

**AEVA Adelaide, South Australia**  
**- Minutes -**  
**of General Meeting**  
**held at the Function Room, Level 1**  
**Director's Hotel**  
**247 Gouger St. Adelaide SA 5000**

**Date: March 20, 2013 7:30pm**

- Chairman: Edward Booth welcomed everyone to the meeting.
- All mobile devices to be turned off or made silent.
- Apologies: Steve Rhodes, Bill Marston, John Walkley, Fred Gold, Jason Garrood, Bruce Tonkin, Richard Mayo, Stephen McLinton, Terry Stocker.
- Minutes of the last meeting were published on the website for all to read. Accepted:
- Ask for numbers (Eric to count number present)
  - Number present: 22
  - Arrived in EV: 4
  - New members since last meeting: -
  - Visitors: 3
- Edward to mention the visitors' \$4.00 donation.

**Chairman's report:** Nothing to report at this time.

**Treasurer's report:** Mic is still to work out the costs for the Uraidla event etc.

**Secretary's Report:**

- Anyone who would like to be notified of meetings etc to place their name and email address on the "Email list". Please print very clearly.
- Parking is available next door Bridgestone Tyres – ask after if you would like to know about this.

- Please note: There is an "EV Meetup" for AEVA members and friends at Eric Rodda's house on **Saturday 23rd March** starting at **10am** and finishing ?pm.  
This is an opportunity for **everyone**, not just EV owners, to get together for a chin way over morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea (BYO food, drink etc and chair) under our pergola.  
There is a BBQ available to cook your lunch if desired.  
If you have any friends that may be interested - please invite them.
- Items for sale.  
120V 1500W Ceramic Element for your EV heater available from Eric - \$40.00  
Orange Insulation Tape - \$3.00 per roll.
- Library books - Rob Needs
- Adelaide Mini Maker Faire – Sat April 6 Adelaide College of the Arts, Light Square, Adelaide. (Mr. Mark Thomson)

**Lobbying Sub-Committee Report:** No report

**Correspondence:**

Adelaide Mini Maker Faire – confirmation received.

No charge for this event.

Brian Haddy has confirmed our spot at Science Alive! 2013 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> August. No charge for this event.

Edward spoke about our submission which will eventually be submitted to head office.

**Tonight's Guest Speaker:**

~~Terry Stocker talking and showing "What goes on inside a DC Controller"~~

***Newsbreak...***

Unfortunately Terry is unable to attend this meeting due to ill health.

**We will be having an extended Q & A session and Member Conversion reports.**

Various members gave their updates on their conversions.

Rob Needs showed some photos of his conversion.

**EV's in the news...**

- Eric has a couple of videos

**Member EV Conversion reports:** See above

**Question Time:** General questions – no details recorded

**Other business:**

- The next meeting of AEVA Adelaide to be on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2013

Guest Speaker: Andrew Dickson and members of Team Trev.

**"African Solar Taxi"**

Team Trev's latest project is to design and build three solar-powered vehicles that will be used in rural Zimbabwe to provide transport to hospital for pregnant women. Come and hear about our trip to Zimbabwe, the design challenges, our ideas, and get involved.

(Meal in dining room, before the meeting, from 6pm)

**Meeting closed : 9pm**

Eric Rodda (Secretary)