MINUTES OF APIA CLUB LADIES' COMMITTEE MEETING.

PRESENT:

M.Calabria, R.Carozza, L.Iacovazzi, A.Guidolin, A.Natoli, J.Torrisi, Mamma Lena, G.Labbozzetta, R Mattiuzo, T.Volpato, B.Zuccolotto, R.Cantali.

Mamma Lena opened the meeting at 8pm.

She started by saying that we as a committee should end this quest with dignity.

Those who have any queries or complaints should address the meeting and not talk out of the committee rooms.

In reply, R.Carozza produced minutes from 17 september meeting and wanted an explanation on an item on the minutes that stated the Revival night. She continued by stating that, that particular night, (as the minutes did not contain information regarding who that night belonged to) belonged to all the girls. According to her "Revival" meant open house.

R. Carozza went on producing another list given to all members by Mamma Lena. The list had dates of function and the names of the girls beside the function.

According to Mamma Lena and J.Torrisi, that list was faxed to Mamma Lena on the 18th September. (The original fax held by Mamma Lena had verification of that date in question). The copy of the fax was distributed to all committee members at the following meeting.

R. Carozza was not aware of the date of the fax and assumed that because the minutes dated 17th September did not include the names of the girls and the list did, it was obvious to her that J.Torrisi had taken upon herself to give the revival night to the two girls Talia and Pallotta.

R.Cantali pointed out that the minutes were only a brief summary and were not intended to specify who the nights belonged to. None of the other functions had the name of the girls next to the nights either, except for that of Chantal who was personally known to her.

In response, Mamma Lena said that the list was made by request from her the very next day being 18th September, because she realized that the members of the committee were not aware of the function dates nor who each functioned belonged to.

Jane Torrisi explained that on a number of occassions she had told Mrs Carozza that the revival night had been booked under the name of Miss Talia originally and Talia was kind enough to share the night with Miss Pallotta. Revival night had never been organized by the club nor the Ladies' Committee as neither had all the other functions. It was an idea developed on request by Miss Talia (Miss Talia had originally booked the night and she asked J. Torrisi to think up a theme for her night in order to attract people.

- M. Calabria and R.Carozza on listening to this explanation were satisfied that the explanation regarding the revival night given by J.Torrisi to the Committee was all clear to them now.
- J.Torrisi responded by asking why they had spoken to people behind her back regarding this matter, when she had on many occassions given them the same explanation as she had given them tonight.
- J. Torrisi went on saying that at previous meeting, both R.Carozza and M.Calabria had asked her if Chantal Carozza could share the revival night together with Miss Talia because they thought this particular night would have been profitable. J.Torrisi said that it was impossible for her to adhere to these wishes in that she felt that the night was booked for Miss Talia and Miss Pallotta and it had to remain that way.
- R.Carozza denied these allegations.
- L>Iacovazzi responded that she was witness to this in that she had been present at the two situations when the above matter was discussed between M.Calabria, J.Torrisi and R. Carozza.
- J.Torrisi then continued to address the committee saying that a Mr Cossa had donated \$2000 October 1990 towards a sponsorship for the soccor at the beginning of the season. R.Carozza asked J.Torrisi approx 2 months ago wether that money could be used as sponsorship money for the quest in the name of Chantal Carozza.
- J.Torrisi explained to her that as the money had already been given to the club for a different purpose other than the quest, it was impossible to use it for Chantal. Also the money had already been used by the club for what it was originally intended.
- It came to J.Torrisi's attention that J.Carozza had accused her of recieving \$3,000 personally from Mr Cossa on behalf of Chantal and that J.Torrisi gave it to the club to use for a different purpose. When R.Carozza had confronted J.Torrisi with it, J.Torrisi responded that the money had already been spent for another cause

J.Torrisi addressed the committee saying that Mr Cossa still had the cheque butt to prove the amount he had given to the club (that of \$2000 not \$3000) and the date. He also mentioned that he personally gave the cheque to the late Mr Bottalico.

J.Torrisi then asked R.Carozza as she had no evidence she could not accuse her of something that was not true.Mrs Carozza replied that she had not accused her of any such thing.

Mamma Lena replied that R.Carozza had in fact accused J.Torrisi on one occassion where she and other committee people had been present.

Mamma Lena, also mentioned of anonymous phone calls made to her and other people regarding the revival night and how she was upset in that these calls according to her were made to stir trouble with the girls and parents.

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The committee in general was disgusted on hearing this.

J.Torrisi commented that for the benefit of the committee, we as a committee should unite and squash all allegations so we do not ruin the work that has been accomplished in the past 6 months.

She is willing to forgive, forget and carry on as nothing has happened providing all telephone calls ceased and if there is anything to discuss it should be discussed in the committee rooms.

All members agreed with her.

Meeting closed 9.45pm.