

## KKC Committee Meeting 14.07.16

**Present:** - Andy Davies, Dave Rawding, Lesley Medina, Julian Medina, Sarah Graves, Bob Jones, Duncan Berriman, Sue Burgess, Meg Rudkin, Linda McKenzie

**Apologies:** - Gareth Jones, Nikki Allan, Marie Dickens

**Buildings:** - Alan was absent so there wasn't anything to report

**Treasurer's Report:** - Lesley shared the figures with everyone.

Dave advised that he had received confirmation of the following: -

£1500 - Cattle Trust

£3000 - Comic Relief

£2500 - High sheriff Tribune Trust

£150 - Community Health Fund – Summer School

New boats and spray decks have been bought with some of this funding. One of the grants allocated was dependant on the club donating old boats to a local charity. Some boats were given to St Michael's in Hull. This is an alternative provision for young people who may be/are involved in anti-social behaviour. Old equipment will only be donated when we have new stock to replace it.

The club will not run any indoor sessions during August, but sessions will be run outside as usual. Sessions will be charged at the normal amount for outdoor sessions. £3 seniors £2.50 for juniors

Meter readings for pool filling      Start 1655.2      Finish 2881.4

**Polo:** - The Hull International was very successful. Thank you to the Lowthorpe family for making it happen and finding the new venue. Feedback was extremely positive. Thank you to all the volunteers who gave up their time over the weekend, setting up, working over the two days and dismantling everything

5 teams will compete in the Yorkshire and National Leagues.

We still don't have a Polo representative

**Slalom:** - How sham was a great success. Thank you to Duncan for arranging it and thanks to everyone who helped over the weekend, especially those who helped put the course up and stayed behind to take the course down and pack the trailer.

Duncan has sent an email round asking people to sign up for Interclubs. Sarah offered to speak to parents on a Monday evening to pass on information about events/trips/Interclubs

**Marathon:** - Thank you to Lesley & Julian for organising a successful Derwent Marathon. Thanks go to the club members who helped at the event

Wolfreton - Marathon will be held on October 2<sup>nd</sup>

There are fewer Yorkshire events this year as some clubs haven't held events

Nothing to report in respect of club trips, due to holidays etc

**Sea Kayaking** :- Nothing to report

**Open boats:** - Nothing to report

## A.O.B

- When the pool was refilled, it was discovered that there was a part of the lining on the bottom that had lifted and caused a blister. The company came back to patch it over, but the club need to be aware when the pool is emptied again.
- The committee discussed having a maintenance fund so that funds are available in the future when repairs are required.
- Positive comments have been received from people who went on the club trip. Everyone really enjoyed it. Thanks to all of the coaches who gave up their weekend to support the trip
- Two of our club members were recently involved in an incident at a polo match in Roundhay Park, Leeds. One paddler received a one game ban, as Yorkshire Polo felt that the matter had been dealt with at the time and the sanction was served . The second paddler was given a 10 game ban plus the game that he missed on the day, as the dispute was continued in the car park after the game. This paddler appealed against the decision, but the sanction was upheld. The committee have been asked to consider whether any sanction should be put in place by the club. It was brought to the attention of a club member at the Hull International that the same paddler was involved in another incident with another competitor. The organiser of the event agreed to speak to the perpetrator. The committee agreed that a warning letter would be sent to the paddler reminding him of the club code of conduct and expectations regarding behaviour.
- Quite a few bookings have been received for Summer School. The event hasn't been advertised as yet as we need a poster showing the correct dates. We still need coaches to run the sessions.
- There have been ongoing discussions with two paddlers about an incident that happened some time ago between three paddlers during a polo match one Monday night. One paddler immediately apologised when questioned and recognised that his behaviour was totally unacceptable. Warning letters were sent out to the other two paddlers outlining expectations re behaviour. Both paddlers have made representations against receiving the letters. The committee reviewed the decision and considered all the information gathered and agreed that the warning was appropriate and would stand.
- It was noted that there are still paddlers that are taking part in sessions that haven't paid their membership. It was agreed at the ACM and previous committee meetings that if members haven't paid their membership by the end of June they would not be allowed to paddle in sessions. If members haven't paid by the end of the month the committee will write to the National Polo committee confirming that these paddlers are not members of the club. Andy Davies will speak to the captains of each team to advise them that all paddlers need to pay by 22 July.
- Club Social 18 November 2016 – venue as last year
- The club needs to update the Top Club accreditation. Sue B will meet with Phil Scowcroft on 15 August to discuss.
- It was agreed to buy some new paddles as some have been damaged recently
- Bob is going to have keys cut for all the people on reception to enable them to gain access to the building when they are 'manning' the desk
- Dave suggested buying labels for the club boats/kit for easy identification. Bob is going to speak to Fiona to see where they get there's from.

Next meeting Thursday 15 September 2016 7.30