

## **YEOVIL TOWN RRC COMMITTEE MEETING 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb 2011**

**1. Apologies:** Tim Hawkins, Katie Pearce

**Present:** Lisa Gunning, Nigel Moysey, Pete Jakeman, Nick Brooke, Phil McQuaid, Matt Driver, Lee Holloway, Martin Chaffey, Deb Stanfield, Tina Cullen, Donna Smith, Paul McNeill. Sally & Paul

**2. MOLM** – Agreed

### **3. Club Races:**

**Great Western 10k** – Sat 5<sup>th</sup> Feb, Lisa & Martin meeting Mary & receiving route. Free entry, sign up & pay through website, how does it go through to our website or tie up with us?

No girls should be in the school on race weekend. The water is normally switched off when the girls are away (need to check). Orchard – owner stated if too messed up from the race, then it will not be available in the future. Any qualms/problems we need to speak to Mary Allen. Room next to swimming pool looking at being used for tea & coffee – are the girls or ladies from the Rotary doing the catering? Race computer in same room or separate area for race entry? Lisa to bring camper van, marquees, toilets check with Russ. Start & finish checking, need to move start to the triangle within the school grounds, finish loop around the orchard. Check 2km fun run around course. T-shirt - £300 sponsorship secured, Races & DD logo to go on back. Order more than required & distribute at AGM as usual.

**Inca Trail** – Sea Cadets let them down. Get a couple of runners to man car park, MD volunteered. First Aiders ordered for all races, No's & pins for Inca, No's for GWR & our races ordered. Sports pavilion available for an hour on Sat evening, shower signs. Signs on poles instead of tables, (pre race & on the day entries).

Course set up on Sat – 9.30 at Tina's. Race day 7.30 early run around, hall from 8.00 am.

**Beyond** – Easter Bunny 10km extra marshals & signs on main road before race rejoins the main road & runner to run with Wheel Chair Athletes & ensure safe crossing of road. 5km entry forms not ordered yet we add – adding wheel chair prizes for 5km & 10 km - yes.

Volunteer to add race details to other websites, RW & Run Britain already added – Teresa to have a look and add to other websites. Wheel chair races - where do they advertise?

### **4. Club Diary – Pub Runs:**

Thurs 03/02/11 – Lord Nelson, Norton Sub Hamdon - PM

Thurs 10/02/11 – Royal Oak, Hardington Mandeville - NM

Thurs 17/02/11 – Preston Hotel, Yeovil - MC

Thurs 24/02/11 – Milborne Port, Gainsborough - MD

Thurs 03/03/11 – George, Castle Cary, street parking by the fire station, Paul

Thurs 10/03/11 – Stoke Sub Hamdon; Fleur de Lys, MC

Thurs 17/03/11 – Sherborne, Half Moon MD

Thurs 24/03/11 – Prince of Wales, Paul M

Thurs 31/03/11 - Compton Dundon, Deb Neale

07/04 Mark Wills - TBA

14/04 Marston Magna, PM

### **Club Runs:**

Tues 08/02/11 – Winter Route 2 – NB, PM, KP, Hill Repeats

Tues 15/02/11 – Goldenstones – NB, LH

Tues 22/02/11 – Winter Route 3 – PM, (Sian, Lesley & Mel to lead 9:30 Tempo run)

Tues 01/03/11 – Goldenstones – anti clockwise NB, Paul M

Tues 08/03/11 – Winter Route 4 – NB, Hill Repeats, PM & PJ bike

Tues 15/03/11 – Goldenstones – Donna & Paul M

Tues 22/03/11 – Winter Route 5 - MD & PJ

Tues 29/03/11 – Interim Route - NB

**Review Tuesday Night Club Runs** – Tuesday's still finding it hard to find Run Leaders. Still not wanting to step forward & volunteer, hope the Boards & Run Leader Tabards will help. Phil trying to locate short, mesh, orange tabards. Sian, Lesley & Mel have volunteered to take a 9.30 Tempo run on Tuesday evenings.

**5. Club Welfare Officer:** Need to have Official Status before can become Welfare Officer, they have to be CRB checked. MC & NM volunteered as identity checkers. Welfare Officer – Martin to respond & ask for information, Deb Stanfield to check for information & speak to Kay at Wells to find out what it entails.

Grants – need to justify, not general money given out.

Grand Slam Hats – NB ticked off list at Christmas Meal.

Super Slam Hat – same as Grand Slam plus a minimum 50km distance race. Same time period as Grand Slam, just running not Ironman races.

## **6. Officers' Reports:**

Treasurer - OK

Kit Manager – New runners - £14 shirt, first race get hat, then get slam hat. Retention rates good, 140 -145 members for 4 years, 200 then 285. Good numbers, friendly, different distances & giving people what they want.

Website - ok

## **7.AOB:**

Midsummer Dream, Seaton - unofficially happening at 12.17pm on the 18<sup>th</sup> or 25<sup>th</sup> June.

Axbridge, Run Fest, Manor Farm Campsite - can camp, runs at different times, BBQ etc, recommended by Tina

Coaching Courses – for 7/8 people to be coordinated. Possibility of getting a couple of people down to carry out a local course. Brian has been to Somerset meeting, need 20 people and then will be able to organise. Speak to other Clubs or spare places. Deb S - Speak to Brian, Bill Whistlecroft, Pete Darton & Tim and report back.

GEO Cashing – Stourhead, possibility of doing as part of the club.

Feedback from Tuesday Runs. Run leader – should be at front, comment by a couple of members. Not possible to run at front at all times? Concern for people at back being left behind as easily missed if running at the front.

Club pays for County shirts – yes.

NB to organise transport for Cross Country Championship – contacting Tim to check whose entered (Lee, John, Robbie?)

Insurance – 3<sup>rd</sup> party through England Athletics. Look at possibility of finding Insurance companies to cover individual accidents, if members require?

Survey – PM asks for any changes to be emailed to him before forwarding to NM for website.

**8. Next meeting** - 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2011. Deputy Chairman required as NB needs to leave early – PM volunteered.

**9. Pay tab** & meeting finished 20.34pm