

EASTERN CENTRE AUTO-CYCLE UNION

MINUTES of the 6th Meeting of the **CENTRE COMPETITIONS COMMITTEE 2012 SESSION**, held at The Parish Rooms, Gt Blakenham, Suffolk on **Wednesday 27th June 2012**.

The following members were in attendance: Mr A. Penny (Centre President), Mr D Smith (Comps Chairman), Mr C Armes, Mr A Foskew, Mr J Hearn (Centre Chairman), Mr E Wass, Mr J Douglas, Mrs B Douglas (Comps Secretary), Mr M Deeks. Mr A Deeks arrived at 8.20pm.

1: Chairman opened meeting: Apologies from Mrs L Berwick, Mr G Brace, Mr A Hay and Mr D Furlong.

2. Previous minutes: Mr D Smith sought approval of the 5th minutes seconded Mr J Hearn, correction should read "moved to 16th not 6th", and with this amendment the minutes were approved.

3. Matters Arising: Item 6 Enduro Mr J Hearn stated that the helmet cam did not show there had been course cutting. Mr D Smith asked if anyone had received notification from Rugby about helmet cams. No one had. This is an on-going issue and clarification is to be sought from Rugby. Mrs B Douglas had replied to Mrs Secker re the rumour about Mr Nickerson stating this was not true. Mrs B Douglas said there had been no reply from the EFA regarding the Pre65 Inter Team Trial.

4. Fixtures: Mr C Armes gave changes to fixture list.

20.7.12.	Lowestoft Inv	trial	is a Friday evening
26.7.12	Competitions Committee Meeting	cancelled due to holidays	

Mr D Smith reported there were now only 3 permits available National, Open and Restricted

5. Stewards Report: Mr E Wass gave a report on Stewards reports received. These are not being returned as they should.

22.4.12.	Essex & Suffolk Bdr	Trial	A Foskew	well run event
13.5.12	Castle Colchester	Trial	A Foskew	enjoyable event
13.5.12	Sudbury	Hare & Hound	R Hearn	good event
27.5.12	N&SJMCC	Trial	J Read	good time had by all
10.6.12	Bury St Edmunds	Trial	R Hearn	more observers needed, good trial

Mr E Wass reported there were not enough stewards offering to do jobs. Mr D Smith suggested we tell Stewards which jobs they were doing and then it would be up to them to notify us if they could not do it. Discussed. It was agreed this might work. Mr D Smith also suggested all those who take the steward seminar should be offered jobs without any probationary period unless it was decided they were not experienced enough. A questionnaire would be sent to all present stewards. Mr C Armes said all stewards and clerk of the courses should know about the procedure for a serious incident.

6. Sub Committee Reports:

- a) Motocross: Mr C Armes pointed out there seemed to be no series rules regulations for the evening/weekday meetings. Mr C Armes to ask Mr A Hay to rectify this.
- b) Youth Motocross: Mr A Foskew reported the points for the youth championship were on the web site.
- c) Grass Track: Mr A Foskew reported there had been a committee meeting on the 17th May. The one day championship would now be held in 2013/14. Three rounds left this season 29th July, 12th August and 9th September.
- d) Enduro: Mr J Hearn gave the championship standing after 2 rounds.
- e) Trials: Mr J Douglas reported Jack Sheppard had a 3rd place at the world round last weekend.

7. Correspondence: Nothing received.

8. Any Other Business: Mr E Wass asked for both his phone numbers to be put on the web site so clubs could inform him when events were cancelled so he could notify stewards.

There being no other business the meeting closed 9.05pm.

Date of next meeting 13th September 2012 Stanway Victory Hall, Conference Room.