



Minutes of meeting of Shepperton Slalom Canoe Club
committee 21.08.11 at 7.30

Attending: Richard Hodge, Vivienne Mugford, Gordon Walling, Dave Waine, Shiona Shaw, Jon Aston

Items for discussion are:

The Equity Plan
The next Shepperton Event
The Bank works

Equity |Action Plan

The committee considered how the club could improve its level of equity

1. As part of the next club house development – ladies changing rooms to increase in size.
2. consider all girl sessions and all boy sessions for next after school club.
3. Already an adult beginner course.
4. Feel we already welcome all faiths, etc.
5. Disabled people catered for depending on disability. A topo duo might assist in this.

Gordon to come up with more ideas and Chris Edge to be contact re. format for action plan.

September event;

Dave W suggested that next year all 3 events to be run by Shepperton as the only reason for Blades to run Sept. event in previous year was a clash with div 1/Prem race. Shepperton need the revenue because of Site costs and needs to provide all equipment anyway. There are other local events (Lodden and Yalding) that desperately need organisers and he hoped Blades might consider taking one on – with help from Shepperton as always.

This year to run as planned.

Dave to set up comms.

Ruth Norman organising.

Order cards

Ask Steve and Louise about organising judges rota.

To talk to Steve lock keeper.
Cafe sorted
Course to go up on Tuesday before event.

Communication

The Shepperton SCC Face book page is proving useful

Bank Works

Contractors should finish at end of week.
EA made it difficult to do work. Has been difficult to clear rocks and create holes for line and light poles. Poles £1000 +VAT.
Need cable across £500. Flood lights other side on temporary line for now. £1600 - £1900. Should be finished by mid October.
Dave itemised the huge amount of work he has done with a little help from members.

The committee formally thanked Dave Waine for managing the club side of the project and for his outstanding effort.

Big push needed to help him get it ready for the September Event starting 6th September 2.00.
Grants to help with expenses – Chris Edge to be asked re club facility grant

Equipment

Procter and Gamble boats ordered. 2 more from local grant – details with Caroline Swann.

Site

Sensored lights in loo useful. Will extend the use of sensored lights.

More ideas on house development – new boat store .Gym. Lounge/Kitchen/Storage in seats etc - must involve whole club when redevelopment is a possibility.

Forthcoming problem as the half the car park is being sold. Need to look elsewhere for event parking. Ask Joel to find out about angling club site.

Coaching

First Aid Course arranged with Brian Thomas on 13th Nov for 8 people - £400 total fee.

AGM arranged for 15th November at 7.30. to include nibbles and hot drinks.

Motions for Slalom Committee ACM to be circulated before hand and anyone with opinions to offer them rather than going through the whole list at the meeting.

Aob

Need more help from members. Discussion to have amount of help willing to offer on membership form, including none.

Meeting closed at 9.30