regarding executive reimbursement and compensating them for time and effort. Discussion related to the financial burden imposed on the executive who are committed to attending 3 conferences.

Dale O'Halloran asked what budget have we got to play with?

Chris Craft noted that the income comes from the membership and sponsorships.

Czes Mucha informed the membership that this subject was not brought forward for discussion by the current executive. Czes noted that some emails after the teleconference referred to this and they can assure everyone that it was not the case. The executive were keen to encourage people to nominate for key roles and at that time there was no nominations. Czes noted that the exec would still be encouraged to obtain outside funds to help the association out financially. Czes raised concern regarding how many free registrations the HTNA was giving away at the present time.

Dave King noted that if you put your hand up to be in the executive, you are committing to three conferences.

Corry Van Den Broek recognized that paid registration is recognition of your role in an association, not a free registration for no work.

Christy Pirone stated that sponsorship has entitlements of free registrations and that maybe we need to review that as an association.

Czes Mucha stated that the association would not be giving money out but foregoing income.

David King stated that the \$600 figure was an amount put up because that was the cost of registration for this conference. If it was just put across as a free registration for the executive, it would not cost the association \$600.

David King proposed that the Executive receive registration to the conference.

Corry Van Den Linden seconded the motion

#### **Motion carried**

(Note – further discussion)

Christy Pirone stated we needed to clarify “full registration”

Natalie McGregor stated that the executive is a volunteer position in a not for profit organization and she has concerns regarding paying the executive. Nat also stated that some people who raised concerns after the email was sent out by the executive were not here today to give their opinion.

Christy Pirone acknowledged that there would be no payment, just recognition of the job – an honorary position.

Bob Ramsay stated he initially has some concerns but now, after the discussion, it is much clearer.

Dave King noted that the executive has the ability to make these decisions without broader consultation as noted in the constitution.

Christy Pirone asked if anyone had any opposition.

Show of hands – none opposed.

**Motion stands as carried**

**ACTION EXECUTIVE**

#### 15. Agenda items – Dwayne Cananzi

##### 15a. Conference organizing committee coordination

Dwayne Cananzi informed the membership that conference organizing committee needed to have more guidance and clear and precise guidelines. Dwayne queried the use of a checklist on CD Rom.

Christy Pirone stated this subject was discussed at executive level and agrees it is a good idea. Christy suggested that we pool all the wealth of knowledge gained over the years to put together a checklist to assist future conference organizers in the future.

David King asked if we need to allocate tasks at the AGM to help the committee.

These could include speaker's bios etc.

Christy Pirone asked for a volunteer to steer this proposal.

Dwayne Cananzi volunteered.

**ACTION DWAYNE CANANZI**

##### 15b. Dedicated email address for conference

Dwayne raised the subject of a dedicated email and the feedback has been positive.

Czes Mucha stated that he will look into extra emails as well.

**ACTION SECRETARY**

##### 15c. Financial support for HTNA representatives with external duties

Dwayne Cannanzi discussed the topic of funding representatives to attend national and international events. He stated that if we want to be taken seriously at a professional level then we have to be seen to be doing a good job on a physical level. It is vital that we support individuals who are representing us, the HTNA.

Christy Pirone informed the membership that the executive do budget and support these ventures.

Dwayne Cannanzi asked if we could factor that in to our projected budget.

**ACTION TREASURER**

#### 15d. Technical Training

Dwayne Cannanzi referred to the HTO committee report with review of certain training requirements.

Steve Goble discussed the grandfathering process and stated that if a tech has not been grandfathered, then they will have to be assessed on the HB modules. Steve informed the membership that if the assessment is done by their employer, then it is not adequate.

Dale O'Halloran stated if someone meets the pre-requisites, he will be eligible to do the course. Grandfathering was purely done to bridge the gap.

Steve Goble informed the membership that the Cert 4 is not mandatory but it will become a requirement due to a course being available. Steve stated that the RCC consists of \$20 per module - \$200 in total. The entire course is \$2000.

Dwayne asked if a list of trainers could be made available.

**ACTION EDITOR**

#### 16. Constitution Changes – Bob Ramsay

Item 5.2e – Bob Ramsay proposes that the constitution now read “state representative – one from each State and Territory”

Bob Ramsay stated that all states have one representative except QLD. He would like to correct the balance as 1 per facility or 1 per state. Bob stated he was concerned regarding the inequality that discriminates against other states.

Corry Van Den Broek asked if there actually is a problem that has been identified. He referred to the large amount of ground between both units in QLD. Corry also asked if we actually need more representatives.

Anne Sydes asked what the HTNA had to gain from losing one of the QLD representatives.

Bob Ramsay proposed to lose a QLD representative.

No-one seconded the motion

**Not carried**

Enclosure One. 1c

“The meeting will normally be hosted by a hyperbaric unit located in either a public or private hospital or military establishment in a major Australasian city. If two units are in close proximity to each other they may co-host the ASM”

Bob Ramsay states that the current constitution may discriminate against some units, and may also limit the choice of locations for meetings.

