

Starter Kits		400.00
Present for D. Hagan:	100.00	
	2016	2015
Logorythm; Printing of 50 x 18 Sensational Short Stories"	935.00	935.00
Flowers & Card to Presenter at AGM	27.88	
Docuprint		
OMEP Folders		251.90
Hall Hire for Concert:	527.00	320.00
Donation to WJP (Music Prg.)	2,200.00	
Total Expenditures:	5,408.83	5,323.91
Profit (Loss) for the period:	+ 510.75	+ 797.39

CASH RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS:

1 July, 2015 to 30 June 2016

	2016	2015
	\$	\$
Opening cash at bank on 1 July:	7,219.65	6,422.26
Add Cash Receipts:	5,919.58	6,121.39
Less Cash Payments:	3,208.83	5,323.91
Closing Cash at Bank on 30 June:	7,9730.40	7,219.65

6.0 APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR

Treasurer recommends that Denis Hagen is appointed as auditor for 206/17.

7.0 MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY'S REPORT

The AGM last year concluded with the position of Membership Secretary vacant. No one was interested in taking on this very important role. At the first committee meeting of the year I volunteered to take on the position because I actually missed it. Having had a 6 months break, while the position was in the very capable hands of Bryce Butterworth, was enough for me to realise that it is a position that I enjoy fulfilling.

The OMEP membership in Western Australia is slightly declining but is still the most solid chapter in Australia. In 2015/16 we had a membership of 22 members, which is three less than the previous year. The members comprised 21 individual members and 1 organisation



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member. Each year some people choose not to renew their membership for a variety of reasons. Last year 4 people did not renew, but this year it was only three people who resigned which is positive. The challenge in 2016/17 is to replace and increase the members who resigned.

OMEP Chapters throughout Australia are cognisant of the fact that we have an aging and falling membership throughout the country and are concerned with succession planning. To this end, in 2017 OMEP WA will try and introduce a 'next generation group' which hopefully will attract new and younger membership - and retain them.

8.0 ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS FOR 2016-2017

All Office positions are open for election. The following members were elected unopposed:

President	Dr Dawn Butterworth AO
Vice President	Dr Judith Candy
Treasurer	Poul Mathiasen
Secretary	Mary Vajda
Membership secretary	Mary Vajda

Committee Members:

Ann Taylor	Director
Lis Mathiasen	
Ingrid Vajda	
Tina Elsegood	
Karyn Platt	
Fatima Pandor	

9.0 GUEST SPEAKER: Dr Dawn Butterworth AO and Mrs Lis Mathiasen from Westminster Junior Primary School presented a very interesting talk on *Developing Resilience through Medical Play*. The presentation was supported with video footage taken in the classroom.

The outgoing president, Dr Sandra Hesterman, was thanked for her work with OMEP WA for the past year and was presented with a bouquet of flowers. The new incoming president thanked the treasurer and secretary for their work.

Meeting closed at 8:17.

10.0 SUPPER