Dumfries Cycling Club   Committee Meeting Minutes

Dumfries Ice Bowl   7pm Tuesday 5th Feb 2019

Committee members present:

 Brian Morrell (BM), Dave Niblock (DN), Ron McGrouther (R.McG) Alex Ure, Richard Colbeck.

Others present: Shaun Wylie, Bruce, Laidlaw, Gill & Gordon McNiel, Graeme Abrines, Graeme Watson, J. Andrews, C. Gibson.

Apologies: Helen Aklam (HA), Cameron Scade (CS)

1. Minutes of last meeting were approved. Proposed by AU. & seconded by R. McG.

2. Treasurers Report: 54 members joined currently paid up. £3648 in bank with money due in. Reminder on website & verbally to renew membership -- insurance on rides is at risk. All to take responsibility.

3. Club kit: Next order looking like March delivery.

4. Roles & Responsibilities.
   New committee members to be encouraged.

5. Saturday Rides:

A length discussion was prompted by member comments & a letter from Allison McConnachie suggesting the normal rides were too long & to hard for new-comers & some existing members. This was accepted & it was agreed to start a new "development" ride; this would be a "no drop" ride of 35-45 miles starting at 9.05am from QoS commencing 2nd March. Allison agreed to suggest some routes. Interest in this group to be created via FB, web site & possibly an article in the paper.

RC proposed we should also have entry level rides suitable for youths & juniors; the consensus was that although we would like to support young people we do not have sufficient trained & qualified members to specially target them.

6. Race calendar almost complete including 5 TLI races and the Loch Ken TT (part of the Sigma Sports Classic Series). Events to be on web site. It was welcomed that other local clubs are hosting events that our members can take part in.

7. New Web Site RC to investigate Saturday rides being displayed in advance. Comments & suggestions welcome.

8. It was reported D Moss & D Niblock were nominated for a contribution to local sports award in Nov 2018.

9. Date of next meeting: TBD.