RFRC Committee Meeting

AGENDA

Wednesday 13th May via Zoom

Present: Mary, Sandra, Sam, Helen, Nic, Dave, Linda, Peter, Ali, Paula, Michelle, Ola, Kate

- 1. Apologies None
- 2. Review actions from last meeting

Action	By whom	Comments
Procedure for club members to book minibus - ongoing	Mary	Next meeting
Photos for website - ongoing	Mary, Sandra	Next meeting
Ideas for club summer ball – ongoing. Potential venue – more details to follow.	Michelle	Probably won't happen
Taunton Carnival – nobody attended, need to pass bank details to John. Mary to forward email to Michelle	Michelle	Next meeting
Group leaders meeting in summer	Ali	To organise
First Aid training	Paula/Nic	TBC

- 3. AGM feedback Went really well. Good turnout of members.
- 4. Committee roles 20/21 Sandra taking over welfare from Kate. Ola to update website.
- 5. George Hudson award prize

What to do this year with multiple people getting prize. Give them the money – they could go for meal together. All to organise. Peter will sort out vouchers for other two winners.

6. Accounts/charity donation

Michelle has done accounts. What donation should we give to ARC? Herepath made £638, £147 in donations, £232 Humdinger. Could donate £1000. Peter to get bank details and pass on to Michelle to do bank transfer. Website will be updated with information on the donation. Good to publicise, a lot of members don't realise how much the club donates to charities.

7. Open Track/Racefully

These are two pieces of software that we can get free from EA. Ali looking at Open Track, Dave looking at Racefully. Open Track just for racing rather than social running. A lot of track and field clubs use it. Good for virtual racing. Too much work? Ali could sit down and do it if we want to do it. If you want to do something social, the app is probably better in getting people motivated. Things may change later in the year.

Racefully – Dave not managed to download it yet. iPhone only – no Android version. Will persevere and try it out.

8. Keeping club members engaged

30-40 people engaged with challenges – what are other people doing? The club Facebook page can seem quite overwhelming for some. Are some people running too high mileage? Maybe some people are picking up injuries. What is our responsibility? Could we post a cross training challenge? Sandra happy to advise on how to increase distance safely. Top tips from committee members? Sam happy to host another quiz next Wednesday. Consider tips for the new beginners as well. Could have a Couch to 5k programme online and an improvers programme as well. Take a week each and run things by the committee before posting. Nic to take first week – post on a Wednesday night.

9. Herepath update

Inclination not to do it this year. Local races have rescheduled to that time and have paid out already so would be unfair to take the entries away from them. Too risky to take money and have to refund. Not worth this financial risk. Peter will let Ben know.

10. AOB

Humdinger – Sandra planning to start delivering T-shirts and medals. 160 to deliver. Unbreakable Men – need to fill out a form and will get £100 Michelle – donation to bank account, anonymous – probably from a member?

11. Date of next meeting Wednesday 1st July, 7.30pm