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| Meeting l'imetable | | | |
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| Mitchelton Library Helios Parade Mitchelton | | | |
| 9:30am | Q&A | John Tacey | |
| 11pm | Can we get Win 11 on an old computer? | Fred | |
| 1:00pm | Lunch Report to the Club | Keith | |

If you have a question that may need a bit of a look up, let me know before the meeting

Presentation can be done using Power Point and shared screens.

Linux Ubuntu Mate Workshop



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CLUB NOTICES

Notice is given for the Club's AGM to be held on the 18th of September

All positions are open for nomination

Nomination forms will be in the August edition of the magazine or from the Secretary.

CLUB INFORMATION LINES

Info Line (07) 3353 3121

The Members' Web Page

Meeting Days

18 August 2024 22 September 2024 20 October 2024 17 November 2024 22 December 2024

Magazine

Editor Chris Haydock

Proof-reader John Tacey

Submission Deadline

Friday 6 September 2024

Please use e-mail if possible

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From the

President's CPU

Keith Catts — President

Hi All,

Hope you have a good meeting this month I will be away on the day so won't be joining you.

We are ready for the AGM which will be held at the 15th September Meeting. Get your nomination in.

Fred's presentation has shown a way to load Windows 11 on old computers. I have tried it and found it put Windows 11 on but looks like it did not update and get the latest build. I probably did the auto unattended install wrong. I did try the Rufus method done when building the install USB using Rufus to using an ISO file. The option to bypass the hardware issue selected and then run.

It loaded Windows 11 and it looks like it upgraded. But it was otherwise a standard process and all the questions and bloat ran as usual. Still checking over time for any "stop" to it updating.

Bit of a squash with me away at the week before so have dropped the APCUG articles so I can get this up online in next couple of days.

All for now
See you at the meeting

Keith

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BSB·No: · · 034 - 083 Account · No: · 185711

Remember to enter your name and membership number in the comment field

Reports

Presentation and Education

Presentation:

Morning 11am. Can we get Win 11 on an old computer?

After Afternoon 1pm: Linux Ubuntu Mate workshop

Membership Report - Gary Woodforth

We had 8 members at the June meeting.

Note: due to my time away I have put in the Financial before Ross can give the accurate figure. With our history of 1cent from bank interest and no expenses this result should be right.

A verified result will be given at the meeting by Ross and adjusted if necessary in the next magazine.

Keith.

Treasurer's Report

July 2024

2145.50

| Opening Balance at 01/7/24 | 2145.49 | |
|----------------------------|---------|--|
| Income | | |
| Bank Interest | 0.01 | |
| Total Income | 0.01 | |
| | | |
| | | |
| Total Expenses | 0.00 | |
| Month's gain | 0.01 | |

Ross Skyring

Balance at 31/7/24

Treasurer

BRISBUG PC USERS GROUP INC

NOMINATION

Nominations are called for the following positions comprising the Committee of Management of the Brisbug PC Users Group Inc. for financial year 2024/2025.

President Secretary Treasurer

- Nominations must be on the Nomination Form available from this Newsletter (Page 14) or from the Secretary.
- ❖ Nominations must be lodged with the Secretary at least 14 days prior to the AGM.
- The nomination Form is on page 19 of this magazine.



John's Jots

Q&A - July meeting

Car Theft + Technology

With the introduction of Convenience Features to new cars, these can provide security vulnerabilities.

The file - , Courtesy of the West Midlands Police - shows how vehicles with the keyless access facility can be stolen with ease.

https://abcnews.go.com/International/high-tech-carrobbery-caught-tape-uk/story?id=51432787

Right click on the video in the frame in the lower right corner of the screen and select Full Screen.

A web search with the string MODERN +VEHICLE +THEFT +USING +TECHNOLOGY' yields a list of references to what is happening in this field.

USB Cable Strain Relief

E-mail Client Change for MS Mail Server requiring additional security.

Update your sign-in technology before September 16th, 2024 to maintain email access.

From e-mail:-

The safety and security of your information is top priority for Microsoft. To help keep your account secure, Microsoft will no longer support the use of third-party email and calendar apps which ask you to sign in with only your Microsoft Account username and password. To keep you safe you will need to use a mail or calendar app which supports Microsoft's modern authentication methods. If you do not act, your third-party email apps will no longer be able to access your Outlook.com, Hotmail or Live.com email address on September 16th.

