

Dorset Classic Scramble Club AGM 2018

Held at The Crown Inn, East Stour 16th November 2018 - 7.30pm

PRESENT- Nigel Martin, Penny Turner, Alf Butler, Dominic Blades, Paul Feltham Chris Wiles, Julie Wiles, Graham Hacker, Wayne Coward, Tony Willis, Andrew Coombs, Ange Coombs, Charles Toulson, Kelvin Vincent, Jackie Vincent. Dave Pike, Mark Kendall, Adrian Frampton, Adrian Taylor, Brad Rainford, Christopher Hacker, Dave Amos, Gary Lutring, Gary Taylor, Gary Warr, Mrs Warr, Guy Burton, Harry Pike, Kevin Feltham, Neville Frampton, Pete Brown, Rob Barnard, Rupert Hills, Stuart Hacker, Andy Feltham, Steve Clements, Mike Popperwell, Martin Kemp, Mike Gillingham, Steven Real.

APOLOGIES - Barry Bannister, Jonathan Bannister, James Bannister, Graham Thomas, Oliver Wiles.

1. MINUTES OF THE AGM 18th NOVEMBER 2017 - Proposed: Andy Coombs Seconded: Dave Pike
2. MATTERS ARISING - None
3. CHAIRMANS REPORT
4. TREASURERS REPORT- A treasurer's report was handed out for all attendees to peruse. A loss was made of £607.94, this was partly due to spending out to put East Chelborough back to its original state and also spectators being on the low side at West Bourton due to the weather. Closing Current Bank Account figure £7503.70 and the Bonus Account £6224.65

Memberships total this year £1034.00 (105 paid memberships).

At this stage as Nigel Martin resigned from being Chairman Chris Wiles took over the meeting. Chris congratulated Nigel, Penny and Alf for all the work they had done. Gary Warr said a thankyou to the old committee.

5. ELECTION OF OFFICERS & COMMITTEE-

CHAIRMAN – Stuart Hacker Proposed by Dave Pike, Seconded by Kelvin Vincent. All in favour.

VICE CHAIRMAN – Dave Pike Proposed by Kelvin Vincent, Seconded by Alf Butler. All in favour.

SECRETARY- Wayne Coward Proposed by Harry Pike, Seconded by Kelvin Vincent. All in favour.

TREASURER- Harry Pike Proposed by Graham Hacker, Seconded by Kelvin Vincent. All in favour.

EQUIPMENT OFFICER- Paul Feltham Proposed by Stuart Hacker, Seconded by Andy Coombs. All in favour.

SCRAMBLES COMMITTEE- Dominic Blades Proposed by Alf Butler Seconded by Stuart Hacker All in favour.
Kelvin Vincent Proposed by Harry Pike Seconded by Paul Feltham All in favour.

6. PROGRAMME OF EVENTS – The new committee wish to run next year and once established they will release information.
7. DISCUSSION – Guy Burton asked why the Club could not use Galhampton this year, Chris replied that the only reason was the work load of running 3 as one ran into another.
Wayne Coward mentioned the AMCA AGM the following day and if the Club would be applying for 2 events for next season, this was confirmed. He also asked if the venues had to be named – the answer was no.
Gary Warr asked why all the scramble events from all the Clubs are so together. Martin Kemp answered that the spectrum throughout the season is very full and that the AMCA are very particular about Clubs and dates together. He said the Southwest Clubs can talk together to sort dates. He mentioned that Dorset may have dropped one meeting but that Somerset were now running.

Chris asked if anyone had any feelings about Fun Trials. Graham Hacker said he wanted to run them previous but the committee were not interested. The reason being the committee already had too much work.

Paul Feltham suggested keeping next season quite basic for the new committee.

Social events were discussed. Dave Pike said this would be a good idea to get together and see faces out of season.

Chris put the question of someone out of the committee arranging this. No one spoke up.

Graham Hacker complained about the website and that it should reflect facebook.

Emailing updates to members could be useful but the committee do have to have a correct email for this to work.

Graham mentioned a phone call, this would be unrealistic as committee do not have time to make several phone calls. Wayne Coward suggested if there is anything members would like discussed then to email direct. Gary Warr made a suggestion of mailchimp as you can see whether the email has been received and read.

Grouping - this is something that the new committee will discuss. Chris said that he originally changed it to help him out on the grading and that whichever way is chosen you will never please everyone.

AMCA Licences – It was discussed that it would be good to get rid of Day Licence Holders as it makes the whole process easier. The problem with this is that it may put off new riders having a go.

Rupert Hills wanted to know the rules of staking a track and roping as there always seemed to many and would it now cut down on work. Answer – the Club have always put safety first.

Chris asked if there were anymore questions to which there was none.

Chris wished the new committee good luck.

Meeting closed at 8.20pm