

# **YTRRC Committee Meeting**

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2025

Abbey Manor Community Centre, Yeovil

7.15pm

Present: Phil McQuaid, David Mears, Tim Willis, Denise Byrd, Lesley Nesbitt, Linda Membury, Simon Rowbottom, Adam Hawkins, Graham Still, Guy Williams, June Moule, Jo Samuel

## **A G E N D A**

**Apologies** – Mel Dodge

**Minutes of last meeting** – approved by PM, proposed and seconded by GS.

**Matters Arising** - none

**Chairperson's report** – Steve Warren

- Easter Bunny – this needs to be advertised more, only 49 entries. GS noted it should be on FullOnSport. GW has ribbons but not enough medals. SW to order more medals for the Easter Bunny. AH to apply through ARC online for race licences. AD to notify police and parishes regarding Easter Bunny and 5k races. Timing Monkey will provide times for 5k and Easter Bunny. SW to appeal for marshals for both 5k and Easter Bunny. TW is having difficulty getting the UK Athletics licence for the Easter Bunny. Price with EA has also increased. Discussion held around whether we apply for EA licence or not – if we don't then results won't be published on Power of 10. TW is also having issues with regards to keyholder at Yeovilton

**Secretary report** – Angela Dobbs

- Nothing to report

**Treasurer's report** – Simon Rowbottom

- Enquired when we can expect an invoice for the vests, SW suggested that this would be soon. It was agreed that we would get the vests and then distribute to members.

**Membership report** – Adam Hawkins

- 32 renewals as a present including one second claim renewal. 2 new members joined in March.

**Club Captain** – Graham Still/Linda Membury

- Newton Abbot ladies is back open again, same price as last year. LM asked if the club would be able to pay for a coach again for this year. PM to look into the costs of this, it was agreed that the club would pay for transport again. Race date 28 September

- LM has reached out to race director of Full Monty this year, it will be on 7 December which clashes with Lanzarote. Race director is also worried about parking and how many entries they will be allowed to have
- LM has started a new group on Tuesday evening club runs, this has been well received.
- GS submitted a bill for new t-shirts and hoodies
- YHM organisers have asked if they could use the running track on a Friday night to give out race numbers. It has been agreed that this could happen if we could put up our club flags etc. They are also really struggling on marshals and the course is different this year.

### **Kit – Graham Still**

- GS will put a post up regarding club vests. We will also look into prices for club t-shirts.

### **Championship secretary – Lesley Nesbitt**

- Nothing to report

### **Webmaster – Guy Williams**

- Discussion held around the email that has recently been sent regarding renewals. There will be another renewal sent on the 15<sup>th</sup> March and another towards the end of the month

### **Data Protection/Welfare Officer – Dave Mears**

- Nothing to report.

### **Pub and club runs – Phil McQuaid**

- Pub runs have been published up to 30 March.
- Next weeks run will be at Goldenstones as YTFC are at home.

### **AOB**

- Presentation for Santa Dash is normally at Goldenstones. It was agreed that this would be Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April, subject to confirmation.
- After this, summer club runs for the first Tuesday of every month will be from Yeovil Recreation Centre.
- GW – cider marathon in Devon in July, if anyone is doing this could they take the club flags along. This is organised by Running Events Devon
- C25K group – this will not be stopping however DM noted that we have had people asking what week we were on through the public Facebook page and has had to explain we are not following the NHS/recognised C25k programme
- AH has organised the licence through ARC for the Easter Bunny.
- AH also noted that the dates on the website for our membership are all wrong which is why the dates are wrong on the emails that have been sent out.
- AH thanked everyone for their help with the primary school cross country. Last event is on March 24 at Yeovil Recreation Centre.
- 10 people have so far signed up for the AGM in May.
- AD raised a couple of confidential issues which were discussed and will be picked up separately

**The next meeting will be Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2025 at Abbey Manor Community Hall at 7.00pm. This will be open to club members to attend if they wish to however If anyone**

**has any issues/questions they would like to raise, then they must email them through to the chair or secretary, nothing new will be discussed on the night. AOB will be covered by committee members only.**