Christy Pirone stated that the wording did not have to change, but maybe our attitudes.

**Motion withdrawn**

Proposed changes to Hyperbaric Technicians and Nurses Association Constitution

**Item 3.4** – add subsection (i) the HTNA Committee of Management has responsibility for the administration of the Corporate membership and sponsorship. Changes can be made to Constitution item 3.2 and Enclosure one: item 9 without requiring Full membership vote

**Rationale** – to make changes to the sponsorship levels and structures requires a vote at AGM. If changes are accepted they will not apply until the end of financial year the following year. The costing for displays/stands etc as offered with each level of sponsorship can vary considerably between host units and the sponsorship levels need to reflect this and not necessarily be tied to the levels of the previous year.

**Discussion**

Christy Pirone stated that this subject was discussed at executive level and the executive will review sponsorship. The proposal is to give the executive the ability to decide on sponsorship issues.

Christy Pirone proposed the motion

Dale O’Halloran seconded the motion

Raise hands

**Motion carried**

**ACTION EXECUTIVE**

**Item 5.2** – add subsection (g) International

**Rationale** – we currently have a significant number of full and associate members in the USA. As well as a number from various European and African countries. Should we encourage more and have a contact. Item 11 in the constitution currently has state and overseas representatives as its heading so will not require changing.

**Discussion**

Christy Pirone identified that there is a significant number of overseas members and the question is raised as to should we encourage more and should we have an overseas contact.

David King asked if we have an international contact, will they be included in the teleconference.

Bob Ramsay asked if we are extending the executive.

Czes Mucha stated that it is important to encourage our international members and that someone is already active in the USA and keen to become more involved in the association.

Dale O'Halloran asked if they would have voting rights or will they be associate members.

David King asked if there was a negative and if there isn't, then there is no need for a vote.

Christy Pirone proposed motion to add additional State Rep.

Steve Schinke seconded the motion

**Motion carried.**

**ACTION EXECUTIVE**

**Item 10** – Treasurer. Add to end of subsection (a), and assist the Secretary in the maintenance of the membership data base.

**Rationale** – both the Secretary and the Treasurer have the description of collecting monies. The Treasurer could then make additions and changes to the data base when receiving membership dues. Current technology easily allows for sending updates for the database between the Secretary and the Treasurer if they are not in the same unit.

Czes Mucha proposed the motion

Frank Guerriero seconded the motion

**Motion carried.**

**ACTION EXECUTIVE**

**Appendix 2 Item 11 Add** – if no other member nominates for a position, the intervening period of one year can be waived

**Rationale** – the position needs to be filled and if the current member wishes to continue and no nominations are forthcoming, they should be able to continue.

Czes Mucha proposed the motion

Sharon Peut seconded the motion

**Motion carried**

**ACTION EXECUTIVE**

**Enclosure one Item 6 subsection (e)** to read. The penalty for registration cancellations prior to the conference will be calculated by the host unit and the management committee.

**Rationale** – the host unit and venues will have agreements in place for calculating cancellations etc. These will vary with time and location and the refund regime should reflect this.

Czes Mucha proposed the motion

Anne Sydes seconded the motion

**Motion carried**

**ACTION EXECUTIVE**

18. Review of entire constitution – Czes Mucha

Czes Mucha informed the membership that the constitution was in need of a “tidy up” and would benefit from a full review. Czes proposed to work together with executive and state reps to accomplish this and then vote.

Czes Mucha will contact all state representatives regarding this matter

**ACTION CZES MUCHA**

19. 2006 meeting – Michael Hammond

Michael Hammond informed the membership of next years conference details. Set in Townsville on the 24 – 26<sup>th</sup> August with an associated diving workshop. Venue is at the Jupitors Casino and the accommodation has been set at \$155 per room. Michael asked that people use the full name Hyperbaric, Technician and Nurses Association instead of HTNA, so that you can get the cheaper rate. Michael informed the membership that there will be handouts available at the conference.

## 20. Vote for 2007 Host Unit

Frank Guerriero expressed a wish for Adelaide to host the 2007 conference.

No other nominations forwarded

David King seconded motion

### **Motion carried**

Bob Ramsay asked if we can look further a field in the future (ie other than major cities ).

## 21. ANZHMG AGM – report from Dr David Smart

David Smart stated they were keen to invigorate the ANZHMG / HTNA communication paths. Some issues that were raised were the doctors difficulty in accessing the HTNA conference details. They asked if they could have a preliminary program sent out three months in advance to help with funding issues. David also asked if we could circulate a conference brochure via email to the College of Anaesthetists and the ANZHMG. They are keen to change their meeting time to the end of conference proceedings ie: Saturday afternoon due to midweek time constraints.

David raised a concern over the timing of the HTNA conference. He stated it would suit the Doctors better if it was a week later, but they are keen to participate in the meeting whatever time it is.

