NZ Pig Hunting Association AGM

26/06/2016 Presidents Report

Well another year has passed and we are all still here.

I feel the NZPHA is getting stronger and is being more recognised as a body by government departments and other national bodies.

There seems to be some concern amongest member clubs that the NZPHA is not doing enough and not informing them on what we are doing.

What people must realise is that we are volunteers doing this job for the benefit of pig-hunting and pig-hunters, now and in the future. A newsletter is sent to all clubs after each meeting for them to inform their own members. We can't control what their contact person does with this information.

I feel the biggest win this year has been keeping holding dogs in hunting had there not been a national body representing pig-hunting, we would not have been invited to the meeting in Wellington to put our case froward and win.

There is a lot of work that goes on behind the scenes that nobody sees or hears about.

I would like to thank the committee for their support and contributions over the past 12 months, especially Angela. The person who fills her shoes as secretary has got an awesome challenge ahead of them.

Once again I say we have to get more clubs on board to make us even stronger. I feel this challenge has to be addressed sooner rather than later.

If members or clubs have concerns, criticisms on ideas for or about the NZPHA it would be nice if those concerns come to the presidents notice as soon as possible, not winge about it behind our backs.

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