

Eastern Area Meeting

7 July 2016

Skype

Present, Pip Tucknott, Lance Hawker, Phyllis Pettit, Moira Taylor, Adelle Fleming.

Apologies Martin Symonds

Minutes of last meeting were accepted.

- 1 AGM 2016
Suggestion of Falkirk, 10th November, 7.30pm
Kirsty was to be approached for the minutes from last year.
- 2 Our congratulations to Nathan on his selection for the para team at the Paralympics . A card and £50 to be sent as a gift/donation.
- 3 Online banking is set up and would be running by next week.
- 4 East area development squad
- 5 The coaching staff from this session had been excellent and thanks to them .Victoria & Stuart Barby, Pip Tucknott and Steph Clason... and to Moira. Good feedback from the Squad members had been received.
A plan had been put forward by Martin Symonds for a set of coaching workshops similar to the AGB boost Program. Concerns were raised that 6 level2 coaches would be needed for all 4 days and it was thought that this might be a struggle, and it was felt that 4 days of coaching might not be appropriate for the bulk of the EA membership
Moira suggested that there could be a similar coaching course but Level 2 coaches and experienced archers could also lead. This would encourage clubs to go forward with coaching.
It was decided also that a 4 week course would not be financially viable. One workshop would be more financially viable, Pip was to email Martin to see if he would be prepared to run a 1 day workshop.
- 6 The Development squad, run in the spring had been highly successful.
- 7 The Novice and junior showdown has been a success. People came and then shot outdoors.
- 8 Lance was to prepare a sheet to send out. It would run Jan(Falkirk), Feb(Balbardie), Mar (Penicuik). A budget of 400 would be made to the Junior/Novice showdown.

9 Pentangle

This year it was our turn to hold the pentangle, and the round would be either a double 720 or a 1440 with record status. Josie and Lance were both to be asked about the possibility of Balbardie or Penicuik hosting. The team was to be the best possible team that we could field. It was agreed that £15 should be paid to archers who travelled to the pentangle in Penrith this year, but that there would not be funding for travel when EA funded the shoot. £15 travelling cost would be reintroduced when archers had to travel.

10 One of committee would present trophies at the East area championships.

11 An EA archer and coach had asked for funding to travel to training/competition/equipment. We have not supported other EA archers in funding when they have not competed for EA or Scotland, or been competing at a national level. It was felt that this was inappropriate at this time. Adelle to advise the archer.