

CHICHESTER CRUISER RACING CLUB

Minutes of a Meeting of the General Committee held at the offices of Messrs. Pember & Boyle, on Wednesday, the 17th June, 1981, at 6 p.m.

Present: The Commodore
 Hon. Sailing Secretary
 Hon. Treasurer
 P. Chivers
 F. Kemp
 Hon. Secretary.

1. Apology for absence had been received from the Hon. Press Officer.
2. Minutes of the Previous Meeting: the Minutes of the Meeting held on the 19th March, 1981, had been circulated and were signed by the Commodore as a correct record. There were no matters arising.
3. Hon. Sailing Secretary's Report: D. Lattey reported that 27 boats had been registered for Alpha and 29 for Beta.
4. Hon. Treasurer's Report: 62 Members had paid 1981 subscriptions to date. It was agreed that R.Y.A. Membership for 1981 season should be based on £1.70 per member who was not a full personal member of the R.Y.A. This would result in a cost to the Club of £47.60 as compared to £62 on the basis of the old 4% levy. It was agreed that a suggestion should be put to the A.G.M. that in future non-R.Y.A. members should be asked to pay the £1.70 in addition to their C.C.R.C. subscription.

It was agreed that the bank deposit account should be retained despite the potential tax liability on interest rather than transferring the balance to a building society account.
5. Hon. Press Officer's Report: the Secretary reported that the Press Officer was in contact with Yachting Monthly and hoped to be able to provide some copy for them.
6. Prizes: considerable discussion took place on the type, value and number of prizes to be presented in the current season. It was agreed that crockery would be the most appropriate replacement for the glasses which had been prizes for recent seasons. F. Kemp would produce some designs and the Commodore would make enquiries from his industrial contacts as to the likely costs and delivery. It was hoped that the appropriate information would be available by the 9th July. The Hon. Treasurer would produce a forecast of the likely surplus available for prizes in the current year, but it was thought that this would be unlikely to be much more than £300.
7. Handbook: the Hon. Secretary would make enquiries as to the likely cost of having the handbook insert produced commercially next season.
8. 1982 Season: a general discussion took place on various aspects and the following conclusions were reached:-
 - a) It might be desirable to have a separate crew membership subscription and enquiries would be made as to whether there were people who would join on this basis.
 - b) It would be desirable for registered Alpha boats to be able to race in the Beta class whilst awaiting I.O.R. rating.

8. 1982 Season - contd:

d) It was agreed that C.C.R.C. would welcome further one-design boats who wished to join the Club but that no concessions would be made to enable them to do so in view of the failure of the experiment with H.I.S.C. this year.

9. Round the Island Race: two C.C.R.C. teams were selected.

10. Ties: it was agreed that the Commodore and Hon. Secretary would obtain quotations for the production of a modern edition of the C.C.R.C. tie.

11. Next Meeting: this was arranged for 6.0 p.m. at the offices of Messrs. Pember & Boyle on the 17th September, 1981.

12. There being no other business the meeting closed at 9.37 p.m.

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