What do you need to do?

If you are receiving this email, you are currently using an email or calendar app that uses a less secure authentication method to connect to your Outlook.com email account. You will need to upgrade your thirdparty mail and calendar app to a version which supports modern authentication methods.

Microsoft provides free versions of Outlook for your PC, Mac, iOS, and Android devices which can be easily downloaded and connect to your email account. Using an updated version of an Outlook application will ensure you are connecting in the most secure way.

How can you set up your Gmail, Apple Mail, or other third-party mail application?

Various non-Microsoft applications will have their own steps for connecting to your Outlook.com email account using modern authentication methods. See our help article - Modern Authentication Methods now needed to continue syncing Outlook Email in non-Microsoft email apps. However, you may need to contact the creators of those applications to provide you with instructions. In many cases, simply removing and re-adding your account with the latest version of that application will configure it to use modern authentication methods.

URL:

https://support.microsoft.com/en-gb/office/modern-authentication-methods-now-needed-to-continue-syncing-outlook-email-in-non-microsoft-email-apps-c5d65390-9676-4763-b41f-d7986499a90d

Improving Security - Together

URL:

https://techcommunity.microsoft.com/t5/exchange-team-blog/improving-security-together/ba-p/805892

I would expect that Web Mail access is not affected.

Note: This record of the Q&A session topics relies on my biological volatile memory (a.k.a. the 'forgettory').

Gleanings from e-newsletters and other sources.

Reviews

'Strix Point' First Tests: AMD Ryzen AI 300 Laptop Chip Flexes Real CPU, NPU Chops

By Brian Westover Jul 28, 2024

In the next leg of the ongoing AI race, AMD comes to compete with its Ryzen AI 9 HX 370, seen first in the Asus Zenbook S 16 laptop. We put it through its first benchmark workout this week.

https://au.pcmag.com/laptops/106506/strix-point-first-tests-amd-ryzen-ai-300-laptop-chip-flexes-real-cpu-npu-chops

How to Save the Most Money on Printer Ink

By M. David Stone Jul 27, 2024

Whether you print a lot or a little, it pays to explore bulk-ink and subscription programs like HP Instant Ink. We walk you through the options and compare them side by side.

https://au.pcmag.com/printers/50862/how-to-save-money-with-hp-instant-ink-and-other-low-cost-printer-ink-programs

The Best Encryption Software for 2024

By Neil J. Rubenking Jul 30, 2024

Just because you have antivirus software installed on your PC doesn't mean a zero-day Trojan can't steal your personal data. The top encryption software keeps you safe from malware (and the NSA).

https://au.pcmag.com/encryption/43284/the-best-encryption-software-for-2020

SSD vs. HDD: What's the Difference?

By Tom Brant July 26, 2024

Solid-state drives have replaced hard disk drives as the storage of choice in just about all new PCs, but some

situations still call for old-school platter drives. Here's how to decide which is best for your needs.

https://www.pcmag.com/comparisons/ssd-vs-hdd-whats-the-

difference?utm_source=email&utm_campaign=whatsn ewnow&zdee=gAAAAABjNL8ST42180nl07cPB3qfR Ui6ntgUgOTESELeSDlZFhs8z4qnmoLs_AknqwLVh ZpQWW_ldjjcVkNAoSBZ5eIt2gM0-

Tu64aKwciwXzXGx5QU6ZfE%3D S

New Releases

Adobe Air

License: Freeware
File name: 51.0.1.3

File Size: 5.90 MB O/S: Windows

Publisher: Adobe Systems Inc URL: http://www.adobe.com

Essential PIM 12.0.4

License: Free

File name: Essential PIM.exe

File Size: 68.9 MB O/S: Windows

Publisher:

URL: https://www.essentialpim.com/pc-version

Glary Utilities 6

License: Freeware Release Date:

File Name: Glary_Utilities_v 6.13.0.17.exe

File Size: 26.49 MB

Platform: Windows 8, 7, 2000, XP, Vista. 32/64bit

version.

