



ILKLEY HARRIERS

Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: May 17th 2011		
Present : Paul Wood, , Eddie Winslow, Neil Chapman, Jane Bryant, , Diane Hagggar, Paul Stephens		
Apologies: Henry Heavisides, Christine Matthews, Malcolm Pickering, Jacqui Weston, Emma O'Looney		
Item		Action
1	Minutes of Meeting April 5th. Agreed	
2	<p>Matters Arising</p> <p>i) Facebook page well received. Thanks to Emma.</p> <p>ii) Insurance: Ps explained the various UKA policies. There was a £250 excess relating to liability club members and officers public liability. Where the club was organising an event and was held liable, the excess was £750. The policy emphasise the importance of never admitting liability.</p> <p>iii) Coaches: PS has consolidated the list of qualified coaches. To be added to Clubmark file. Vic V to be asked to seek support from members for an introductory coaching course.</p> <p>iv) 25th Anniversary: The mugs had been delayed and the cost was greater than expected. Decided not to proceed. Logo to be used in association with races.</p>	PS PW
3	<p>Running the Club</p> <p>1. Harrier of the Month. 10 Nominations received:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gaenor Coy – Paris marathon • Emma O'Looney – Training an London • The Bennetts – Dales Way Relay • Dave Cummings – 3 Peaks and John Carr • Ian Rowbotham – 3 Peaks and Dick Hudsons • Sue Booth – Open 5 winner • Steve Weston – London • Jann Smith - London • Mike Baldwin – 19th 3 Peaks <p>And the HoMs were Ian Rowbotham and the Bennetts</p> <p>2. Matters arising from Officers and Captains reports. Noted.</p> <p>3 Club Races. Badgerstone Relays in hand – trophies being sorted Addingham Gala – more help needed Ilkley Incline – Complete Runner no longer sponsoring. Alternative being sought. Newsletter item about sponsorship opportunities suggested. PW to</p>	JB

	<p>prepare. Club Relays – date likely to be October 2nd/3rd IH League. Wetherby HDSRL to be substituted for Richmond</p> <p>4. Summer Socials: away runs 7th June and 26 July. Food to be provided.</p> <p>5. Club Diary: PS had begun work on club diary – to provide a record of key dates to ensure for example London places were applied for on time, AGM notification went out by the due date etc. Possible use of Google calendar.</p>	<p>PW</p> <p>PS</p>
4	<p>Developing the Club. i) On-line payment facility. PS had received details of an on-line payment facility. Agreed the idea of on-line membership renewal/payment was worth investigating. EW to look at options.</p>	EW
AOB	<p>i) It was suggested that the web-site could be used to advertise members efforts to raise money for sponsored causes. All to consider for next meeting.</p>	All
TDP	June 28th 8.40pm ILTSC	

REPORTS

Chairman

Well, we are well into 'Mad May' and this always-busy month looks particularly hectic this year. The 25th Anniversary social events at the start of the month went very well. The Tuesday evening had 70 or so guests including many former Harriers - thanks to Vince Gibbons and Richard Gray for their splendid quiz, and Chris Matthews for the magnificent cake. The Saturday garden party was another very enjoyable event with 45-50 guests plus children - thanks to Andrew & Alison Bennett for their hospitality and hard work. As we meet, Andy Wolfenden will be hosting the first of four 'Away Runs', and the Club will be funding post-run refreshments at two of them as 'social events' (as last year).

Midweek racing has taken off with the John Carr series continuing from the Bunny Runs, the first of the Harrogate Race League series, and Jack Bloor and other mid-week fell races. The turnout at the first HRL race was quite disappointing - we need to improve on that. Also coming up is the Mob Match where we have for 3 years beaten Bingley Harriers on their own turf - let's do it again! Our drive on Relays is having some success, with 2 teams at Calderdale Way (myself and Alison eagle co-ordinating), and 3 teams lined up for Bradford Millenium Way (Vic co-ordinating).

On the race organisation front, we have the Badger Stone Relays and the Trail Race at the end of May and will need to rally lots of helpers for those.

There may be some new training opportunities with the new Keighley track - hopefully we will have a little more information after yesterday's Opening Ceremony.

So, it's all go

Ladies Road

1 team entered for British Masters 21st May