

Milton Keynes BMX Racing Club - Minutes

Monday 20th November 2017

Present - Sam Walsham, Tammy Alexander, Sarah James, Karis Pattinson, Stephen James, Joe Mendes, Zara Grindrod, Helen Baker, Lucy Lock, Kim James and Guy Lachlan.

Apologies - John Pattinson

Track update - We met with Julie and Luke from the Parks Trust at the track. They are happy for us to submit a proposal for a 20ft storage unit.

We need to arrange a day for a clear up at the old container.

Parks Trust have agreed to help us with the track maintenance in the spring. We will meet with them again after the winter to determine what work needs to be carried out once we assess how the new track weathers with winter flooding.

Graffiti has occurred on the 3rd berm. The Parks Trust painted over it but the paint they have used seems to be quite slippery so will contact them about this.

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

The account at present is -£7800 which is a huge improvement as in May it was -£1600

The fun day raised £1000

The winter regional £1500

We have a lot to pay out for over the next period, Evolution shirts, plates, the container and top materials. We are looking at funding and at a later date meeting with the parks trust to discuss the possibility of funding from them to help with the top soil.

Training and Gates – Training is going really well with a minimum of 16 novice's and 16 experts every week.

The Evolution team is being looked at and invites have been sent out to riders to join the team if they have met the set criteria needed to join the team.

Steve is arranging training sessions with Richard Townsend for the Evolution team.

Merchandise - New plates are being looked at, together with transfers and side plates.

Zara and Helen are looking at Env Graphics & RSD for good quality shirts and prices.

The Evolution shirt is being redesigned.

Water bottles for the riders are being looked into.

Any other business – It was agreed as everyone enjoyed the last Christmas party to go ahead and have a skating Christmas Party on Saturday 16th December at Planet Ice Milton Keynes. A Facebook post to go out advertising it when totally confirmed.