Publisher: Glarysoft Ltd

Languages: 44 Languages [Help Translate]

URL: http://www.glaryutilities.com/

Release Notes:

Optimized Disk Cleaner: added support for 'Corel VideoStudio Pro x9' and 'SketchUp Make 2014'

Optimized Tracks Eraser: added support for 'Corel VideoStudio Pro x9' and 'SketchUp Make 2014'

Optimized Software Update: optimized the version comparison algorithm, and increase the comparison speed by 30%

Optimized Empty Folders Finder: add folder delete validation to prevent accidentally deletion of non-empty folder

Minor GUI improvements

Minor bug fixes

Glary Utilities is a freeware with registry and disk cleaning, privacy protection, performance accelerator and amazing multifunctional tools. It can fix dogged registry errors, wipe off clutters, optimise Internet speed, safeguard confidential files and maintain maximum performance.

It is designed for both novice and professionals. User-friendly interface shows clear & detailed directions. For novice, all work can be done with just 1 or 2 clicks, while for professionals, abundant options are available.

Key features:

Optimise, clean and boost the speed of your Windows.

Protect your privacy and security. Block spyware, trojans, adware, etc.

Fix certain application errors.

Simple, fast and user friendly interface.

For private use only.

URL: http://www.glaryutilities.com/ Google Chrome (32bit) 27.0.6533.89

License: Freeware

File name: ChromeSetup.exe

File Size: 100.73 MB O/S: Windows

Publisher: Google

URL: https://www.google.com/chrome/

Java Runtime Environment (32bit)

License: Freeware

File

name:Java_Runtime_Environment_(32bit)_v8.0.4110.

9.exe

File Size: 59.46 MB O/S: Windows

Publisher: Oracle

URL: http://www.java.com/

Keepass

License: Freeware

File name: Keepass-2.57-Setup.exe

File Size: 4.20 MB O/S: Linux, Windows

Publisher: Dominik Reichl
URL: https://keepass.info /
Java Runtime Environment (32bit)

License: Freeware

File name: Java_Runtime_Environment_(32bit)_v8.0.4110.9.exe

File Size: 59.46 MB O/S: Windows Publisher: Oracle

URL: http://www.java.com/

KeePass

Category: Password Manager

License: Freeware

File name: KeePass 2.57 Setup.exe

File Size: 4.20 MB O/S: Windows Vista to 10

Publisher: Dominik Reichl

URL: https://keepass.info/download.html

LibreOffice

License: Freeware

File name: LibreOffice_7.6.7_Win_x86.msi
File Size: 325MB O/S: Windows
Publisher: The Document Foundation
Comments: Contains the functions:-

Writer PDF

Presentation Spreadsheet

URL:

 $\frac{https://mirror.freedif.org/TDF/libreoffice/stable/6.2.0/}{win/x86/LibreOffice_6.2.0_Win_x86.msi}$

Mozilla Firefox

License: Freeware

File name: Mozilla_Firefox_(32bit)_v128.0.3.exe

Update

File Size: 59.83 MB O/S: Windows 7 to 10

Publisher: Mozilla Corporation

Comments:-

To force a manual update:-

Menu Button > ? Button > 'About Firefox'

URL: https://www.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/new/

Mozilla Thunderbird

License: Freeware

File name: Thunderbird Setup 128.0.1(GB).exe

File Size: 60.68 MB O/S: Windows XP SP2 to

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Publisher: Mozilla Corporation

URL: http://www.mozilla.org/en-GB/thunderbird/

NotePad++ (32bit) License: Freeware

File name: NotePad_v8.6.9.exe

File Size: 6.09 MB O/S: Windows

Publisher: Notepad++

URL: https://notepad-plus-plus.org/

PDFCreator

License: Freeware

File name: PDFCreator_v5.2.2.exe

File Size: 42.11 MB

O/S: Windows Publisher: pdfforge
URL: https://www.pdfforge.org/
Want more? See the New Releases list:

http://ct.com.com/

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Tips etc.

These Are the Services Seeing the Biggest Uptick in Passkey Adoption

By Rob Pegoraro Jul 30, 2024

Password manager Dashlane reports that more than one in five of its active users has at least one passkey saved, with Amazon seeing the biggest authentication spike in the last three months.

https://au.pcmag.com/password-

managers/106534/these-are-the-services-seeing-the-biggest-uptick-in-passkey-adoption The Best Hosted Endpoint Protection and Security Software

With more and more companies embracing hybrid work and BYOD, the endpoint threat landscape is more complicated than ever, Endpoint protection systems are evolving to meet the task, and we tested the leading players to see which are the best options for securing your business.

