

AGM 2019

A big thankyou to Peter “Moth” Eaton for the video presentation he did on the **Runway Upgrade** a great effort and will be put up on our website Homepage for all to enjoy.

Welcome to new Committee Member **Jon Clark** who operates **Sanders H Hardware** in Clare.

Thanks to outgoing Committee Member **Michael Mathew** for his efforts whilst on the Committee.

The following Members where elected to office

Executive; Chairperson-Russell Schmidt, Vice Chairperson– Peter Roberts, Secretary-Gary Sims, Treasurer-Tony Smith, Public Officer –Peter Eaton,
Committee Rex Waite, Ian Denton, Paul Smith, Ashley Dickson, Michael Chigwidden, Stewart Michael, Edward Hawker, Gerry Considine, Phillip Smith, Sharon Lane and Jon Clark



PREMIERS VISIT / RUNWAY UPGRADE

On Tuesday 20th August the Premier of South Australia the Hon Steven Marshall MP visited the Clare Valley Aerodrome. to have a look at the recently completed sealing of the Main Runway 17-35 .

Russell Schmidt, Gary Sims ,Tony Smith , Paul Smith and Ian Denton gave him a tour of our great facility and he and his entourage were very impressed with what they saw including our stand alone solar and battery power generation system .He paid tribute to Mike and Rose Chigwidden for their generosity in donating their land to the Clare Valley Flying Group Inc.



CLUB PLANE

Thanks to the **Flight Training Adelaide** we now have a plane which they very generously donated to us. A **Socata TB-10 Tobago** and before you get too excited it hasn't got an engine or much else inside it. We will be displaying it at the Aerodrome some time soon for all to see. The above photos show Gary Sims, Jon Clark and Tony Smith picking up the plane from Parafield Aerodrome.

Thanks to Jon for picking up the plane with his crane truck and Gary for towing down Rob Lawlers car trailer to put the wings in, thanks Rob.

AUS-AIR AUSTRALIA VISIT YCVA

Ralph Guerry from Echuca touched down at the Aerodrome on August 27th ,his business Aus-Air tows message banners behind their aircraft. He did a job at Saddleworth where he did about 50 orbits to get the right shot for the film crew on the ground. Ralph was extremely impressed with our facility and ofcourse the new Runway. Pictured he is picking up the banner at the Aerodrome.

Thanks to Rex Waite for making his Hangar available for Ralphs aircraft overnight.

CASA AV-SAFETY SEMINAR 13th OCTOBER

At the Aerodrome on Sunday 13th October. Please register if you are attending all details are on attached flyer.

