

Exec Meeting 18/3/2014

Attendance

- Dave Peel
- Andrew Webb
- Dan Sheppard
- Jasz Blows
- Mark Ledger
- Anthony Stewart

Treasurers Report

We have ~£1900. We are owed £2000, We owe £2100

Ordered 3 polo paddles at ~£170/£180 each

Dave will not tolerate decisions like this being made without going through exec.

Kit Officer report

1 broken boat. Now, everything is insured on unis insurance, not TD, this boat will be a test case

Should buy some cags - current ones are putting them off.

Dave to look into prices of getting new ones.

Invest in some new safety kit.

Throwlines, some points where they are attached to bags are getting frayed.
~£40 each for 4 to 6 new lines.

Club knives being lost.

Look into systems to avoid kit being lost

Put together some pin kits. All kit in a dry bag.

Soft kit racking for comp kit has been added.
Hooks added to wall for rescue kit.

Get some more paddles?

Palm Mavericks?

Dave to look at prices

Abbie to get free membership as of next year

Approved!

Broken kit in Stockton

3 broken Ainsworth paddles. According to Mark still under warranty. Need to talk to Stockton Steve

Boathouse Keys

- Dan to get list of keys
- Max 1 (or2) sets per household, check standing orders
- Down 2 sets - can we get them replaced?
- Enforce the practice where keys remain in Durham over holidays.

Entire girls team in Durham

- Tell TD we need keys for out of mc hours training - BUCS 5 weeks away, we need to train.

Boathouse racking

We have racking not being used, taking up space. * Move somewhere out of the way. * Get rid of it. * Can we sell it? - Not that useful for anyone. Offered £25 for it, less than scrap value. * Would Stockton want it? * Can we move it to Stockton using TD pickup? Alastair to talk to Steve

Palatinate awards

- Last year we nominated several, most weren't approved.
- Badminton only nominate 1 or 2, but they are always approved. Nominating fewer looks like we have put more thought into it.
- Nominate Ant and Ledger for half palatinate.
- Alastair, Abbie, Liv and would have a better chance next year?
- Dan to do forms. Write over Easter and bring to next meeting.

Post exam events

Last year we ran a WW weekend away in Wales and a Scotland open boating weekend.

Proposed dates for Summer so far.

- Alps provisional date 16th - 28th June
- Term end 27th June
- Exams end 6th June

Harry has proposed a grade 2 canoe trip on the Spey in Early June.

Run a Doodle poll to see when are people free?

Harry to look at the suitability of a Spey trip in August.

Summer holiday trips organised ad-hoc, people who are around can organise.

Pre-fresher trips for existing paddlers before term starts.

WWPF 12-14th Sep, Term starts October, trips in between?

Courses

- Level 1 UKCC
- First Aid - With Will Sheaf
- Maybe 4* or partially fund some people to do a 4*. Or have them observe or be a student for a 4*
- Steve will fund UKCC L1 for 4 people in Stockton, Jasz, Dan and 2 more.

Stockton coaching

Only Al down there, if Jasz doesn't finish in Durham till 1 next year they will be stuck.
Meeting in Stockton to decide what to do about this.

General coaching

- We need to be a bit more bossy getting coaches to run sessions.
- Anyone getting funded through the club must coach.
- If everyone coaches, people won't need to do that much.
- See what the Stockton safety policy says about required qualifications.

Website stuff

Ant to work with Eleanor to fix website.

Any other business

Move pool, sunderland is ridiculous for Stockton people. Steve told Quentin this and is happy for us to look for a new pool.

Al, Harry and Abbie to look at a more suitable pool more central to Durham / Stockton or even in Stockton.