Daniel Brame

by Daniel Brame Jan 14, 2022

10 Essential Apps for Ironclad Online Privacy

By Neil J. Rubenking Feb 06, 2024

Sidestepping online trackers and protecting your personal information might seem like a hopeless task, but these top privacy apps can really make a difference.

https://au.pcmag.com/security/103540/10-essential-apps-for-ironclad-online-privacy

The Best Hosted Endpoint Protection and Security Software

By Daniel Brame Jan 14, 2022

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https://au.pcmag.com/cloud-services-1/37825/the-best-hosted-endpoint-protection-and-security-software-for-2020

Security Firm Discovers Remote Worker Is Really a North Korean Hacker

By Michael Kan Jul 24, 2024

Security awareness company KnowBe4 noticed something was fishy when the employee's companyissued Mac began loading malware.

https://au.pcmag.com/security/106436/security-firm-discovers-remote-worker-is-really-a-north-korean-hacker

EU Data Protection Watchdog 'Surprised' by X Using Public Tweets to Train Grok

By Joe Hindy Jul 30, 2024

Ireland's Data Protection Commission was in talks with X for months to ensure Grok's AI training wouldn't violate any EU privacy laws. Then X flipped the switch without warning.

https://au.pcmag.com/ai/106527/eu-data-protection-watchdog-surprised-by-x-using-public-tweets-to-traingrok

Elon Musk Responds to Gov. Newsom on VP Harris Deepfake: 'Suggon Deeznutz'

By Michael Kan Jul 30, 2024

Musk argues that the video he shared of presidential candidate Kamala Harris, which features an AI-generated voice saying things she never said, is fair game because it's a parody.

https://au.pcmag.com/ai/106526/elon-musk-responds-to-gov-newsom-on-vp-harris-deepfake-suggon-deeznutz

Qualcomm's Snapdragon 4s Gen 2 Chip Promises Faster 5G for Cheaper Phones

By Eric Zeman Jul 30, 2024

The latest mobile processor from Qualcomm aims to bring faster 5G, improved cameras, and more powerful entertainment features to low-cost phones.

https://au.pcmag.com/mobile-phones/106532/qualcomms-snapdragon-4s-gen-2-chip-promises-faster-5g-for-cheaper-phones

5 Ways Copilot+ PCs Solve the Biggest Problems With AI PCs

By Chris Hoffman May 24, 2024

Microsoft and PC makers finally give us real reasons to buy AI laptops.

https://au.pcmag.com/laptops/105376/5-ways-copilot-pcs-solve-the-biggest-problems-with-ai-pcs

Microsoft, CrowdStrike May Face Lawsuit From Delta Over IT Outage

By Kate Irwin Jul 30, 2024

Delta's reliance on Microsoft and CrowdStrike reportedly cost the US airline an estimated \$350 million to \$500 million. Now, Delta is seeking legal counsel.

https://au.pcmag.com/migrated-15175-windows-10/106533/microsoft-crowdstrike-may-face-lawsuitfrom-delta-over-it-outage

Tesla Recalls Nearly 2 Million Cars After Software Fails to Detect Open Hoods

By Kate Irwin Jul 31, 2024

Tesla issues an over-the-air fix for vehicles, including the Model Y, Model 3, Model S, and Model X, because their software may not notify drivers if the front hood isn't fully closed.

https://au.pcmag.com/cars-auto/106535/tesla-recalls-nearly-2-million-cars-after-software-fails-to-detect-open-hoods

Microsoft Spots Ransomware Groups Abusing Zero-Day Flaw

By Michael Kan Jul 31, 2024

The flaw affects VMware's ESXi hypervisor product, enabling high-profile ransomware gangs to steal data from virtual machines and encrypt them.

https://au.pcmag.com/security/106537/microsoft-spots-ransomware-groups-abusing-zero-day-flaw

How to Tell if Your Phone Is Being Tapped (and What to Do About It)

By John Bogna Jul 30, 2024

Haver you been infected by spyware? Occasional wonkiness on your phone is to be expected, but these glitches can be a sign of something more nefarious. Here's what to look out for.

https://au.pcmag.com/security/100696/how-to-tell-if-your-phone-is-being-tapped-and-what-to-do-about-it

Can My PC Run Windows 11?

