



Date 31st June 2017 by conference call

Present: Mike Adams (MA), Kirsty Carson (KC), Andrew Nickalls (AN) Anne Savage (AS), Gundula Sharman (GS)

Agenda

1. Actions from last time
2. BC review – numbers, financials, outcomes
3. WC update – rider issues, team leadership in Holland
4. Autumn programme overview
5. Sport Squad development
6. AOB

Minutes approved – minutes not available	
<p>BC review: well attended, and happy event. All in all, went very well. Lots of positive feedback. Good location. Excellent catering arrangements. Team event went very well Thanks all round to all who helped make it such a memorable weekend.</p> <p>Financially, having 3 judges makes things a lot easier, but of course it would still be good to run the BC as WR event. It could be considered that riders receive extra feedback from judges – for an extra fee (add a have a go show element, for those who want it).</p> <p>The final accounts still need to be verified.</p> <p>Volunteers are often undervalued, or either the riders nor the volunteers do not fully understand what is required of an effective volunteer. We need to look after the volunteers better, and provide the necessary training and support. Idea – to encourage everyone to help in some form, or another. Needs some careful consideration, planning and organising.</p>	<p>MA</p> <p>KC</p>
<p>WM update – Selection process went well, and eventually everyone accepted the result.</p> <p>Riders will start arriving Wed and Thu. Need to get together in good time (by Fri) to plan training schedule on and off the track, and to keep individual trainers in the loop.</p> <p>Meeting UK supporters on Fri evening, 7.30 in the catering area.</p> <p>Crowdfunding raised £700+ which will go towards Marina's costs. Some very generous individual donations. The team greatly appreciates this level of support.</p>	
<p>Autumn programme overview</p> <p>Burghley fun ride - August, Oakfield Show - September, Hestadagar in Aberdeen - September, Gæðingurkeppni event –October(?).</p>	

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<p>Sport Squad development – it is important to keep up momentum with the squad development, particularly those riders who tried to be elected for this year’s WM selection, and were not elected. The focus of the sport squad should be wider than selection to the WM, and include other important (international) events.</p> <p>Steps to take: plan for another squad meeting in January (make it a regular event), and invite interested riders now (before end of August); schedule training events early; organise visit to big events (World Tölt, events on Ice).</p>	<p>KC/MA</p>
<p>The Sport group wishes the whole of the WM team (riders and crew) every success on and off the track in Oirschot.</p> <p>Message from the Chairman will be forthcoming and sent to the whole membership list.</p>	
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