

Gloucester City Swimming Club.

Minutes from meeting held 10/01/2018

Present... Vic Blakelock, Brian Dickson, Andrea Lloyd

Flavia Jones Sue Osborne & Claire Bulpin

Apoligies..... Emma Blakelock

Previous minutes were read and agreed.

COACHES Report

Due to the meeting being relatively close to the previous one a Coaches report wasn't required, not much happened over Christmas

CHAIRMANS REPORT

No Chairman's due to ongoing issues within the club

FINANCIAL SUMMERY REPORT

A brief update was given by Flavia regarding our current financial status and it was agreed a separate meeting would take place to sign off the financial year's statement, ready for presentation to the accountants by the end of March and for presentation at this year's AGM.

Discussion also took place in regards to land training venue issues and cost.

Action: Vic & Flavia to arrange meeting with land training team.

WORKFORCE CO-ORDINATOR

Claire busy and actively involved in recruiting volunteers for the up and coming County programmes and the organising of open meets etc.

Also looking at help required for up and coming club champs in April

Action : Claire (Ongoing)

Membership.

Andrea chasing a few people for outstanding monies and fees, no major issues to report. A few faces have cancelled membership and moved to other clubs at the same time a few new faces have joined us.

Swim 21 Update

On course for completion on time with a few outstanding standards still to be completed, Claire has offered to help Sarah to complete.

Company status

Gavin has now informed the club he intends to stand down from the director's position leaving the club now without any directors, we will require volunteers to come forward and become new directors or the club may have to consider dissolving itself from a company which could have some financial implications to it.

General comms to go out with an explanation of what being a director involves and impacts it can have on individuals responsibilities and the club.

Action: Comms required to go out.

Swim shop update.

It's been confirmed that we can purchase equipment direct from Swim path with discount, we need to explore this further and look to sell off at discount prices

Action Emma

CLUB CHAMPS

Licence applied for, meet pack all sorted and advert for entries are about to go on the active system for a two day event in April, Brian arranging officials cover with Claire looking at the workforce. Emma to seek volunteer team managers

Action: Ongoing

WELFARE OFFICER

Still a number of various welfare issues ongoing. The changing of swimmers on poolside, some parents have now been spoken to in regards to this as it's a South West welfare issue.

A complaint had been received from the last county event over swimmers using foul language and being disruptive during the last weekend of counties, also not changing in the required areas with some boys and girls sharing. No individual clubs or swimmers have been identified so generic warnings have gone to swimmers from clubs and coaches.

ACTION Committee and coaches.

Outstanding club internal issues

A panel had now been chosen with dates set for interviews, passed over from the club hopefully all resolved by the next meeting.

Club Coaches and Committee meal out

This had been arranged for Sat 3rd Feb

Due to the fact the head coach is now in hospital awaiting heart surgery it was decided to cancel for the time being a future date will be arranged.

Committee meeting closed at 2000hrs approximately.

Date of next meeting to be confirmed