

Mounted Archery Association of South Africa

Minutes of Meeting



DATUM **Friday 8 March 2019, 18:30**
Griffins MAC

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MINUTES

No	AGENDA ITEMS	DISCUSSION
1.	Meeting Formalities	
	Opening of meeting and attendance register	
2.	Complaint – Gauteng Parent	
	Incident involving rider (sound system blasted sound, horse was frightened)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Athletes rep had a 2 hour conversation with the parent and managed to ease her a bit • Procedures and rules for competitions are still being finalised and we as MAASA will do our best to ensure the safety of competitors • MAASA will formally respond to the parent in writing • MAASA will send email and apologise to Shatranj coach • Athlete’s rep will send draft email to president in response to the parent’s complaint.
	Incident involving Junior (MAASA representatives gave advice to junior during competition)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Athlete’s rep had conversation with junior’s mother to apologise and discuss. • The parents requested that no one should approach their son with advice but rather to approach them as parents it confused their son during his competition. • It is natural for competitors to want to help each other. • Should only coaches be allowed to assist juniors? • MAASA to send a written apology to the junior’s parents
3.	Change in venue	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Botha-Wil’s track is available on 13 April for Qualifier 2 • Kings & Prophets track is in the process of being approved • MAASA needs to notify members that Shatranj is no longer available and a different venue will be used.
4.	Cancelation of Gauteng Q2?	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • With current AHS outbreaks many competitors have withdrawn • Only 3 SANESA juniors still on the list, which means SANESA will probably cancel from their side • It has been decided to cancel Q2 on 17 March and allocate paid entry fees to Q3, which will be held at Botha-Wil on 13 April.
5.	Suspension request	
5.1	Request for suspension of rider	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A parent of a SANESA rider contacted MAASA President requesting that another SANESA rider be suspended. The parents transported a horse to the qualifier from their yard where they had a horse with AHS. The horse in question died the day after the qualifier. • It has been decided that the parents should be made aware of this and warned to take the necessary precautions when transporting their horse and to notify MAASA should they plan to transport a horse when they have a case of AHS. • The child will not be held responsible nor be suspended

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MAASA needs to write up regulations regarding this matter
7.	Closing	
7.1	Next committee meeting date	
7.2	Closure	

Greetings

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Deirdre Janse v Rensburg (Chairman)

Signed at Pretoria on _____ day of _____ 2019.