

MINUTES: June 28th 2023, 7.30 pm
Australian Jewish Genealogical Society (VIC)
Venue: ZOOM

Apologies: Aaron Blicblau, Bernie Kuran

Present: Ian Samuel, Heshy Adelst, Rene Eisner, Allan Jankie, Max Wald, Helen Gardner, Liz James, Rodney Eisfelder, Terry Ashton

Minutes of Last Meeting – May 3rd 2023-these were accepted

Issues discussed:

Rodney:

- More Future Presentations-please see page 3 for amendments to future presentations. As well, committee members need to think about what talk can be presented at the AGM in September.
- Rodney will contact Jeff Schneider who is revamping the website for AJHS and ask him to put the link for AJGS (VIC) in a more prominent way.

Helen:

- It was agreed that DoJR will have a dedicated AJGS-Vic-DoJR email address and Helen will organise this and inform the committee when it has been arranged.

Liz:

- As Trevor Cohen has contributed to cover the cost of our agreement for storage and use of the new area in the building, Terry will prepare a 'thank you' note and sent to the committee for approval before sending it to Trevor

Reports:

MARRIAGE DATABASE-RODNEY - No change

JOWBR-MAX- a brick wall has been 'hit' as far as Sydney records are concerned. Max will continue to update the Melbourne records and will not be sending any images to Sydney for the time being.

FINANCIAL & WEBSITE REPORTS-RENE

The square reader took about 10 payments at the last meeting, some of which were for memberships. Some new members are paying concession rates.

DoJR REPORT-HELEN

Helen went over her report and will organise a specific email address for DoJR and inform the committee when it has been arranged.

FACEBOOK – HESHY

All is going well with Facebook.

FUTURE PRESENTATIONS

SPEAKER	DATE
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Max will speak on how to access/use the 1929 Polish Business Directory Project & Rodney will go through a case study and show some useful web sites. Venue=Glen Eira Town Hall	16-7-2023
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Michael Tobias and Paul Gardner, will present a joint Zoom presentation, @ 7.30 p.m. on how Michael will talk about how he found the parents of a Kindertransport child	12-11-2023
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• AGM & talk (topic to be confirmed) Venue=Glen Eira Town Hall	10-9-2023

OTHER BUSINESS:

- Rene: that the web developers should put the square system on AJGS' website
- Allan: his laptop was stolen from work and with it over thousands of family tree information re his family. He had not backed it up so Allan's message to everyone is 'to back up your information!'

DATE OF NEXT MEETING: 15-8-2023 (on Zoom) @ 7.30 p.m.

MEETING ENDED AT: 8.30 p.m.

