

HAMILTON HARRIERS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Monday 11th August 2008

Doonin Pub, Blantyre, 7pm



ACTIONS

1. **PRESENT** Jim Breen (Minutes Secretary), Andy McLinden, Claire Purdie, John Berry, Ross Bickerstaff, Roy Foot, Mark Bryson, Peter Middleton.
2. **APOLOGIES** Claire McArthur
3. **MINUTES AND MATTERS ARISING**

The minutes were accepted as a true record of the previous meeting.

The committee accepted the membership card template that Mark Bryson presented. This will now become the official club card as of February 2009. SAL membership still remains optional.
4. **CLUB FEES** Various formats for paying club fees were discussed. One option is for harriers to set up a standing order with their bank and arrange 12 monthly instalments of £7.00. The second option is to pay the yearly subscription of £84.00 as a one off payment. Peter Middleton (treasurer) is the contact person for discussing/arranging this method of payment.
5. **LONDON MARATHON** Michael Maxton and Jim Breen are as yet the only two club members who have expressed an interest in bidding for the one guaranteed club place. Anyone else who wishes to be considered should inform John Berry and before the Christmas Handicap race.
6. **GRAND PRIX** The format for next year's grand-prix will be changed.
7. **DISCLOSURE** Dave Adams was discussed, as the committee considered him to be the ideal candidate to stand as the club's Disclosure Officer.
8. **CHRISTMAS HANDICAP AND AWARDS NIGHT**

Date and venue confirmed:
Saturday 29th November 2008 at Pitz Soccer Academy (Bothwell Road, Hamilton)

The race will commence at 1.30pm.

Four new trophies will be awarded from this year onwards. These are:

 - Ladies 5K Road Race Champion
 - Gents 5K Road Race Champion
 - 5K Road Race Sealed Handicap Champion
 - Half Marathon Club Champion.

The cost for these four trophies is likely to be around £300.00
9. **MERCHANIDSE** Outstanding costs - some club members have not yet paid Ross Bickerstaff for their club vest.
10. **AOCB** Club members who do not register in the club's name for races will automatically forfeit the right to claim grand-prix points.
11. **DATE OF NEXT MEETING** Monday 6th October 2008, 7pm, The Doonin Pub, Blantyre