



## Minutes of DYC Meeting 15<sup>th</sup> January 2018



### Present

Gordon Farries, Mary Morton, Iain Jamieson, Graham Sloan, David Kennedy, Jill Moodie, Fiona Carson Adele Welsh.

### Apologies

Sheona Muir, Gillian Marley-Milligan,

### Matters arising

Minutes from previous meeting approved by Mary, seconded by David.

### Chairman's Report

Gordon started by congratulating Divisions 1 and 2 on their recent successes and said that it had been a superb weekend of curling in many respects and resulted in a win for Div 1 and a promotion for Div 2. A big thank you to all players and coaches.

### Treasurer's report

Bank Balance £13961

Hollywood Trust Balance £295.40

Online Banking is set up. Account does not allow club to make online payments.

Sponsorships packs would be a good idea for club competitions

£120 was given to each squad at the Scottish Curling Club Challenge and all the players including subs enjoyed a meal together.

DIBCA confirmed that they would sponsor Rolling Stones & U12 Event. Invoice Sent

### Competition Report

Singles ran well and coming to the end of the doubles. There was mention of some inconsistencies in the ice prep during these competitions and Iain is going to discuss this with Sally from the facility.

It was suggested that the current competition entry forms be revised to include information about other competitions including the McMillan sponsorship, KOSB, Glen Urr, Lockerbie Challenge and perhaps DIBCA information too. It was recognized that it would be necessary to distinguish between club and non-club competitions.

### Development Officers update

Ragbag – we now have signed copies of the agreement from all parties.

Regarding schools competitions, Graham proposed that DYC could pay the affiliation to RCCC in the future for participating schools to make things easier and more consistent. It was noted that Dalbeattie are not currently affiliated and a fee of £10 is due. Fiona or Gordon to address this. Committee agreed that it would be easier to centralise administration and for DYC to pay affiliation in future (setting out sensible limits in any agreement.)

Sport Scotland have launched a 'direct club investment scheme', Gordon rang them and has contacted RCCC, a future meeting is planned to continue enquiry into provision for additional coaching for juniors and schools . A Business Plan presentation is required for this next stage.

The Olympic timetable is to be reviewed and incorporated into the curling camp event planned for the February school break (Mon12 Tue13 Feb). To confirm on and off ice activities and hopefully secure attendance of performance coach from the Royal Club. Graham is going to discuss with the facility and members can then sign up as they wish. Money from Margarita could be used towards this.

### AOCB

Fees for different sessions continue to confuse both players and the facility staff. It was suggested that a notice be circulated stating clearly the fees for all sessions, to include junior, non junior, peak, non peak, full games, pairs, doubles, coaching/performance, Tuesday talent and Gold training.

Parents are to be invited to meet those committee members who can attend at 530pm on 22<sup>nd</sup> February, with a view to encouraging increased participation in future events/committee.

Meeting closed 8.20pm

Date of next meeting Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February 7pm