By Tom Brant Jun 08, 2024

Looking to upgrade from Windows 10? Here's how to figure out if your current PC will support Windows 11 and what you need to do—including enabling your TPM—to install Microsoft's latest operating system.

https://au.pcmag.com/operating-systems/88101/canmy-pc-run-windows-11

Microsoft Reveals More Details About Windows CrowdStrike Crash

By Kate Irwin Jul 29, 2024

Microsoft acknowledges the inherent 'tradeoff' kernellevel cybersecurity solutions pose and confirms the root cause of the global outage.

https://au.pcmag.com/migrated-15175-windows-10/106514/microsoft-reveals-more-details-about-windows-crowdstrike-crash

Senators: Your Driving Data May Have Been Sold For as Little as 26 Cents

By Rob Pegoraro Jul 27, 2024

A report from Sens. Markey and Wyden document how GM, Honda, and Hyundai used dark-pattern interfaces to collect data and market it to data brokers.

https://au.pcmag.com/cars-auto/106490/senators-your-driving-data-may-have-been-sold-for-as-little-as-26-cents

Here Endeth John's Jots

APCUG ARTICLES

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No articles this month due to time limited to get done and online.

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NOMINATION FORM

| Please return completed form to "" | The General Secretary'' | at the above add | lress |
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| NOTE: Persons nominating for a position who have Management Committee Meeting shall be deemed to should they be elected to the position for which the | o have had their application | | |
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| SECONDER | | | |

Minutes of Brisbug PC User Group Inc

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

held at

Mitchelton Library, 37 Heliopolis Parade, Mitchelton QLD 4053 17 September 2023

1. President's Opening Remarks

The President, Keith Catts opened the meeting at 11:30 pm, and welcomed all those present.

2. Attendance

Attendance was as per the attendance register, 10 members. A Quorum was present.

Apologies: - Fred Stratford, Klaus Querengasser

3. Minutes of the Previous meetings:

The minutes of the Annual General Meeting 2022; advised that those minutes had been published in the August and September edition of the Club's magazine.

It was moved by G Woodforth and seconded by I Arney that the minutes of the Annual General Meeting of 18 September 2022, as published in the Club's magazine in August & September 2023 be taken as read and confirmed as a true record of the meeting. Carried.

4. Business arising from the minutes

There was no business arising from the minutes.

5. Correspondence

Correspondence Inwards has been received as follows:

Office of Fair Trading

The usual form has been received from the Office of Fair Trading to be completed after the Annual General Meeting.

Correspondence Outwards

Application to the Mitchelton Library for use of the room through next year.

6. President's Report

Keith Catts advised that his report was published in the magazine and he confirmed another successful year at the library. Keith thanked members for their support during the year.

The report is repeated here.

President's Report for 2022-2023

Another year has passed and the club has 14 members and average 10 members attending each meeting.

We were grateful for the use of the Mitchelton Library meeting room with its excellent facilities.

I wish to give my thanks to the members of the committee for their continued service to the club in keeping it active and meeting the Association requirements.

Also my thanks to John Tracey for his continued leading of the Q&A sessions and the time and effort he puts in for "John' Jots" in the magazine, a lot of useful information and links to further detail on the information he provides. Thanks to Chris Haydock for continuing on with editing the magazine. Both these are valuable contact with members.

This year we explored the alternatives for Microsoft Windows and Office. With the increasing minimum specifications for Windows OS making many computer obsolete and the new to buy a later product, the question was asked, Do We Need Windows? And again Do We Need Office.

In reality most of us do not need the Microsoft at the costs now being imposed. Determined that Linux was now suitable for many of us and its "window's like" presentation was more than a suitable replacement and the cost is Free. We found at least 3 alternative "office" offering that were compatible to read and save files from Microsoft Office so able to work with files from other sources that are MS Office users creations.

I personally look forward to our meetings for what I can pick up and where I can assistance with some computer issues.

Without a doubt the area is becoming more and more crowded with ever expanding apps and what they can do, together with the increasingly sophisticated ways we are at risk from intrusions attempts on our computers and other devices, and now AI is "among us".

