

Kingston Kayak Club Minutes

10/12/2013

Chair - Andy Davies

Minutes - Vicki Lowthorpe

Present Alex Lowthorpe, Andy Lowthorpe, Marie Dickens, Lesley Medina, Gareth Jones, Meg Rudkin, Nicky Allan, Nikki Rudkin

Apologies Sue Burgess, Bob Jones, Alan Fisher, Alex Jones

The committee welcomed Nicky and Marie as Parent Representatives

Action Points - see separate sheet

Treasurer:

Lesley gave details of the club accounts.

The water bill for the outdoor pool hasn't arrived yet

Lesley gave details of two quotes for the auditing of the accounts - £325 plus VAT or £280 plus VAT

The committee agreed for Harvey, Nichols & Train to audit the accounts

A system for payment from Hull University sessions is needed - Andy L to check who has the money from the university sessions

All disciplines should have a float of £25, anything over this needs to be banked

Buildings:

Nothing to report

Coaches:

Andy D reported back from the last coaches meeting

The junior sessions have been reviewed. The coaches are to take control of the children's behaviour. Improve the quality of the coaching, making the session more interesting. The coaches will share ideas with each other. The senior sessions are to be mixed.

Events have been arranged for the coming months, Andy will send out the dates

The next coaches meeting is scheduled for 4/3/14

Andy D is contacting the BCU regarding the current coaching situation in the region, several senior coaches have stepped down

Top Club:

Added to the Agenda for next meeting

Marathon:

The season commences in March 14, with Brigg Marathon in April. Julian will send details out to club members

Slalom:

Training Sessions are going well

Polo:

B Team is doing well

Open:

Nothing to report

Sea Kayaking:

Nothing to report

AOB

- Lesley has taken on the coaches side of Top Club, and will be emailing coaches for the information required
- Phil Scowcroft is supporting Lesley in her role as LCO
- A Level 1 coach course is being held locally - dates to be confirmed. There is also the possibility of a Level 2 course
- Funding for coaching courses - Level 1 and 2 - the committee agreed to review this on a case-by-case basis. Lesley to email members to assess the level of interest.
- The committee agreed to fund 2/3 of a coaching course for one of KKC Club Members due to the region being unable to part fund.
- Kid's Christmas Party is organised for 22/12/13

- 22nd December 2013 - Intermediate White Water Trip
- 15th December 2013 - Frosty Fingers
- Two Trophies have not been returned - Kier Davey and Marathon - Andy D to contact the Golf Club
- 62 people attended this years Club Social. The committee agreed to change the name of the party to "CLUB PARTY" in the hope of encouraging more people to attend. It was agreed to have 2014's party at the same venue, Andy D will book the room. We was also agreed to advertise earlier
- The committee agreed to cancel the following sessions - Bank Holidays, 29th December 2014. AGM - keep 6-7 session but cancel the other sessions
- It was agreed that Scott Rudkin would be a Key holder

Next Meeting 12/2/2014