# <u>Dumfries Cycling Club</u> <u>Committee Meeting Minutes</u>

Globe Inn 7pm Tuesday 28th Aug 2018

#### Committee members present:

Garry Collins (GC), Brian Morrell (BM), Dave Niblock (DN), A. Ure, R. Colbeck, Cameron Scade (CS), Helen Acklam (HA), Ron McGrouther (R.McG).

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

## 2. Treasurers Report:

123 members joined for 2018 with £5899. TLI race account to be finalised
after series trophies are paid for; as with the open Loch Ken TT there will be a
+ve balance on the event.

#### 3. Club kit:

• Next order to be placed 8<sup>th</sup> September with an approx. 6 week delivery.

## 4. Events calendar:

- Loch Ken open TT was a successful event with over 70 entries despite a late course & HQ change because of an event in New Galloway. The club has been offered to host one of the RTTC classic series time trials next year on 12<sup>Th</sup> May. CS has given a provisional positive response.
- 5<sup>th</sup> Aug TLI race & series. As a new race & with 57 entries the event, venue & coarse were considered successful & would be simpler to organise in subsequent years. As with the open TT if sections the organisation can be delegated to responsible individuals it would make overall management much simpler & less stressful. It would also impart ownership of the organisation to a broader membership base.
  - CS proposed an out of season time keeping / marshalling training session to encourage helpers to come forward.
  - Spreading the organisation of these open events across other D&G clubs was considered a good thing & to be built on next season.
  - Presentation for the CTT & TLI series to be at Studio Velo when trophies are ready.
- AGM/ Prizegiving: Confirmed Station Hotel 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov 3.00- 5.00pm, tea, coffee & snack to be provide for 40. Subjective awards – A. Ross most out standing ride; G. Abreen – most improved rider.

## 5. Saturday Rides:

Saturday rides generally working better with 4 group system.

- Ladies nights Working ok with about 6 regulars out on a Monday.
- Monday speed night have been well supported this year.
- Monthly intro rides have not proven successful & to be dropped. Murry McP. has offered to accompany any novice rider who contacts the club.
- 6. <u>Sportive Review:</u> Final wash up meeting to be held early September. It was felt sportives in general & the Solway one in particular, were becoming less popular. DCC to pull out of co-organising the Solway Sportive in 2019 and focus resources on other open events.
- 7. New Web site: To be launched Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> with a new URL thanks given to Garry on a lot of behind the scenes work.

## 8. Winter Events:

\*Clive willing to run Pilates again but needs an indication of numbers before committing. BM to find out proposed start date & time before making public.

\*Turbo session will probably be available to members but this is under the Tri-club & not DCC.

## 9. AOCB:

- \* 27<sup>th</sup> Sept Cinema night (David Millar movie) at Burns centre CS has organised reduced rates for club members.
- \* RC has offered space at his premises on English St for storage of signs etc. Thanks to CS & family for giving up their summer house for this purpose for a long time.
- \* HA has indicated she will step down form organising the kit from November. All members need to consider what they can do to contribute to the organisation.

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10. Date of next meeting: To be arranged.