

Eastern Cyclo Cross League

Committee Meeting Agenda

Monday 27th January at 07:30pm

In person at Elmy Cycles, 86-88 St Helen's St, Ipswich. IP4 2LB

Present: Richard Miller, Steve Grimwood, Lee Rowling, Ian Poole, Jo Newstead, Daniel Doncaster, Dave Copland, Paul Moss, Sally Withey

1. Apologies
Pete Whelan, Simon Wilson, Ian Doe, Jo Denny,
2. Minutes of Last Meeting
Agreed as a true record
3. Matters Arising
Clarification of warm up times for youths/adults caused a conflict in timetable. Clearer timetable to be clarified for next season
4. Season Review So Far
West Suffolk Wheelers
Good course, nice new sand pit. Well organised and a great race
Cambridge Youth
Great days racing, thanks to everyone for putting up with the poor weather at the end. Good marshalling, great event.
5. End of Season Team Event/Awards
Entries have gone live. Same format as last year with a team relay and a mixed randomly allocated team. Awards all in hand. Trophies have been sent to be engraved. Pictures with the trophy and we will take back to be engraved and stored for next season. Photograph each trophy and put it on the website with a list of winners. Trophies can be stored with Steve Grimwood but with no monetary value.
6. Treasurers Report
The League accounts are currently running at a profit of £2860.37 and the association accounts at a profit of £4815.35. The League will still need to pay for judges expenses after the season has ended plus some trophies and medals so it will probably make a small loss. The Association still needs to pay the BC levies once the season has finished so it will make a loss of around £1200. The bank account still has a very healthy balance and we're extremely proud to have been able to sponsor 4 young riders this season with the help of R&A Graphics who are supplying the numbers at cost. Riders supported have been Isaac Starmer, Daniel Elliott and Elizabeth Whall to help with National Trophy costs and Ellie Mitchinson who has ridden several UCI World Cup races and has been selected in the GB Junior Women team for the World Championships in Leirin.
There will be proposals at the AGM to increase entry fees and remove the prize fund in order to help organiser costs.
League registrations and race entries are some 20 odd % down on last season.
7. AGM
Proposal to discontinue perpetual trophies and each category winners will receive individual trophies and medals.
7:30pm Thursday 13th March Colchester Sports Park
PM to setup Zoom meeting to discuss proposals w/b 3rd March.
Acknowledge the race times but refer to committee to revise and publish.
8. Coaching update
Youth training days proposal from Simon Wilson was circulated. Committee agreed that we will have no problem funding this and we're delighted to be able to support it.
9. AOB
Jack Humphreys BC MTB talent team, trying to get something going in the East Region.

Interested in getting a Teams/Zoom discussion.

National Trophy 2024/25 dates have been published. National Champs at South Shields
UCI event at Milton Keynes, Cat 2 race not a World Cup

League would like to express its thanks and appreciation to Pete Whelan for his years of service on the committee and all his hard work with Eastern Region CX.

6 x V50 will move to V60 next season

13 x V40 will move to V50 so we recommend the V60's continue to race with the V40's

10. Date of Next Meeting

PM to send proposals around as they come in and then arrange a Zoom meeting for w/b 3rd March to discuss. Provisional 4th March