

TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR SUB-COMMITTEE

Committee Name

Wine Show Sub-Committee

Type

Can be standing, ad hoc (special project) or advisory (related to another board, committee or project).

The committee is a sub-committee of the LCGWC and is a standing committee.

Purpose

Describe the purpose of the committee (what the committee will do, why it was created)

This sub-committee was created to provide an opportunity to run a regional wineshow with all that it entails, that is;

- Produce a wineshow schedule booklet
 - Annually
 - Comprehensive class structure relevant to our regions
 - Rules and regulations
 - Heralds the wineshow week and activites
- Be relevant and engaging to potential exhibitors
- Be relevant and engaging to potential sponsors
- Attracting, by invitation, a high calibure of judges, including an international judge of choice.
- Provide a mechanism to get local winemakers to get into the 'wine show circuit'.
- Improve the breed.
- Presentation Dinner 'bringing the region together'.

This sub-committee was created to provide a framework for;

- Paid support
- Online entries and WISH scoring software
- Online dinner bookings
- Trophy Sponsors
- Endorsement certificates and promoting the winners

Scope

Clearly describe what is in and out of scope for the committee.

Within the Scope;

- Seek appropriate sponsorship & third party advertising
- Work within budgets
- Provide up to date online resources
- AGW Equal opportunity

Outside of the Scope;

- Third Party websites
- Release of embargoed results
- Advocacy
- Blogs and /or political opinions

Authority

Describe the decision-making authority of the committee (decides, approves, recommends, etc.)

This subcommittee operates at the discretion of the committee of management (COM).

Authority of this subcommittee is given by;

- Activity and financial reporting to the LCGWC COM.
- Group decisions and resolutions at meetings
- Meeting Monthly for 6 months May to November, any given year
- Long history of retained earnings in the LCGWC bank accounts
- Ownership of capital items glasses, tasting tables, glass washer, exhibit shelving.
- Online presence to clearly navigate objects & collatoral

Membership

Type and number of members, how members are appointed, how the chair and co-chair are appointed and a list of members (Name and functional role)

Membership is based on hand over task. Criteria for membership;

- Invested career winemaker looking for personal improvement
- Vignerons and Viticulturists
- Vacancy of task & understudy roles
- Employer endorsement to commit to the Wineshow week

The LCGWC Secretary is the standing member and shall run and record meetings. On call for WineShow week.

Committee number has typically been 6 to 8 members.

Meeting arrangements

Meeting frequency and location, meeting procedures (if applicable), quorum, details about agendas and minutes (how these will be distributed, available online, who prepares them, etc.), communication between meetings.

Programme of meetings developed in May meeting each year.

- Monthly from May to November
- DeBrief meeting December

Meeting main agenda items, prepared by secretary:

- Plans at hand
- Runsheets
- Protocols
- Media plans
- Working bees

Minutes:

- Prepared by secretary of LCGWC
- Distributed by email to members,

Communication between meeting to occur via email.

Quorum – half of membership of Wineshow

Reporting

Describe whom the committee will report to, in what format, how often

Reporting to LCGWC COM

- Ad-hoc via Secretary
- AGM report

Task Completion

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Resources and budget

Describe the available resources (people, rooms, equipment, etc.) available to the committee, Describe the funds available to the committee.

Meetings

- Hire of / use of suitable room, considering minimising member travel, AV facility, time of day to name 3.
- Zoom and camera and microphones as supplied by LCGWC and Secretary.

Sponsor Income, Entry Fees, Dinner Tickets, Retained earnings, Glass breakages

- Income streams to be greater than expenditure in the budget
- Careful consideration in use of retained earnings, usually on capital items.
- Cashflow positive

Budgets

- Cashflow positive
- Excel spreadsheets
- LCGWC COM expects small profit centre and no losses. Separate chart of accounts in MYOB.

Paid Role

- Secretary, Contract for service. Hours allocated to tasks in budget.
- Available on phone or by email anytime.

Deliverables

Describe the requested/required committee output

Working to agreed timelines and reporting. Disseminating good information to all limestone Coast vineyard and wine stakeholders.

Review

State the ToR review frequency and next review date.

The Terms of Reference will be reviewed by the Wine-Show sub-committee on an annual basis, prior to the LCGWC AGM