

Glasgow Coastal Rowing Club

Management Committee Meeting
Tuesday 25th April 2023
Kelvin Hall Café

Present : Stephen Rowan, Andrena Mishane-Kerr, Margaret Dale, Jacqueline Grant, Anne MacDougall, Fiona MacLeod, Tom Malone, Susie Taylor, Ian Watson, Jane White.

1. Welcome - The new Convenor, Stephen Rowan welcomed everyone to the new committee and commented on the great turn out at the EGM last week. He welcomed the introduction of a regular club night, the first of which is this Thursday 27th April.

2. Finance - IW remains acting Treasurer, until AMK can get access to the Bank account. He reported that membership renewals are starting to come in, and encouraged people to pay their fees for 2023 – 2024 as soon as possible. Most years the Club just breaks even, but with rising costs the draft budget suggests there is the possibility of a small deficit this year.

3. Maintenance - TM has not been able to do much in the last few weeks due to a health issue, but hopes to do some work on the barge this week. Discussion about the need to clean the bottom of Gobhancroit and Lady Danger. Possibility of using a Club Night to undertake this.

4. Skipper Training – A MacD emphasised that Skipper training needs to include 'man overboard training', 'throw the line training' and that life jackets should be checked before every outing.

5. Castle to Crane – At the EGM, Adam Graham from SCRA confirmed that C2C will be going ahead on 2nd September, as part of the Clydebuilt Festival. A message has been put up on Spond to gauge club interest and who will take a lead in GCRC for organising that. Radios will need to be checked and extra ones sourced if necessary.

6. AOB – There is a notification of the opening of the new boathouse for the Glasgow Rowing Club on 14th May. Further details are still to be announced.

7. Date of Next Meeting
5.30pm on Tuesday 6th June at the Kelvin Hall Cafe