



Date: 3rd March 2010

Attendees: PGR, RS, JB, KS, JAB, JPB, MR, ND, FD, PR, CR, PB, BOK, ML, KW

March Agenda (03/03/10)

'PB' summarised minutes from February meeting

1. **Outstanding Monies**

Match fee's etc, payable

2. **Supercup**

Practice took place last Saturday 27th February.

Team for Round One consists of : James Bryan, John Bryan, Alan Lamb, George Osborne, Tom Prescott, Kev Smith, Roy Sutton, Colin Wibberley.

Match, Saturday 6th March, meet at 8am, fish 10 - 3. Club paying match fee, angler to pay any pools that are agreed.

3. **Next Club Match - (Spring League)**

17/04/10 Border Fishery - 'Match Pool'

4. **Club Licence 2010/11**

Licences now also available on-line as well as from Bailiffs and Committee members.

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5. Bank Balance

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6. Golden Peg

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7. Bailiff Report

Whitegate - Pipe inspection to be done by council from April onwards as monies become available to investigate integrity of drainage system.

Fire at Whitegate on Saturday 27th February. Notified on Sunday by 'AS' and visited site on Monday 1st March with 'FD'. Incident reported to Cheshire Police and to WBC. Photo evidence sent to WBC.

Deck structure now compromised, waiting on quotes for cost of timber to make repairs.

Brownlee's - Awaiting another invoice so as we can pay rent (was due 1st Jan).

Woodland Trust to visit Bidston Moss, Wirral to have a look at Recycled Decking, this taking place early March. We await approval or otherwise.

11th February Woodland Trust did a Tree Safety exercise at Brownlee's following recent bad weather. No other problems were found.

8. Coaching

'JAB' to undertake a Level 2 coaching course. The first weekend takes place in Manchester on Sat/Sun 20th/21st March.

Cost of course is £437 paid by funds raised from bag packing and Raffle in Dec 2009 which raised £507.

Awaiting dates for further L1 and First Aid Courses which funding would have to be sourced either by our club or via CADG which is due to meet again on Wednesday 24th March.

9. Club Links

Following our last CADG meeting which 'FD' and I attended on Wednesday 10th February. For us to run coaching courses we need to link up with a Commercial, ie [REDACTED]. Require Toilets, Parking etc.

We don't have sufficient facilities on our waters to undertake such activities. Had discussion with [REDACTED] at [REDACTED], happy to help. Further discussions to take place as the situation develops.

10. Birchwood Lions

All members discussed opportunity of being involved with the above to raise funds for the club. 'FD' and 'PB' to pen a letter. 'KW' to forward contact details for Lions.

11. AOB

Possible donation from EA for being proactive and asking members/potential members about the requirements of needing a Rod Licence.

Meeting on Thursday 4th March with Tom Howarth, Club, Coach & Volunteer Development Officer, Arts and Sports Engagement Team, Cultural and Community Development Service, Warrington Borough Council.

Invited to NW Freshwater Forum being held in Lancaster on Wednesday 14th April, being run by Angling Trust. Not confirmed if going yet.

National Fishing Week/Month 17th July - 15th August

Next Meeting – Wednesday 7th April 2010