

Forth Canoe Club

Minutes of Committee Meeting 25 February 2010

Present: Cynthia Berry, Mick James, Jonathan Riddell, Kristina Medovcikova, Kelso Riddell, Kirsten Eveleigh, Alistair Riddell, Annemarie Procter

Keys – it was decided that the locks on the boathouse would not be changed this year. Mick James to arrange cutting additional keys.

Canal Festival – Annemarie Procter agreed to organise FC involvement in Canal Festival

Craiglockhart School Festival – Sat 29 May 2010 – Cynthia Berry, Kirsten Eveleigh, Mick James to organise FCC presence.

Active Schools event at Portobello High School – Cynthia Berry to organise

Alistair Riddell, Annemarie Procter, Jonathan Riddell to revise procedure for members joining – aim to ensure familiarity with new members. Keys to be issues only with agreement of committee.

Insurance – current proposal by SCA board is that individual SCA members and members of affiliated clubs will be covered by SCA's public liability insurance. Non-members will also be insured for a maximum of two events e.g. taster nights.

Coaching – it was proposed that Kirsten Eveleigh be trained to Level 2 coach standard and be employed part time by the Club. This was agreed in principle subject to bureaucracy.

A parent had enquired regarding unsupervised paddling by minors. It was agreed that the Club has no objection to this but it must be made absolutely clear that it would be entirely at the risk of the paddler and his parents.

It was reinforced that all Club hut users should sign in the diary whenever they use the hut or where Club equipment is used.

Charging for use of club boats:

- £2/single use
- £60/year for representative of FCC competition
- £120/year for all others
- In all cases, competitions and official club coaching to take priority

Next meeting to be held 4 May, 7:30pm at St Giles Church