

MINUTES OF THE SWIMMING LEAGUES MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
HELD ON 14th MARCH 2013
POTTERS SNOOKER CLUB

PRESENT: - Mrs M. Shaw, Mrs K. Bull, Mrs K. Needham, Mr R Crampton,
Mr A. McLaughlan, Mrs L Hollins, Mr I Negus, Mr R Roberts

1. APOLOGIES: - Mr M. Conroy, Mrs F. Critchlow, Mr D. Fortescue, Mrs W Coles,
Mrs S Grayson,

2. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING.
Proposed and seconded as a true record.

3. MATTERS ARISING

Gala Co-Ordinators Course. Date for this has yet to be set and would be held by the three League Managers along with Chairman of the Management Board (Mr. R. Roberts and League Secretary Maureen.

The format of the forum was discussed and various topics would be covered including of course the role and duties of the Gala Coordinator, points scoring and explanations on all paperwork.

It was agreed that it would necessary to hold these forums on an annual basis in order to educate and train any new members. It was felt that the invitation to the Clubs should ask for at least two - three representatives to attend.

MS BW AM And RC to meet to set an agenda

League Rules. These had previously been circulated to all SLMC members and all were passed as accurate with no further amendments deemed necessary. The Chair asked the question as to how we were going to police the Midland District Qualifying times?

Everyone agreed at this point that we would rely on honesty. It was suggested that Coaches, Swimmers and Parents know who has achieved MD times, and the fact would be highlighted at the Gala.

Also, it was discussed as to how the truth would be established and dealt with if a problem did arise. With it being a Trophy Gala it was decided that points and Trophies would be held back until the matter could be resolved. The point was made that it would be a small minority of swimmers that would be involved and checks could easily be carried out from the rankings lists. Gala Coordinator instructions would reflect this ruling.

If Clubs were found to be in breach of the rules then the SLMC would impose a fine and this would be made quite clear to all the Clubs.

4. MANAGERS REPORTS
There were no matters to raise.

5. TREASURERS REPORT.
Kate reported on the finances for the Stage 1 Trophy Gala held in January.

Mansfield	-£100.50
Bramcote	-£ 33.00
Arnold	-£ 16.83
Hucknall	+£ 99.00

Also, it was noted that Clubs were not adhering to the ruling made for the maximum expenditure for Raffle Prizes at Galas. A reminder to clubs would be sent by Ms to ask them not to exceed the limit of £15.00.

6. LEAGUE DRAW
Stage 1 Trophy Gala 29 June 2013 confirmed.

7. CORRESPONDENCE
None

8. A.O.B.
Ian Negus pointed out that the Stage 2 League Gala in October 5th 2013 clashed with Sherwood's Robin Hood Open Meet. It was very unfortunate that this had not been highlighted before but due to the congested fixtures it was not possible at this stage to rearrange. **To be noted for 2014**

Meeting closed at 8.45 p.m.

Next Meeting THURSDAY MAY 9th 2013 7.30 P.M.