

STRIDERS COMMITTEE AGENDA – 12th March 2012

1) Minutes of last meeting

2) Chairman's Report –

The tennis club are proposing a combination lock for one of the doors. They have the same problems as us with keys. Ray Davies is finding out how much (the lock alone would cost £50) - the issue is whether the door is suitable. Since this would solve problems for us I've said we would contribute to the cost providing it is reasonable. If it goes ahead it will be on the Tennis Club door otherwise everyone going from the bar to the loos will need to know the number. Tennis are quite happy for us to use it.

Subject to final confirmation of the quote Sandilands will be installing an improved time control for the under floor heating which will mean it is on evenings and weekends and not 6am to 12pm 7 days a week. The Sandilands gas bill is £3000 pa.

533	Other clubs tidying after Saturday night parties	Done	RJ	12/03
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Apparently the party that made the mess one Saturday night actually came in and did a very good job of clearing up on Sunday morning - Unfortunately after 8:30. I'll ask that Saturday night parties at least leave the loos and changing rooms in a reasonable state.

3) Croydon Half Marathon.

Entry will close on the 15th March at 750. We now have sufficient helpers. We have some new marshal bibs.

4) Membership Secretary's Report.

Currently at 211 paid up or life members.

Discussion about improving system for recognising who has paid online subs.

5) Treasurer's statement

Report received.

6) Kit Report

534	Kit promotion	Done	SU	12/03
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Awaiting further deliveries from Hexx.

7) Social

Summer 2012 BBQ with Olympic / School Sports Day theme.

529	Arrange date for Summer BBQ	Open	RJ	01/02
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Susan reported : The Summer Event is booked for August Bank Holiday (Monday 27th) with Simply The Best Events. Deposit is paid and the balance is due in early August.

I need to get in touch with Pam about the food, which I will do this week.

Proposed ticket prices (which will aim just to cover the cost of catering) :

£5 per adult ticket

£3 per child

£15 per family (2 adults, 2 children)

The quiz is all booked for 30 March and the questions are almost ready (and there aren't any about planes, I checked). We've got four teams so far, absolute limit is 9 teams.

Steve at Sandilands bar to be advised of numbers in the preceding week.

Post London Marathon drinks : Steve at Sandilands to be sounded out about night of Sunday 22nd April.

We will provisionally book club house for our xmas meal for Friday 14th December

8) Track & Field 'open day'

535	Publicise T&F open day	open	CM	30/03
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9) Sports Relief Mile – 25th March 2012

536	Re-publicise Sports Relief Mile	open	CM	12/03
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10) Long runs and cycles

The Sunday longer runs seem to have been well received and the occasional navigational cock up and bad weather experience seems to add to the "fun". I seem to have set an expectation that jelly babies will be provided en route. Not sure I can keep this up for next year.

I am proposing a Striders Stroll on Friday 23rd March. This one will be back from Oxted. If there is much interest I'll try and arrange one roughly monthly.

Provisional bike rides:-

Easter Monday – Not sure – Perhaps Chartwell the other way round.

May 7th bank holiday – Olympic Park

Friday June 8th - Whitstable

Will try and fit a Sunday post run ride in as well.

11) Website

Robin and Chris met Alex Stevens in mid-February. He will shortly provide us with examples of the developed pages

12) Club Handicaps

Dates and volunteers to organise – possibly

23rd May (16th is Rosenheim) – Chris and Steph,

20th June (13th is Rosenheim) - Mick and Susan

18th July (25th is Rosenheim) – Robin and a.n.other

Susan to organise post-handicap buffets

13) Duathlon

Mentioned at the time we hosted our triathlon : should we now host a small duathlon ? (run, cycle, run) If so when - a Sunday morning ? - and where - at Sandilands, keep 10K route for cycle, with run doing the Mile Time Trial route ?

Possibly 13th May

14) Mile Time Trial

Due to restart on Friday 13th April (6th is Good Friday) – can we get a rota of volunteers ?

Mick to organise the first one.

RJ happy to do a reasonable share but difficult to commit in advance.

15) Mob Matches using parkruns

Mick discussed the possibility of using parkruns as 'home' and 'away' mob matches with Collingwood – at Lloyd Park and Roundshaw

16) Next committee meeting

14th May TBC

Action points carried forward :

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