

YTRRC Committee Meeting

Wednesday 5 May 2021

Via Zoom
6.30pm

Present: Angela Dobbs, Phil McQuaid, Simon Rowbottom, Steve Warren, Guy Williams, Graham Still, Adam Hawkins, Lesley Nesbitt, Jo Henley, June Moule

Apologies: Jo Henley

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Minutes of last meeting

- These were accepted with two amendments to be made.

Matters Arising

- None

Chairman's report – Steve Warren

- AGM – Will try to hold a proper AGM at the football club to support them, last week in June, first week in July was suggested by GW. There was a discussion about whether to have a club run before or go straight to the AGM to avoid the meeting going on too long. All committee members would be up for re-election and any questions would need to be submitted beforehand. Questions could be sent to AD in advance. Nominations for any positions/those willing to stand again for re-election would need to be in 2 weeks beforehand. SW suggested a discussion would need to be had with the football club in terms of how many they can accommodate. PM and SW to speak to the football club to determine dates and whether they are available. Alternatively, if the football club isn't available, the meeting could be held via zoom. Next committee meeting is 2nd June.
- Track is proceeding well. Tim has advised that guidelines he has been given means that individuals can run on the inside as long as they distance.
- We had about 20 runners at Glastonbury 10k
- Beginners group has gone well on Tuesday evenings.

Treasurer's report – Simon Rowbottom

- SR didn't have too much to report. GW has identified a couple of areas where savings can be made that will be pursued.
- All bills have now been paid
- PM will obtain an invoice for YTFC as rent to them will be due soon.
- SW asked for confirmation of track costs in the summer, it was established that this was £30 a week and then increases in the winter with the floodlights. Contributions for track would be reviewed at the next meeting. GS had spoken to those who were currently attending and all said they would be happy to donate £1 a week via an honesty box.
- GW suggested that this was done straight away. It was agreed that going forward this would happen and a note added to the signing in sheet

Membership report – Adam Hawkins

- 156 club members, 7 new and 4 second claim members. There are still a few people who are pending, including one whose previous club transfer hasn't come through yet.

Club Captain – Graham Still

- Teams have been withdrawn from Wessex Ridgeway
- Individuals have been putting their names down for track but then not turning up. GS has spoken to one person who was very apologetic.
- Those attending track are reminded to attend on time.
- The current hut that is used by Olympiads is going to be handed back to the council. SW and AH will look into this.
- GS asked if we would go back to normal once restrictions are lifted. It was agreed that we would wait for guidance from EA
- It was noted that prior to covid restrictions, Linda's group would have over 20 runners. SW asked if we could restrict those going forward. GS asked if the club should be investing in new run leaders. SW confirmed that there is no need for people to be trained if they are going out on a Tuesday.
- There was a discussion about further training that had already been booked for GS and SW in terms of training for track sessions. SW will meet with AH and look into this.

Championship secretary – Lesley Nesbitt

- Nothing to report.

Webmaster – Guy Williams

- GW has had an email from someone who can put our website onto their platform for free so we wouldn't have to pay the website fees that we do currently.

Club Runs/Pub Runs

- These will be reviewed when restrictions are lifted.

AOB

- Possible that the testing site at Yeovilton will be closed this month. JM will look into this.
- It was noted that Sports of Bond Street is now open so members can now go in and collect their shirts. SR noted that he had not yet had a bill from them for new members shirts.

The next meeting will be Wednesday 2 June via Zoom, Meeting ID 891 4374 4488, passcode 4fjxV3