

## Minutes of the general meeting of SA Superannuants

held on 29 October 2018 at Pilgrim Centre 12 Flinders St Adelaide

The meeting opened at 1pm

1. **Welcome** The President welcomed members and commented on the fine turnout. He also introduced a new member, Jim Lyster.

2. **Action taken by the committee since the last meeting**

2.1` We have three proofreaders, David Donaldson, Brian Burt and Wayne Gilbertson  
Are there any more members who could offer their services?

2.2 The University of Newcastle is conducting a study on ageing in Australian and is looking for participants. Please see Max for the form.

2.3 In *Boomer* the CEO of Resthaven wrote an article regarding aged care packages. He has granted us permission to reprint it but will update it. Resthaven offer a free service for people downsizing to an aged care facility.

2.4SCOA is folding in June 2019. We will have to change our constitution if we wish to admit them as members. SCOA has about 2000 members. The President and Secretary are attending our November committee meeting.

2.5 We are endeavouring to contact the Nurses' Federation without luck.

2.6 We are sending a letter to the SA Treasurer requesting a meeting.

2.7 This morning we met with Sen Fawcett's Chief of Staff about our ideas for people older than 65 yrs to put money into superannuation rather than a bank. The president asked Ray to address the meeting. Ray Hickman gave a brief rundown. Another aspect discussed was that super income and other income be taxed separately.

2.8 Superannuation Federation

The other affiliates are resisting the federation to be incorporated.

2.9 The President asked Joe Frank to address the meeting. He said the Commonwealth Bank sent out our cheques but he found the findings of the Banking Royal Commission at odds.

3. **Guest Speaker**

Ian Beckingham introduced Denise O'Connor from the Arthritis Foundation. At the conclusion of her talk Ian presented her with a cheque.

The meeting finished at 2.20pm

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President 26/11/18