

# **CLEVELAND WHEELERS CYCLING CLUB**

## **MINUTES OF GENERAL MEETING** **Held at Prissick Cycling Circuit, Middlesbrough** **Monday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2014**



### 1. Chairman's Address

The Chairman welcomed all attendees and outlined the agenda of items to be discussed during the meeting.

### 2. Present

M Cole (Chairman) G Tate (Gen Sec.) J Kelly (Website development)  
C Thornton Dave Kirton (membership Secretary) Marcus Smith (Racing Secretary) Derek George

Apologies from Steve Binks, Maureen Daniels, Steve Tilly, Bill Millen and Joseph George

### 3. Matters Arising

Listed below is the item to be discussed during the meeting:

- The future of the Mike Binks Memorial RR  
Marshalling
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#### 4. Officials Reports

##### **General Secretary**

Recap on what was discussed in the previous meeting and a summary of recent events.  
Due to both the Racing and Membership Secretary's being absent the respective reports were given by the General Secretary

##### **Treasurer**

- Deposits stand at £879.61
- Current balance is £2753.45
- £62.72 for trophy insurance

##### **Membership Secretary**

The membership secretary stated that the current membership currently stands at 240 members.

##### **Racing Secretary**

Marcus recently attended the BCF board meeting – nothing of significance to report.

##### **Youth Development Officer**

Clubs will fund youth development but we don't seem to get much from it. Do we continue to pay additional funds? The committee voted in favour.

##### **Website Development**

Nothing really to report apart from that it would be nice to have more information regarding the SPOCO events.

#### 5. Main Agenda

Mike Binks RR - The future of the Mike Binks RR and who will organise it after Nigel Hopper stepped down was discussed. A possible saviour might be Chris Smart although he wanted to combine the Fire Services into the event primarily because it was more central than Scotland.

Marshalling – It was stated that a few members hadn't turned up for the hilly 21 and also a few other events.

It was asked if Steve had a full list of members and who is marshalling what event. If so, could he pass it on to Dave Kirton and so an amalgamated list can be created.

## 6. Other News

CTT – No meeting for a couple of months and the risk assessments aren't up to scratch.

Norman Bielby – Norman asked if the committee would agree to give a donation to league 2000 in the region of £400+ if possible. The committee thought it was a little high and would look at it at a later date.

Members Views - Touching on what was mentioned at the last AGM, it was thought that it was still a good idea if we could get more comments and feedback from the members. Using the surveys that Paul Christon drew seems a good idea.

Spokesman – It was discussed whether the Spokesman was still cost effective and the right vehicle to send out information. The consensus was that although the majority have the internet and can receive it by email people were more than likely going to sit down and read it if it was in paper format so it should still be available for those who would like it.

## 7. Close of Meeting

There being no further business the Chairman closed the Meeting at 8.45 p.m.

## 8. Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held on the 7<sup>th</sup> July 2014.