

St Ives Cycling Club – Committee Meeting Minutes

Held at 7:30 pm on Monday 9th January 2017
at the Dolphin Hotel, St. Ives

Attendees:

Jack Burgin, Andy Wylde, Mike Hoy, Bob Cooper, Peter Lamb, Dave Pope, Cameron Walker, James Barlow and Donna Hime

Apologies for absence:

James Bamford, Tom Caldwell, Simon Pauley, Esther Pauley, Alan Moules, Tony Cork and Chris Lawrence

People with actions named in **bold**.

Proceedings:

1. Review of actions from the last meeting

- **Jack** will order rubber feet for the car roof signs – Mike has provided dimensions.
- **Chris** has asked Kalas about MTB kit and is waiting for a list from them
- An invitation to the awards evening has been sent to members.
- A cheque for £656 has been sent to the CTT for the 2016 levy
- **Chris** has contacted BC about his road safety message idea and will report back at the next meeting
- ECCA have been paid. **Andy** has asked Terry Cooke to confirm what is required for the N&DCA.
- **Alan** will report back on the Rutland sponsorship arrangements for 2017 at the next meeting (discount levels and which shops they can be used at) – Peter noted that he had recently been refused club discount at Grafham
- A membership renewal request has been sent to members. **Bob** will put reminders in the club run emails.
- ERRL fees for 2017 have been paid
- **Jack** is waiting for a response from the ERRL about accredited marshal training dates and costs.
- **Chris** is waiting for confirmation of additional club kit costs from Castelli etc.
- **Dave** will remind Netty to send the outstanding £200 TT fees to Alan for banking
- James Barlow has joined the committee as TT Coordinator
- The list of awards winners for the 2016 season is being compiled (see below)

2. Reports from Committee Members

Go-Ride

The Christmas awards event went well and the recent Muddy Monsters event attracted 76 riders, including 18 from St Ives CC.

The Hinchingsbrooke and Alconbury weekly sessions continue to attract good numbers of riders and several of them are competing in Cyclocross Races, around the region and nationally.

The Go-Ride group have £2,700 in their bank account.

Road Race

The club's BC events are now live on the BC website.

Membership

It was agreed that Mick Hodson should pay the standard membership fee after helping at the cyclo-cross event and marshalling at a VTTA event.

Renewals are ongoing at a good rate.

Peter Lamb (Ordinary Member)

Peter is in discussion with The Swan at Connington to arrange a social event on 23rd July – the last day of the TdF. The cost will be £10 per head and it was agreed that the club will subsidise the event. Members and their families will be charged £5/head and the balance will be paid by the club.

Peter was given authority to pay a deposit for the event on the basis that approximately 50 people may attend and the maximum cost will therefore be £500.

Closer to the date, arrangements will be made for the club run on that day to finish at the pub. **Peter** will prepare an invitation to members that will be sent by Donna.

It was suggested that **Peter** ask **Si** to create a club email address so that he can send bulk emails to members.

Club Runs

15 people rode the 100 mile ride on 29th December. Only five riders rode on Boxing Day.

Recent club runs have all run smoothly.

Time Trials

Equipment for the coming season needs to be gathered together. Some signs are being stored at the Sawtry Pavilion. **Bob** has agreed to help put out and collect the signs each week.

James will check that it is OK to use the Pavilion on Thursdays and will confirm the first and last dates of the season and the hill climb date.

Dave will email his time trial organisation spreadsheet to James and will ask Chris Penney if he will still help with the collation of results. He will also email James Bamford about changing the weekly MTB rides to run on Wednesdays in 2017.

James will confirm arrangements for marshals, starters and the number issuing process that will be used.

James will write a note to members explaining arrangements for the forthcoming season once details have been confirmed.

Press Secretary

The press side of things is going well with almost weekly features on the juniors in the Hunts Post and there are regular updates on the club's website and our FB pages too.

MTB

The weekly MTB club ride on Thursdays has still been producing a good turnout in the dark cold winter nights (it was 4°C last week!). 7 riders this last week, which is an average for this time of year.

19 riders are booked on the MTB club trip to Wales on 3rd, 4th and 5th February,

3. 2016 Win Bonus Scheme

There were no claims this month.

4. Agreement of trophy winners for the 2016 season and arrangements for engraving

The list of trophy winners for the 2016 season was agreed.

Mike took the trophies and will arrange for them to be engraved. New trophies will be purchased as required. **Dave** has made arrangements for the outstanding trophies to be passed to Mike.

A new trophy will be presented for the club's best track rider.

5. Any Other Business

Dave will let the Eastern region know that our preferred cyclo-cross race date is Sunday 29th October 2017

Chris will be asked to confirm when the next ordering window will open for club kit. **Si** has suggested that ordering dates for the year can be published on the website.

Dates for 2017 open events

The club will promote the following events in 2017:

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| - April - August | Evening time trial events | - James Barlow |
| - Sun 7 th May | ERRL 3/4 Road Race | - Jack Burgin |
| - Tue 11 th July | NCRA Road Race (2/3/4) | - Jack Burgin |
| - TBC | ERYCS Youth Road Race
and ladies road race | - Mike Hoy |
| - September | Dave Nelson Memorial Hill Climb | - James Barlow |
| - Sun 17 th September | LVRC Road Race | - Andy Wylde / Alan Moules |
| - Sun 29 th October | Eastern League Cyclocross | - Dave Pope |