

CTC Exeter
Committee Meeting
Wednesday 3 May 2023
At Dave M's house

Present: Paul Ewings (Chair)
Dave Martin
Marilyn Spurr
Roy Russell
Ian Grundberg

Apologies: Ian Holding
Lyndsay Kyrke-Smith
Martin Warren

Minutes from last meeting:

Approved

Matters arising:

- a) Cycling UK mail system: Ian G to check with Cycling UK Groups Officer to see at what point he could be authorised to send group emails directly, without further checking by HO.
- b) An email will be sent to registered ride leaders reminding them of the leaders' training course that is available online on the Cycling UK website.
- c) Paul E has responded to the Devon/Exeter City consultation on future cycling and pedestrian provision

Runs list:

A rides: Usual riders, running smoothly.

B rides: Martin Crothall volunteered at the AGM to run a Sunday B-ride from time to time. Roy R will contact him to make arrangements.

Thursday BikeBus rides: Excellent attendance, also running smoothly. For rides running through Plnhoe, it is proposed that in future we should stop at the Heart of Oak pub, rather than the Spar supermarket.

Finance:

No change since the year-end report submitted at the recent AGM

Future events:

First Aid courses: we are still trying to establish contact with St John Ambulance and will try to rearrange one or more courses in the autumn

Bike Maintenance: another session could be proposed for later in the year, probably September/October

Curry Night: possible speakers for an autumn event (date to be determined) include Chris Blasdale on his trip along the King Alfred's Way, Julie Weeks on her trip to France and members of the Microbus group on their trip to Provence.

Doodle Poll:

Doodle Poll has been very useful as a booking tool for the BikeBus and Sunday rides, but the current format of this app will not be available after the end of May. Dave M, Paul E and Roy R will all look at the new version to see if it can be made to work for our needs. Paul E will also ask Paul N for advice.

A.O.B:

The Committee agreed that IG should assume the role of Registration Officer. No action required as IG is already listed as such on the HO system. The Committee also agreed that a request should be made to HO to unlist Kirby J as Group Manager as this is no longer correct.

Date of next meeting:

10 July 2023 at Ian G's house.

Meeting closed:

20.55