Christy Pirone acknowledged that the Doctors involvement in the HTNA is critical to the association and that we need to work more collaboratively together. She asked if we could have a regular Agenda item included in the AGM. ie: review from ANZHMG.

David Smart stated that participation will be enhance if different times are set for the two meetings.

### **ACTION EXECUTIVE**

## **Other Business**

### Nominations for Executive

Nomination for president – David King – no other nominations.  
President of the HTNA – David King

Nomination for Secretary – Sharon Peut – no other nominations  
Secretary of the HTNA – Sharon Peut

Nomination for Treasurer – Czes Mucha – no other nominations  
Treasurer of the HTNA – Czes Mucha

Position of Editor – Steve Goble

## **State Representatives**

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**Frank Guerriero** - (Royal Adelaide Hospital - South Australia)  
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Vote for New Zealand state representative. Two nominations: Basil Murphy ( current state rep ) and Steve Schinke. Basil not present. Steve gave the association a brief description of his work in hyperbaric medicine.

Vote for New Zealand state representative.

Show of hands – majority vote for Steve Schinke.

**Steve Schinke** - (Oxygen Therapy Unit NZ)  
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close of meeting at 12:15hrs

Table A

**Members Present**  
**HTNA Melbourne conference**  
**2005**  
**AGM**

(as per sign in sheet at AGM)

	Surname	First Name	Full member	associate
1	Atkinson	Peter	Y	
2	Axton	Paul	Y	
3	Bisaro	Peter	Y	
4	Bismire	Rodney	Y	
5	Busine	Cathy	Y	
6	Cananzi	Dwayne	Y	
7	Donnelly	Kathy	Y	
8	Guerriero	Frank	Y	
9	Hammond	Michael	Y	
10	Hanna	Elizabeth	Y	
11	Harrison	Gary	Y	
12	Houston	John	Y	
13	King	David	Y	
14	Laurence	Paul	Y	
15	Muir	Phillip	Y	
16	Mullins	Helen	Y	
17	O'Halloran	Dale	Y	
18	Paterson	Rebecca	Y	
19	Peut	Sharon	Y	
20	Schmidt	Robert	Y	
21	Shorthouse	Penelope	Y	
22	Sydes	Anne	Y	
23	Van Den Broek	Corry	Y	
24	Workman	Tom		Y
25	Schinke	Steve	Y	
26	Ramsay	Robert	Y	
27	Murphy	Nicholas	Y	
28	Williams	Liz	Y	
29	Inglis	Sandy	Y	
30	Bingham	Gordon	Y	
31	Bray	Greg	Y	
32	Mucha	Czes	Y	
33	Pirone	Christy	Y	
34	Goble	Steve	Y	

**Table B**

**Proxy votes**

**HTNA Melbourne conference  
2005  
AGM**

<b>Member present</b>	<b>Proxy vote</b>
Corey Van Den Broek	Carol Baines Bebe Brown Margaret Clark Merryl Davey Darren Lacey Phillipa Rice Stephen Watchorn
Sharon Peut	Sue Banks Katrina Smith Margaret Ziebell
David King	Sue Cramer Marcia McCullough
Anne Sydes	Jennie Harvey Rosari Nunn Kerry Smith
Michael Hammond	Jill Hergott John Mackay Vanessa Mee
Dale O'Halloran	Deborah Seamark
Steve Schinke	Heather McDonald

Sue Thurston – HTNA Data Collection  
(overview written by Sue Thurston – absent from HTNA AGM)

I believe that its to our benefit to have a snapshot of what everyone is doing with HBOT in Australia and New Zealand and that is why I put my hand up last year to be involved with this.

As we all know, we were asked to submit a set of statistics for the UHMS/HTNA Conference May 2004. These were from Jan to Dec 2003 so were not in sequence with our previous records. So this year, I asked if two years worth of data could be collected so we have a more complete data bank.

As mentioned previously, there has been another push to have all patient treatment statistics standardized Australia wide, as has been mooted for many years. I suggest that we continue with this brief overview of national data and for it to continue to be published in our ASM Abstract Book.

I would like to thank everyone who contributed their data. I was really impressed how everyone contributed so willingly!! It made this job very easy and of course have to mention Slark Hyperbaric in NZ, who got the Guernsey for being first to send their data. (has Helen Mullins and Liz Williams bought you that drink yet ?)

Just a few thoughts on these statistics:

- I am happy to continue to be the collector of this data
- What about the data ? I did attempt to make it more aligned with the SIG's recommended list. Any suggestion for change?
- Should we simply just have what Medicare recommends?
- Added things like >3ATA treatments and ventilated patient treatments. Any other activities of interest that might be added?
- Should we have more of a breakdown of Radiation injuries e.g. Xerostomia, Radiation Cystitis, Radiation Proctitis and even differences between fistula's and non-healing irradiated wounds ?
- Are there any other changes suggested?

Thank you again for everyone's assistance with our data collection  
Cheers

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