

YTRRC Committee Meeting

Wednesday 5th February 2025

Abbey Manor Community Centre, Yeovil
7.00pm

Present: Phil McQuaid, David Mears, Tim Willis, Denise Byrd, Lesley Nesbitt, Linda Membury, Simon Rowbottom, Adam Hawkins, Graham Still, Guy Williams, June Moule

A G E N D A

Apologies – Steve Warren, Jo Samuel, Mel Dodge

Minutes of last meeting – approved by DM, proposed and seconded by GS.

Matters Arising - none

Chairperson's report – Steve Warren

Secretary report – Angela Dobbs

- Both ballot place winners are now registered for London Marathon

Treasurer's report – Simon Rowbottom

- Nothing to report

Membership report – Adam Hawkins

- Current membership – 244 first claim members with 2 more pending. 10 second claim members, 12 new members in January.

Club Captain – Graham Still/Linda Membury

- LM has put an advert on Facebook for North Dorset Village Marathon Relay – she believes that she has a team for this.
- GS updated that one of the club members (Matt Driver) has offered to take over arranging a team for Wessex Ridgeway. GS has confirmed with MD that runners will need to recce the route first and wear club colours
- GS noted that track has been getting really popular. Chard runners have visited, and GS has suggested doing another open track night and inviting other clubs to come along. Track will be free for everyone who attends on this night. This is likely to be in the Spring.

Kit – Graham Still

- Has now stopped using the previous company that we were using for club t-shirts and hoodies, we will now be using a new company in Yeovil. The new company have requested payment in advance for any orders for the first time and then after this we will have 30 days to pay.

Championship secretary – Lesley Nesbitt

- Well done to everyone who ran at Longleat last week in horrendous weather

Webmaster – Guy Williams

- Nothing to report

Data Protection/Welfare Officer – Dave Mears

- Nothing to report.

Pub and club runs – Phil McQuaid

- Pub runs have been published up to 30 March.
- AGM will be on 13 May at YTFC, £12 per head.
- There have been some vests made up for marshalling, there will be some made up for chief marshal, tail runner etc.

AOB

- 5k series – distance licence has come through, camp is progressing (permission to run), we have a camp rep who has been putting up posters for the event. We have a new named person who will be responsible for keys every time. There is a possibility that there may be someone else who can help alongside this for when the main keyholder is unavailable. At the moment there is an issue with keys for the Easter Bunny.
- Race licence for the 5k – slight issue at the moment in terms of being able to access the Run Britain website to apply for this.
- Schools' cross country is on Monday at Bucklers Mead – any help will be gratefully received. The following one on 3rd March is at Aldon Hill.
- Two home games coming up soon so club runs will be at Goldenstones those weeks.
- Town Tree Trail – if anyone would like to help, this would be appreciated.

The next meeting will be Wednesday 5th March 2025 at Abbey Manor Community Hall at 7.00pm. This will be open to club members to attend if they wish to however If anyone has any issues/questions they would like to raise, then they must email them through to the chair or secretary, nothing new will be discussed on the night. AOB will be covered by committee members only.