



## **SOUTH CHESHIRE HARRIERS**

### **Management Committee Meeting 9<sup>th</sup> March 2009**

#### **Minutes**

##### **Present:**

Alasdair Dyde (AD), Mike Cutler (MCu), Bill Ferguson (BF), Charles Rowlands (CH), Mel Cole (MCol), Simon Walker (SW), Andy Painter (AP), Kedren Elliot

Apologies: Mike and Jeanette Hatton, Steve Whincup

#### **MINUTES OF LAST MEETING.**

The minutes were approved

#### **MATTERS ARISING**

Alasdair had contacted Martin Stirna regarding the matter of New Runners. Martin had sent a letter to the committee outlining the procedure for new runners. He stated he was quite happy to deal with the new runners, but wanted to take the procedure further than the one which the committee had previously outlined.

Mel Cole said that Martin was happy to take ownership but would need help from other people in the future.

Mike Cutler said that a list should be put on the notice board naming Jog Leaders.

Alasdair said that Martin should have a list of people who could be contacted should Martin be unavailable to attend.

In conclusion, the committee agreed that Martin should be left to get on with the programme but he could ask people, in the club, to get involved if he needed them.

*Whitchurch Whippets.* The committee agreed that the clubs should meet for a social run and as the clocks were going forward soon, it would be an ideal time to meet. Alasdair would get in touch with the Whippets.

*Social Nights* Martin Stirna had said that a social/chip evening would encourage new members to get to know other club members.

Kedren had said that a social evening should be held soon, but it would take time to organise.

The committee agreed on a chip night for members on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2009.

Simon to see Dawn/ Nigel at the Vagrants to order the chips.

#### **MEMBERSHIP UPDATE.**

One new member.

#### **CLUB SECRETARY UPDATE.**

Mike Cutler said that he had forms for the Chester Spring 5, which would fill up.

Mike said he had been to the Cheshire AGM, and he met Sarah Friday, who was the Cheshire Coach Representative. Sarah wants to come to the Harriers to discuss her role in the Athletics scene.

Mike said that after speaking with Steve Whincup, the Jog Leaders Course fee did not include a CRB check.

Mike had rung UK Athletics who would send the forms for the CRB check to individuals if Mike supplied the details.

#### **ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

Kedren said she had submitted the entry into Runners World' "best running club in the country".

The committee agreed on a vote of thanks to Kedren on her hard work.

Steve Whincup had had some grant forms back for Jog Leaders and First Aid course fees.

Charlie said he had the £500 cheque for the 20 mile race from Virgin Trains.

Mike Cutler said he had booked the Vagrants for the Hellraiser on October 25<sup>th</sup> 2009.

Alasdair said that organisation for the 10k race was going to plan.

He had been approached by Hope House Hospice with a view to raising funds for the hospice.

Alasdair has replied saying the club would see how this years' race goes and then decide on which course to take regarding charities next year.

**DATE OF NEXT MEETING: Monday 6<sup>th</sup> April (1930 hours) at The Vagrants.**

The meeting closed at 21.20 hours.