

Schedule of By-laws February 2019

1. Any Member may have mail directed to the Club post box where the correspondence relates to the subject matter set out within the Constitution. The Club post box may not be used for the purpose of receiving other personal mail such as bills, any periodicals or non club activity related correspondence. Members who are observed to be abusing this privilege will be informed in writing by the committee of the withdrawal of the members' post box use; thereafter all mail to that member will be returned to sender as "not known this address". The Committees' decision will be final in this regard. An example of the approved use of the Club post box would be the receiving of Amateur Radio licence applications or renewals, QSL cards and radio, communications or electronics related correspondence.

2.. Any Member or visitor found to be using profane, foul or abusive language in any context whatsoever, such as swearing in any context, will be subject to the provisions within the Constitution section "Cessation of Membership" clause 4. In brief, the Committee may move to expel the Member from the Club.

3. Protection for children and the Club.

All club members are required to hold a current Working With Children certificate when attending club activities where children may be present. e.g., Scouting events, public events and foundation classes. The WWC shall also be recorded in the clubs member register.

4, Access to Cataract Scout Park Amateur Radio Premises.

Guidelines for use of Radio Shack at Cataract Scout Park (See attached document from Scouts Association)

All club members are required to have a current Working With Children certificate lodged with the Scout Association and an access code for the main gate.

Access to the Amateur Radio Premises (ARP) is controlled by three sets of keys which are held in the possession of the committee.

A master set of keys is held by Scouting Australia (SA) at Cataract Scout Park (CSP).

Access to the ARP will be recorded and a report of all access provided to Scouting Australia and to FGARC for inclusion in FGARC minutes.

Fishers Ghost Amateur Radio Club INC (FGARC) has the responsibility to:

1. Maintain the equipment provided by Scouting Australia, by FGARC, and equipment supplied by donation.
2. Provide personnel to operate equipment for Jamboree of the Air (JOTA) each year, or any other Scouting event.
3. Assist any Scout in their endeavours to become an Amateur Radio Operator
4. 14 days' notice is to be given to CSP administration and camp fee paid along with scout form Booking Request, HS-35 (Jan 13) Safe Operating Procedure and for working bees HS-40 (Jan 2013) WH&S Working Bee Planner and HS-8.2 (Jan 13) Scoutsafe Job Safety Analysis/Risk Planner. Note where a working bee does not involve operating radios the camp fee is waived.

Refer to Guide lines for use of radio shack at cataract scout park 2014.

5.

OBJECTIVE: To Clarify the Constitution in regards to the reinstatement of membership after non-payment of fees.

Part 2 Paragraph(s) 8 of the Constitution stipulates that the fees are due before the 1st of January and that the membership ceases three calendar months after the due date if the fee is not paid. This means any member who has not paid by the 1st of April shall be deemed to be a non- member, and in accordance with Part 2 paragraph 4(d) and will need to re-apply to the committee for re-election at the next available ordinary meeting.

ACTION:

Any non-member, whether a previous member or not must apply to the Club Committee to become a member and must wait until their application is accepted at the next ordinary meeting before they can avail themselves of any benefits of Club Membership.

END OF BY-LAWS