



## **COMMITTEE MEETING OF SOUTH CHESHIRE HARRIERS**

**10<sup>th</sup> February 2014 AT THE VAGRANTS**

**ATTENDEES:** Alasdair Dyde, Mike Hatton, Simon Walker, Neil Jones, Andy Painter, Steve Whincup, Sue Poole, Gill Gibbons, Andrea Davies, Anne Ward, Diane Smith, Charles Rowlands

**APOLOGIES:** Amy Durrant, Phil Cliff, Mike Cutler

### **MATTERS ARISING**

The minutes of the last meeting were agreed.

### **Awards Evening**

Went well, thanks to Sue and Gill for organising. Next years date is 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2015 again at the golf club. There will not be any reservation of tickets, they will only be given out on payment.

### **Charity 2014**

Marie Morgan from the local Stroke Association came and talked to the committee about the service they provide. Their main aim is to try and prevent strokes and therefore need funding for research. They also offer a life after stroke service which is based at Leighton hospital. Any funds raised would be ring fenced for local use. One way of detecting the possibility of strokes is high blood pressure therefore there is the possibility of having Blood Pressure days at the clubs races.

### **Meeting with CNAC**

Mike H and Steve attend a discussion with CNAC Chairman and coach. Agreed to keep open discussions and a further meeting will be held in about a month.

### **STANDING ITEMS**

#### **Club Secretary**

We have 292 members of which over half have renewed with the early bird offer. April is when affiliation fees are due Steve will send notes out in March saying if people have not renewed by 1<sup>st</sup> April they can't claim affiliation to the club

#### **Treasure**

The Club is in a healthy position

## **Race Manager**

Great turn out at Alsager with over 60 runners present. Matt Smith, Pete Mal and Dave Betteley won Vets team prize as well as Matt 2<sup>nd</sup> V40 and Alan Brookes 2<sup>nd</sup> V55.

Need to push for people to enter next couple of Cheshire GP races.

## **Any Other Business**

Simon is looking into possibility of a locker at the Vagrants to store running kit.

Anne awaiting on a quote for marshalling bibs.

Tech T-shirts about to be ordered.

There will be a 6.5 mile version of Striding the Sandstone but only the 15 mile route will count for the off-road Champs.

Received a thank you letter from SADS.

Had to change companies for the race signs but should be available for 10K race.

**DATE OF NEXT MEETING: Monday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2014**