2018 J24 Class Association AGM

Saturday 26th May - Parkstone Yacht Club

Meeting Opened 17:00

Apologies -

Duncan McCarthy - Ballet Show, Nick McDonald - Chelsea Flower Show

Present:-

David Cooper - Chairman Mark Lewers Vice Chairman William Pollock - Membership and Treasurer Johnny Allen - Secretary

Andy Sinclair

Matt Convers

Miles De Sa

George Kennedy

Pete Hooper

Daryl Conyers

Austen Davies

Stig McDonald

George Watson

James Torr

James Randell

Hamish Mcxxx

Nick Driscoll

John Sparrow

David Sparrow

Welcome from Dave

Approval 2017 - AGM Minutes - Proposed by William - Seconded mark Approved

Current Committee - Happy to Continue - No Objections, No Proposal, No Interest from floor to .

Fleet Captains - Miles

Plymouth - Chris Randall / Matt Conyers No fleet in Weymouth Fowey Alan Harris Guerro -Dartmouth Mike Macnamara

Financial Report

Distributed in printed form - £2000 to be repaid by Parkstone when boat is sold - No Questions from Floor

Membership

59 - same as 2017 £20 late payment always the same two who pay late £15 membership for 25 and under

Racing Program

Worlds 2018

Advised to take Pull Pits to Garda - 97 entries so far

2019 Season

Qualifying for 2020 Worlds important to have criteria sorted at the AGM.

3x normal allocation + 15 Plus Youth, Plus ladies, Plus two from host fleet, plus European winners last thee years plus Any worlds Winners in perpetuity.

Scrutiny at all qualifying events - weigh In, Inventory, Certificates

Proposal from Dave for four events to count minimum of two UK events to qualify. Seconded By William Pollock. Accepted

Points system the same as 2016 Entry Plus Five for UK events Entry Plus ten for European Championships. Plus 15 For worlds.

Proposed Events to Qualify 2019

Fowey Q Southern Areas Q Autumn Cup Q Nationals - Plymouth as part of PoP Regatta Q

Proposed two in Poole area. Approach Cacoon Dave to see if possible. World Championships - Miami European Championships - Greece

Proposal for events with camping -

2020 World Update

Parkstone 2020 - nationals the weekend before

Fri 4 September 2020 - competitor arrival for UK J/24 Nationals*

Sat 5 to Mon 7 September 2020 - UK J/24 Nationals*

Tue 8 to Wed 9 September 2020 – World Championships Facilities Preparation

Thu 10 to Sat 12 September 2020 – Competitor Arrival, J/24 World Championships Measurement and Registration

Sun 13 September 2020 – Practice Race and Opening Ceremony

Mon 14 to Wed 16 September 2020 - World Championship Racing

Thur 17 September 2020 – Final Day Racing & Prize Giving / Closing Ceremony

Fri 18 to Sat 19 September 2020 - Haul Out and Depart

Nationals 2021

Dartmouth and Brixham and Fowey and Cowes Week have expressed interest for Nationals 2021

The Meeting Ranked the order of preference

- 1. Fowey
- 2. Cowes Week Miles to contact Cowes cost and launching No Windward Leeward Vice Admiral Cup.
- 3. Brixham
- 4. Dartmouth

Website - Social Media - Class Marketing

Matt to pen a Why I sail a J24 - Also one of the Junior Fleet to pen something. Proposal for Coaching Day - Adam Bowers, Annie Lush. Nathan Batchellor. Approach Hobson see if anyone coming over to UK

3rd Boat to write report

Only international keel boat for less than £10K - need to promote - no one in room offered to take on the J24 marketing Role

Set Up Facebook Page rather than a group and share out the admins to update, Facebook coordinator person. - James Torr to sort out

You Tube channel set up by Mason - Matt to Share with James

Book Stickers to Promote 2020 - Miles to sort out

Dave and Jenny Pipe to take booth to Garda Team Gear - T Shirts for All UK Participants -

Fleet Reports

Miles - Poole fleet not travelling as much as should - too many commitments Numbers - club racing - 8-9 boats - Own start Monday and Thursday Attempt to get winter series at Poole Harbour Royal Motor is popular Event at Poole Harbour next year will be popular with local boats No Traction at the weekend

Plymouth - Matt

Two races wednesday - 3 regular - Friday more social than racing

Saltash - Ten eleven older boats - wet sailed close racing - Thursday Nights - Racing is very good - spring series - one entry from Fowey

Would be good to have match racing - meet at weekend and do Match racing - two boats the same. james to suggest 2 UK J24 Boats used for match racing

AOB

Photography - should the class pay for photographer - John Sparrow - Seconded by Johnny Allen - Passed Unanimously

Why are the results not on social media - Because no-one puts it on there. Currently no plans for automatic loading and results created by each club using different systems.

Closed at 18:15