Minutes of the Committee Meeting of the Mid Sussex Triathlon Club Bent Arms, 13.12.21 8pm

Committee Present:

Katie McGregor-Chair Mark Walton- Vice Chair

Angela Murray- Acting Vice Chair

Esther Clutton- Secretary Clair Hunt- Treasurer

Steve McMenamin- Head Coach

Jo Fleming- Race Director

Debbie Ware- Open Water Swimming Simon Barton- Membership Secretary Adam Bryant- Welfare/COVID Officer

Carlos Castro- Webmaster

Zoe Rocholl-Member without Portfolio (Community

Links)

Patrick Romano- Member without portfolio

(Trifest/Duathlon Director)

Juniors-Vacancy

Committee Apologies:

Hannah Droscher Social Secretary

Roger Smith- Press officer

John Mactear - Member without portfolio (BAR

Director)

2.Minutes of previous meeting. Accuracy and matters arising- Welcome to New

Committee Members.

Time Keeper- Adam Bryant. Meeting began at 8.05pm

3. Club Diary Dates- Key Dates for 2022

10th December- Santa Run. Start at the Dolphin Finishing at the Stand Up Inn. CANCELLED

13th December- MSTC Committee Meeting

26th December - Boxing Day Swim With Mulled Wine After. Location TBC

24th January- MSTC Committee Meeting

29th January - Tamasha Indian Restaurant Lindfield. CANCELLED

12th February- 80s Disco. Venue TBC . Club Member's Event Raising funds for Aspire.

27th Feb- Brighton Half Marathon

7th March -MSTC Committee Meeting

25th April - MSTC Committee Meeting

5th June- Paul Hedger's White Bird Triathlon @ Ardingly College -Marshall's required

6th June- MSTC Committee Meeting

12th June -Club Race

15th June - Paul Hedger's -Swim the Lake @Ardingly -Marshalls required

4th July-MSTC Committee Meeting

20th July- Paul Hedger's -Swim the Lake- Marshalls required

23rd July- MSTC Junior GO-Tri- Coaches and Volunteers Required.

5th September-MSTC Committee Meeting.

24th/25th September Hever Castle Race Series. 25% off.

17th October- MSTC Committee Meeting

21st November -MSTC AGM

12th December-MSTC Committee Meeting

Action- Zoe Rocholl to generate a Google sheet with key dates to build cohesion within club. To collaborate with Carlos Castro to launch on website page.

Action- Esther to cancel Tamasha booking in light of Covid restrictions.

- 4. EA Payments. Action-Simon Barton to modify the current payment arrangements to reduce admin. Collaborate with Carlos Castro to embed an easier payment method on the website.
- 5. Club Trimark Application. Action- Esther Clutton to contact BTF to push through affiliation.
- **6.Coaching and Training Matters (Steve Mcmenamin)** Dolphin has been unable to move the spin to the hall. So the decision to cancel spin on a Wednesday was agreed.

Action- Steve M to cancel Spin sessions for the Xmas period.

Swim Capacity-Pay as you Go potential. Parked whilst the forecasting is completed. Swim attendance is well attended at the moment.

PPT- Extra 8am-9am session in addition to 9-10am session was decided against

25% discount on Hedgehog Tri events and Hever Castle was discussed. Parked until forecasting has been completed for the 2022 season.

7. Treasurer Report- (Clair Hunt) Updates since AGM. Clair presented a visual preview of the last three years of spending with a contribution from Jo Fleming

Action- Debbie Ware to investigate a Pricing Structure moving forward.

Action- Clair Hunt to complete a full Budget analysis and contact the Dolphin re invoices.

Action- Steve M to be given a coaching budget. Steve to pull together a coaching forecast.

Action- Sanctioning of payments to go through Chair, Vice Chair and Treasurer.

- 8. Welfare (A Bryant) Action- Adam to update Welfare Policies on the Webpage.
- 9.Open Water Swimming (Debbie Ware) N/A currently.
- 10.Events (Duathlon/Trifest/BAR) Action-Patrick Romano to put out a survey to investigate interest in local events
- 11.Club Race (Jo Fleming) Low uptake as expected at the moment. Covid Friendly Race with reduced participants forecast.
- 12. Kit (Mark Walton) N/A
- 13. Club Website (Carlos Castro) -

Action -Carlos to remove resigning members from the website access

Action- Carlos to update new content on the Website with the intention that in the future committee members can edit independently of Carlos.

Action- Content Webpage Sub Committee to be decided upon in January

- 14. Membership (Simon Barton) No change since the AGM
- 15. Juniors -Vacant. Ardingly Junior event is in the diary for 23rd July 2022. Booking is with Mike Sinfield at Ardingly College.
- **16. Social Secretary** (Hannah Droscher)- Covid suspended play. Tamasha cancelled. An outdoor venue to be explored at the Jan meeting.
- **17 Club Chair Report**-Katie thanked the committee for their warm welcome and thanked the coaches for all their support over the 2021 season.
- 18.AOB . N/A
- 19. Next Meeting 24th January