I hope you as members enjoy the meetings and from time to time find new ways the use the computer or to increase your knowledge and skills.

Join me in the coming year for a continuing examination of the changes in technology and its impacts. Regards Keith

Treasurer's Report

Ross Skyring presented the Treasurers report for the year of 2022/2023.

The Financial Statement setting out the financial activities for the year is included in the September magazine, and will form part of the Annual Return of Association to Office of Fair Trading.

R Skyring moved that the Financial Report be accepted and passed as a true record of the Club's financial transactions for the year. Seconded by B Bailey:- Passed and carried.

The treasurers Report is repeated here.

Financial Statement for Brisbug PC User Group Inc. Financial year 1st July 2021 to 30th June 2022

Profit and Loss statement

| INCOME | 2023 | 2022 | 2021 |
|--------------------------------|---------|----------|----------|
| Member's renewal subs | 0.00 | 420.00 | 480.00 |
| New member's subscriptions | 0.00 | 0.00 | 120.00 |
| Raffle | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Canteen | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Interest | 0.12 | 0.12 | 0.00 |
| Equipment | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.73 |
| Total Income | 0.12 | 420.12 | 600.73 |
| | | | |
| EXPENSES | | | |
| Bankfees and charges | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Canteen / Xmas | 40.12 | 26.50 | 41.81 |
| Subscriptions (APCUG) | 78.03 | 73.14 | 70.41 |
| Equipment | 57.45 | 120.00 | 55.83 |
| Dept of Fair Trading | 58.60 | 57.60 | 56.60 |
| Hire of hall | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Internet expenses | 139.86 | 0.00 | 27.50 |
| Insurance | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Membership expenses | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Printing and stationary | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Raffle | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Other | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| TOTAL EXPENSES | 374.06 | 277.24 | 252.15 |
| NET PROFIT/LOSS | 373.94 | 142.88 | 348.58 |
| AVAILABLE FUNDS | | | |
| Opening balance | 2908.40 | 2,765.52 | 2,416.94 |
| Net profit/loss | -373.94 | 142.88 | 348.58 |
| Total cash funds | 2534.46 | 2,908.40 | 2,765.52 |
| CASH ASSETS | | | |
| Westpac Solutions One account | 707.23 | 1,081.29 | 938.53 |
| Westpac Solutions Cash Reserve | 1827.23 | 1827.11 | 1,826.99 |
| | 2534.46 | 2,908.40 | 2,765.52 |
| NON CASH ASSETS | | | |
| Hardware | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Software | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Total | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

NOTE: All Assets are written off with no value. Two items Laptop and Projector remain in use.

Notes:

Brisbug is a level 3 Association having income and Assets less than \$20,000.

The Office of Fair Trading Queensland does not require an audit for this level of association. The financial statement for the year is to be verified by the President and Treasurer.

Brisbug derives its total income from membership subscriptions and interest on it bank accounts

Brisbug has a bank account with Westpac Bank and holds its funds in a Cheque account and in a high interest account.

Brisbug's assets have been written off as of no value, but it retains the following equipment Dell Laptop, Samsung tablet and the Epson projector. Old software is retained as proof of license.

There are no liabilities.

Verification of Financial Statement.

The above statement of accounts has been prepared from the records kept by the association and it is declared that the association keeps financial records in a way which properly records the association's income and expenditure and dealings with its assets and liabilities.

| Signed | | |
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| K. Catts | President | Date |
| R. Skyring | Treasurer | Date |

7. Election of Office Bearers

Keith adjourned the meeting for the election of Office Bearers for the next year.

He declared all positions vacant and asked John Tacey to undertake the election of Office Bearers.

Formal nominations were received by the Secretary and as no other nominations were forthcoming it was agreed that they be submitted to the meeting.

John Tacey:- received the written nominations and being no other nominations declared that the nominations duly seconded and accepted, that

Keith Catts is elected as President.

Gary Woodforth is elected as Secretary.

Ross Skyring is elected as Treasurer.

John Tacey thanked the committee for their work throughout the year.

Keith thanked those present for electing the committee, and the members of the committee for standing again for the offices.

Keith thanked John for officiating for the elections.

8. General Business

Keith advised a request for the continued use of the library room had been submitted and awaiting a reply possibly in November.

9. There being no further business, the meeting closed at 11:45pm.