

Minutes of meeting

New Acland Community Reference Group

Date:	24 th May 2018
Time:	5.40pm to 7.28pm
Location:	Oakey Hospital
Member Attendees:	Graham Cooke (Chair) Glenys Bowtell Cathy Hartley Andrew Langton
New Hope Group Representatives:	David Vink – NAC GM Naomi Tonscheck – NHG Rebecca Meacham – NHG Helen Williams – NHG
Guest Speakers:	N/A
Apologies	Matthew Boyd Haley Darr Barry Mason Lindsay Evans Nancy Sommerfield Maree Scheuerle Helen Bawden

Agenda item	Discussion
Meeting Introduction:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Committee Chair welcomed the group • Minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed and adopted
Safety Share	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A NHG employee was working on his personal property where he fell from a height of approximately 4.5m. The employee sustained some minor injuries in the fall. • David made a note of the importance of identifying potential fall hazards and taking action to minimise the risk by using appropriate equipment where possible.
Community Development Project	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Members discussed the Community Development Project being explored by New Hope Group and the CRG. • Helen W has spoken to representatives from USQ around potentially engaging USQ in consulting on the Community Development Project. • Plan is to run four workshops to plan for the Project. Workshops being planned in <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Kulpi Peranga/Maclagan/Quinalow ○ Goombungee ○ Oakey/Jondaryan ○ Agricultural and landholder community • It is expected that USQ will facilitate the workshops and also the monitoring and valuation of the projects.

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Community Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The book launch of ‘Goombungee Remembers’ was extremely successful. With many people attending the Goombungee ANZAC Day service. • Goombungee Show was very popular with many attendees • Significant road works are continuing in Goombungee • Boodua Hall will host their State of Origin event in line with the second game of the series • More Council Wild Dog Baiting is continuing across the region • Oakey Chamber of Commerce meeting with Deb Frecklington went well and many opportunities for Oakey and surrounds were discussed • Oakey Chamber of Commerce held their AGM on Tuesday – all positions filled. • This year marks 150 years of Oakey – Celebration being organised by the Oakey Chamber of Commerce • Main Road Roadworks at Jondaryan are nearing completion • ANZAC Service at Jondaryan was well attended • There has been four grassfires in the last week. A reminder that coming into winter, we need to be mindful of changed conditions and the potential for grass fires. • 9th June 10:00am-2:00pm Oakey Historical Society Open Day • Oakey Sprints was very successful with many people attending and new attractions. • Kulpi Hall Committee hosted a spit roast entertainment evening that was extremely well received by the local community.
New Hope Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NHG is currently formulating department budgets as part of the annual process • The Judicial Review was a favourable outcome for NHG. Justice Bowskill found that the Land Court recommendations of 31 May 2017 to refuse the ML and EA amendment for NAC3 be set aside. • Naomi Tonscheck’s last day with New Hope Group will be on the 6th June.
Next Meeting:	12 th July 5.30pm at Oakey RSL