

Milton Keynes BMX Racing Club -Minutes

Monday 12th June 2017

Present - Sam Walsham, Tammy Alexander, Sarah James, Karis Pattinson, Stephen James, Joe Mendes, Zara Grindrod & Helen Baker.

Apologies - Lucy Lock, John Pattinson & Kevin Mahoney.

Track update –

Remedial work required on the track build:

- We need a second opinion on whether the 3rd and 4th berm to be re-tarmacked.
- Parks Trust have an additional quote from Joe B. £3800 for the re-tarmacking work. We have also contacted other track builders to come down the track to give us a quote.
- Looking at berms, straights, especially laying topping on 1st straight.
- The split needs to go completely, not safe.
- Stones need clearing everywhere.

Following on from the remedial work we then need to look at phase 3, maintenance team, monthly, quarterly, annually for 2 years.

Treasurers report – Up dated accounts were discussed along with incomes and expenses.

The account at present is -£1672.45

Training and Gates –

Wed/Thursday nights there was roughly 16 – 20 riders with full on training with positive feedback.

Tuesday night's riders want it more chilled. Roughly ten gates with training then some freedom to explore the track with advise on hand. Positive feedback.

Saturday, 32 riders, roughly 16 new riders and 16 regular riders. If more new members attend we will need to split the training session in the future. There will be 64 places available in the future for training from now on (if 2 coaches are available).

The gate needs a new air flow, being looked at asap.

We are looking at getting a whole new underlay or astro turf for under the channel of the gate.

We are looking at the safety aspect of the start gate, looking at putting a safety barrier up either side of the start gate.

We need at least two more coaches as well as Steve and Joe.

Regular meetings - It was agreed we have quarterly committee meetings from now on, with individual meeting held when needed i.e for the Brits or the fun day etc.

Fun Day – Tables and stalls we will have include, sweets, cake stall, hook a duck, how many sweets in the helmet? teddy bear tombola, bouncy castle, sweet tombola, face painting, raffle & throw the bean bag in the hoop for sweets or alcohol. A shout on our facebook page out will be put out for sweets, cakes and volunteers. Bouncy castle will be booked. Angela – Louise has kindly said she will do the face painting for us for free.

Any other business – A meeting will be called to continue fun day planning next week.