

## **Roadhogs Committee Meeting**

### **Cow and Plough**

**27<sup>th</sup> April 2010**

**1.Present :** Dave Swan, Colin Smith, Dave Lodwick, Alison Lodwick, Barry Waterfield, Mark Chamberlain, Keith Dakin, Kim Richardson, Clare O'Neil , Rachel Moyes

**2.Apologies:** Steve Martin, Malcolm Blythe

**3.Minutes:** Minutes of the previous meeting were agreed.

**4.Matters Arising:** Dave Lodwick was to look at new kit. New vests still required. Colin has requested a catalogue. Fleecy hats now available.

**5.Chairmans Report:** Congratulations given to the runners who completed the London Marathon. Three people have prequalified for next year. Good membership numbers for time of year. Training, lots of newish members, e mail proposed to inform them of Summer training and races. Overall positive situation. Thanks given to Dave L for newsletters and keeping people up to date.

**6.Treasurers Report:** Balance in bank is £2337.12. The only outstanding item was showers at Manor Road and Affiliation to English Athletics. Three payments still to go in, £75. Bill outstanding for hoodies and hats of £674. Money will be recouped as and when hoodies sold. Glooston race will be next impact on finances.

**7.Male Road Running Captains Report:** Training nights good turnout including pub runs. Good group trip to Barcelona. Good turnouts required to maintain places in league.

**8.Cross Country:** Closed season now, but best season ever with full teams out in all but one Ladies race. Overall league position in division 2, men 7<sup>th</sup>, ladies 4<sup>th</sup>, combined 5<sup>th</sup>. Club tent has now been purchased.

**9.Races in 2010:** Glooston is pencilled in for Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2010, 18.00 start time. Pub is now open and parking is available in field at rear again, £50. Village Hall is available from 4pm onwards, tea and coffee and cakes to be put on, supplied by Roadhogs members. Ron to chase up missing road cones with Chris Berwick. Kim has ordered water and will collect it. Two big tables required for water stations, Ron to source. Colin has race permit, renewed race measurements certificate, and informed Police, ordered East Midlands Ambulance and St Johns Ambulance. Still to do, requesting Ed Toft to ref, Recoding sheets for finish, risk assessment and post race report for Arc. Kim to ask Dave Weedon if he'd like to present prizes. Dave L has agreed with Rob for doing same deal as last year on prizes, contacted all Leics clubs and East Mids clubs and there 4 entries so far. Dave L to order 144 2010 mugs. Adrian to do results at present, with Dave L as contingency. Clare tasked with finding two Lady Roadhogs to run. Remaining anniversary teashirts, to be brought to training for new members.

**10.Big Fun Run at Abbey Park:** Date for race Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> September, 11.00am Abbey Park. This is same date as the Wigston Pheonix 10, league race, leaving us short of cover. Paying less and extra help, 2 volunteers for help desk and goodies bags and 2 for laying out course, needed form 8am

onwards. Other volunteers required from 10am onwards. 100%ers should do race and those others that would count in race. Dave S, Ron, Barry and Colin nominated as 4 early volunteers.

**11.Social Events:** Hat night was success, with good turn out at pub. 3 events planned. Curry night proposed for May on weekend night, Quiz night in June in central location though venue still to be found and in July Bradgate Park Tarzan and Jane run, followed by drink in Bradgate Arms.

**12.Membership news:** There are 56 members on the register at present, including the 3 new members last week.

**13.AOB:** Subs for 2010 – £25 at present and committee decided to keep them at £25 for 2010. Concessions (including 2<sup>nd</sup> claim athletes, students, unemployed and social members) - £12.50

AGM date set for Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> at 20.15 in Cow and Plough.

Remaining t shirts from 25th anniversary (30-40) to be brought along to the meeting. Dave L to e mail people to see if anybody who hasn't got one would like one and if so to contact Colin.

Welcome letter for new members proposed and Steve Martin volunteered to write it.

Dave L thanked committee for his life membership and for Marks too, which he welcomed.

Dave L announced that 2 club members are up for awards at the League presentation evening on Friday. These are Rob Milstead 2<sup>nd</sup> MV50 and Angela Ladkin 2<sup>nd</sup> LV45.

Steve made committee aware of LRRL presentation evening and extended invitation to attend to all members.