

Bridgend Automobile Club
Minutes of meeting held at Barlow Mow
Tuesday 10th February 2009 at 20:00

Attendees: Paul Steddy (PS) Chairman
 Tom Pederson (TP) Secretary
 Dylan Lewis (DL)
 Geoff Bessant (GB)
 Rob Coleman (RC)
 Leighton Smith(LS)
 Mirek Wojdyla (MW)

Apologies: Gary Morgan

Minutes of previous meeting

Previous minutes were agreed.

Finances

TP has spoken to Cooke & Arkright and is waiting for an invoice for the forthcoming year.

Membership to the ASWMC has not yet been paid.

Competitions

LS stated that the proposed event at Argoed Quarry is in doubt due to the state of the site, it is hoped the owner will tidy it up before the 28th. Also TP to get a letter of consent from Windmill Farm the co-owners of the venue. LS to get a letter of consent from the other co-owner, Tom Pritchard.

Februarys nav scat was cancelled due to weather conditions, Gareth Tilleke to find out if the permit fee can be refunded by the MSA. RC thought it might be better to just do the March event and re-assess if its worth doing the nav scats because numbers are dropping.

TP also proposed that nav-scats entry fees should be put up to £10 to cover the permit fees, this was seconded by RC.

PS suggested that announcing the date of the next nav-scats at the autotests might be a way of raising interest and numbers.

DL confirmed the dates for the forth coming Margam Park Events.

LS confirmed that the trophies had been polished and sent to the engravers.

GB asked if a volunteer would take over the AGM ticket and money collection, LS has now taken over.

LS suggested that due to the change in the championship points system, there would be no use for the autotest trophy, it was proposed that the autotest trophy should just be calculated on tarmac events only. GT to be informed of change.

TP suggested that the make of car should appear in the results for autotests.

PS said, “he was struggling to agree dates for karting with Llandow Karting Centre”. He said, “he would speak to them again about shared events to increase numbers”.

AOB

TP said that unfortunately last years AGM Minutes had been lost and a statement would be made at this years AGM stating this.

LS offered to purchase raffle prizes for the AGM

LS suggested that Dean Jones be asked to join the committee – it was agreed.

TP said that the Clubs 50th anniversary is in 2010 and that he would approach someone to organise a celebration.

Meeting closed 21.10

Date of Next Meeting: Tuesday 10th March at 8:00pm in Barley Mow