

Shrewton Running Club Committee Meeting

Tuesday 29 March, 7.45pm at The Plume of Feathers

Attendees: Kevin Ford (KF), Jane Chapman (JC), Kelly Doris (KD) - minutes, Philippa Royston (PR), Stephen Tarr (ST), Simon Marshall (SM)

Apologies: DB, CP, AC

AGENDA

Minutes	Action
<p>This was the first meeting of the new committee. KF thanked new committee members for coming forward.</p> <p>Matters Arising from AGM</p> <p>1. Running Kit EF has stepped down from committee but is happy to continue with the kit ordering. See how EF goes for 2 months. EF paid up front out of her own money for the last order as there is a minimum quantity on orders. This has been reimbursed by the club.</p> <p>2. Constitution Update The constitution is on the website. KF to get a copy to all committee members. LK would like a paragraph and a picture from each new committee member.</p> <p>3. Bank Charges, Donations and Club Fees ST now has all Treasurers access, plus KF's access to the bank. See how ST gets on with Coop bank. JM's Dad has donated £50. ST to pay into his account and transfer to savings account. KF sent a card to say thank you. ST to take a look at accounts for WORL to see if £30 membership has been paid in last 12 months. ST said he has a form for KD to sign to enable her to authorise expenditure if ST is not available. Membership is now live. Attendees asked if happy to keep membership fees the same and all agreed.</p> <p>4. Welfare Officer JB was Welfare Officer and part of this role was to organise a walk and talk where non-club members were encouraged to come along. KF asked if anyone wants this role. Attendees questioned if this role was needed. KF has agreed to take this</p>	<p></p> <p>KD, SM, CP, DB, ST, PR, JC, KF, AC</p> <p>ST – KD</p> <p>KF</p>

<p>role on until it is either dropped or a replacement is found.</p> <p>5. Social Sub Committee KF explained the Sub-Committee does not have to be part of the committee. JB wondered if a sub-committee was necessary. KF informed the group that the Social Sub Committee would meet up on the last Saturday of every month and he would like to bring this back. Attendees agreed to inform Club members of the next date for this social gathering of Saturday 30 April. A decision was also made to hold another It's a Knock Out event in June. Date to be finalised. Other social events ongoing and will be decided as the year progresses.</p> <p>6. Run Leader Link DB has offered to do this. KF to approach DB to do this. SM expressed an eagerness to partake in a Run Leaders course. KF will send some info to SM.</p> <p>7. Notice Board DB approached Shrewton Rec Committee about having a notice board next to their board. EF offered to pay for this. DB is looking at prices. There is a minimal charge from Rec Committee for having a notice board up. The board would have dates of runs/socials, copies of recent minutes. Chairperson to put information in/on the board. As time has passed DB would have to approach the Rec Committee again. Run meeting place could be by the notice board so that information can be read.</p> <p>8. Sunday Runs/Away Days KF spoke of Away Day runs pre Covid and asked if any committee members had ideas of any runs. KF informed attendees of an 8 mile at Allington and a 6 mile run at Pitton, parking at the Silver Plough. KF would like to offer these out to the club. Attendees agreed if something happened on the run that everyone would need to turn back. KD mentioned that if there is no Run Leader then the run doesn't happen. PR asked if there could be a roster for the Run Leaders. KD also mentioned that as an official Running Club the Run Leaders should organise between them who will be leading the runs so there is commitment to the running of the runs. PR mentioned if there is a rota, Run leaders can say when</p>	<p>ALL</p> <p>KF – DB KF – SM</p> <p>DB</p> <p>DB – run leaders</p>
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<p>they can't up front. ST thought that structuring the leadership of the runs might put people off as Run Leaders if they have to book up in advance.</p> <p>PR thinks somebody should have responsibility to make the decision that the run is happening or isn't ahead of the run.</p> <p>9. Parkrun Marshaling for C25k attendees before their race</p> <p>KF thought this might not be a good idea at this late stage.</p> <p>10. Promoting Club articles in Stonehenge Trader</p> <p>KF would like to promote the club more, specifically advertising in the Stonehenge Trader with a story about Run2Paris team and has asked DB for info on this.</p> <p>SM asked about the difference between other clubs and KF said other clubs can be quite competitive.</p> <p>KF mentioned the Stonehenge Trader was how he started with the club and others said they were shy to approach the club.</p> <p>KD suggested a specific open run and PR said this could also be advertised on social media.</p> <p>All agreed this promotion can go ahead.</p> <p>11. WRRL, Events (taking part)</p> <p>KF explained the club has been promoted from division 2 to division 1 and he would like to encourage this achievement by looking at club members attending Headington 5k which starts with a downhill run with the club subsidising the entry fee to this run. Communications to go out to club members before a run. ST said he was encouraged to sign up for external running events by attending a social gathering at the pub where this subject was discussed.</p> <p>PR asked if these events can go on the website. KF will ask LK to add to the calendar on website and Slack.</p> <p>PR mentioned a monthly email with social events email all agreed this would be helpful. PR volunteered to write the email with a calendar and send this to KD to send out to all email addresses.</p> <p>12. Big Liz Resolution Dash – Sunday 6 June, 9am</p> <p>Jubilee Medals at the end and open out this dash to the village. Need to look into the public road. KF to liaise with DB.</p> <p>FR – resolution dash to happen quarterly, improve your 5k. Aim for 24 April . PR to send times she took from last dash.</p> <p>13. Off Road Race in November</p> <p>Really good feedback from the Yarnbury Yomp and a good advert for the club. NS not keen on being race director. Would like this to go ahead but need a sub committee for this. JC</p>	<p>Nil</p> <p>KF</p> <p>KF – LK</p> <p>PR</p> <p>KF – DB</p> <p>PR</p>
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<p>thought the ending of the Yomp needs looking at as with different weather could have been unsafe. Need a race meeting in May. Date to be confirmed after discussing with Run Leaders.</p> <p>14. Signage for Run2Paris KF has asked for an A2 sign and an A3 magnetic sign to go on the van for SRC Run2Paris and. PR asked if it had to have Run2 Paris on it and whether use this for any event. All agreed it could be worded so that the signs can be used at other events such as Endure 24. The cost will come out of club funds.</p> <p>15. Refresh of Website LK has kindly agreed to oversee the website and the committee need to be conscious that he is doing this and to approach LK If we want something for website. The current strategy is 90% bringing in new members. SM thought the website needs to show a clear definition of what goes on. LK to be invited to next committee meeting to explain what he does with the website and Slack and for the committee to be clear on what we want him to put on.</p> <p>AOB JC mentioned she is not running and would like to offer a walk every Tuesday as an option for approximately an hour. JC to find interest in channel by using @everyone.</p> <p>Meeting finished 9.30pm</p> <p>Date of next meeting: Tuesday 10 May 2022 7.30pm</p>	<p>DB – run leaders</p> <p>KF</p> <p>KD – LK</p> <p>JC - all</p>
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