

**South African Defensive Pistol Association  
Minutes of the SADPA ExCo meeting held in Randburg on 08 May 2007**

**Present:**

Nigel Hulleman	Director: Safety & Training
Francois de Klerk	Director: Matches & Competitions
Anton du Plooy	Secretary
Tim Stewart	Director: Administration
Deon van Vuuren	Director: Club Development
Du Toit Lambrecht	Director: Marketing & Sponsorships

**Apologies:**

Deon Storm	Area Coordinator
Marge Hulleman	Treasurer

**1. OPENING**

AdP welcomed everybody to the meeting.

**2. CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**

The minutes of the previous ExCo meeting and the AGM were accepted as correct.

**3. MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES**

**DSS application process**

It is agreed that the current DSS application process is sufficient.

AdP is tasked to flag all members on the admin system that have already received their DSS. AdP

**Marketing material**

SADPA flyers to be reprinted and distributed. This process to be finalised as soon as possible. Gordon du Plessis must be approached for possible printing of the flyers. DTL

**4. FINALISING OF AGENDA**

The agenda for the meeting was finalised.

**5. GENERAL EXCO MATTERS**

None

## 6. PORTFOLIO FEEDBACK

### 6.1 Secretary

#### DSS applications

The following DSS applications were approved by the committee:

- Marko Ilic
- Theuns Grobler
- Leonie Myburgh
- Cameron Howie
- Johannes Jakobus Grobler
- Mike Taggart
- Tim Stewart
- Henk Benadé
- Juan Erasmus
- Daan Erasmus

#### SAGA membership

It was communicated to the meeting that SAGA membership will be renewed during May 2007. AdP

### 6.2 Marketing & Sponsorships / Chairman

#### TDQ

Sponsors must be sourced for the TDQ. R150/R200 for each publication. DTL/All  
Four issues a year  
Everybody to contribute.  
To be created and distributed as soon as possible.

### 6.3 Area Coordinator

None.

### 6.4 Club Development

#### Club starter program

Work on this has started. DvV  
DvV was tasked to round robin the current draft.  
SADPA could contribute to the first shoot of a new club.  
Sponsors could be approached.

#### Club development

Spectators should be approached by all members to make them part of the sport. DvV  
Clubs must be encouraged to designate an experienced shooter to talk to spectators.

#### Port Elizabeth club

TS was given the approval to pitch IDPA to this club. TS

## 6.5 Matches & Competitions

### 2007 IDPA Africa championships

The African champs will take place on the weekend of 30 June / 1 July and hosted by CDPC at the Eeufees shooting range. Arrangements for the event are on track, with an excellent job being done by the champs planning committee.

### Postal shoot

The deadline for the postal shoot has been extended to 30 September 2007 in order to give the clubs more time to shoot it. FdeK to communicate to the members. FdeK

Participation and winner certificates will be issued. FdeK

### Witbank league

The Witbank league took place on Sunday 22 April 2007. AdP commented on an excellent event. AdP's expenses for this shoot was approved.

### CDPC league

The CDPC league is scheduled for Saturday 12 May 2007 at the Eeufees shooting range.

## 6.6 Safety & Training

### Shortage of Safety Officers

An SO course will be presented on 26/27 May 2007 in Johannesburg. NH

### SO training in Cape Town

Half of NH's costs were approved by the ExCo.

## 6.7 Treasurer

### SADPA account status

Due to MH's absence, the current statuses' of the SADPA accounts were not communicated to the meeting.

### SADPA assisting with SO's at champs

It was approved that SADPA will contribute R500 per vehicle of four participants for outside clubs to send SO's to the champs. NH

### SADPA medals

It was approved in principle that a standard medal must be awarded at league matches. NH was tasked to run with this. NH

## 6.8 Administration

### Club access to Yahoo Groups

It was decided that clubs chairs will not have direct access to YahooGroups, as this function is and will remain the main communication tool of the ExCo. AdP

**Webpage updates**

TS is in the process of renewing the website.

TS

TS was tasked to investigate moving hosting companies to a site within South Africa.

**7. GENERAL****Sunday shooting**

It was noted that this is a club related matter.

Clubs are to be encouraged to host shoots on Sundays (if possible).

The availability of SO's and range criteria might be issues for clubs to overcome.

**2 day leagues**

This issue is related to shooting on Sundays. The same criteria as shown above apply.

**Proxies at AGM**

The ExCo believes that the use of proxies is an international accepted practise and should be continued. However, it was recommended that for the next AGM the use of a blanket proxy be changed to that of a proxy with instruction. This implies that the proxy giver will have a say on the election of ExCo members and any other item that is known before the AGM, but must still trust the proxy recipient with any other issue where voting might be required that were raised during the AGM.

**8. NEXT MEETING**

The next ExCo meeting will take place on 24 July 2007 at the ACI office in Craighall.