

## Soul Fly Band – Monthly Meeting Notes



minutes	Here are the minutes for the Soul Fly Band meeting on 31st July 2020.
zoom	Because of Coronavirus (COVID-19), the Soul Fly Band Meeting has been moved online, using Zoom.
	The people that came to the meeting were: Fraser, Audrey, Jack, Lachie, Stavros, Chelsea, Matt, & Myra.
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Gig Buddies Sydney is running a campaign to get more buddies to join the project as there are 500 volunteers and 175 buddies.



The competition ends on 16<sup>th</sup> August. The prizes are:

- 1. 1<sup>st</sup> Place: \$200 towards a gig/gigs of you and your buddies choice.
- 2. 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: \$150 towards a gig/gigs of you and your buddies choice.
- 3. 3<sup>rd</sup> Place: \$50 towards a gig/gigs of you and your buddies choice.



Soul Fly Band members talked about different places in Sydney they could find potential buddies. Some of these are:

- Bus Stop Films
- Autism Awareness Australia
- Diverse Mind Psychology
- Fragile X Association
- University / TAFE
- Other disability groups
- Autism Mates
- Libraries / Community Centres / Grocery Store noticeboards
- Special Olympics



Gig Buddies Sydney is applying for a grant from Wheels In Motion. They launched awards for individuals or organisations who support people with disabilities. The main prize is \$20,000 and the runners up prize is \$5,000.



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Canon	Soul Fly Band recorded their answers over Zoom to the following questions:  1. Tell us about Gig Buddies mission 2. Why should Gig Buddies win a grant? 3. What problems does Gig Buddies solve? 4. How are Gig Buddies solving those problems.
	Soul Fly Band talked about starting a group chat to talk about ideas for the project, so that we can discuss outside of the meetings.
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