## ACS ROBOTICS SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP MINUTES FOR THE 01 JUN 99

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## Meeting Commenced at 7:00pm.

- 1. Competition issues.
- 2. General group issues.
- 3. Technical issues.
- 4. Presentation.
- 5. Next Meeting.

## 1. Competition Issues

The next competition will be held for Griffith Uni's Open Day on the 25<sup>th</sup> of July. See the website for more information.

### Carry Over Issues.

Interest has been raised from overseas on purchasing the videos of the competitions. The editing of these videos is to be discussed at the next meeting. – **Aaron and Tracy to action.** 

The venue in Z Block was unfortunately to small for the stockcar track. Another room in Z Block or ITE will be examined as an alternative. – **Aaron to action.** 

The slide show made by Harris was very well done and a good bonus on the day. This slide show needs to be given to Aaron. – **Harris to action.** 

### 2. Group Issues

T-shirts to be discussed at the next meeting.

#### Carry Over Issues.

With the new venue at GU, a notice for the door front needs to be created. – **Aaron to action.** 

Monies for group membership has started to be collected, and will continue to be collected until all have paid for the year. – **Tracy to action.** 

FAQ for the website to be introduced. – Tracy to action.

Promoting the group through another sponsor/organisation is to be examined. The National Institute of Engineers Australia (NIEA) has expressed interest so far. – **Tracy to examine.** 

T-shirt merchandising could be gained from Office Works iron-on style, that can be printed with a laser or inkjet printer. Quotes still need to be found from other sources. – **Paul to action.** 

Contact Gorden Wyeth about guest speaking. - Tracy to action.

Find out if Gorden is going to hold another lego workshop this year. – **Tracy to action.** 

## 3. Technical Issues

None from this meeting.

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## 4. Presentation

1<sup>st</sup> Jun – Norbert gave a presentation on his competition winning stockcar robot. After the presentation there was a mini race between the two heavy weights in stockcars. Aaron's robot against Norbert's robot. Since Norbert is now leaving the country to return to Germany, we wish him all the best, and hope that he continues to spread the robotics word to all those in Germany.

## 5. Next Meeting

Tuesday, 6<sup>th</sup> July, 7:00pm.

Committee meeting: Standard at GU

Standard club meeting: Aaron Dwyer and Andrew McCubbin will talk about h-bridges and other

ciruits great for robotics.

Meeting Ended at 9:00pm.