

Lincoln Orienteering Group Committee Meeting

21 September 2023 – Adam & Eve, Lincoln

Present	Craig Lucas, Sean Harrington, Amanda Roberts, Nick Lyons, Paul Murgatroyd, Trudy Crosby, Anne Gibbs, Liam Harrington, Anna Koskela-Brook, Geoff Gibbs, Ally Wright, John Mather, Hannah Mather (part of meeting)	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Apologies for Absence: None 2. Minutes of the Last Meeting: Agreed. 3. Matters Arising not covered later in the Meeting: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. It was hoped Sharon Mather would be able to help with the computers at the Grantham event. 12. It looked like the RAFO Ostlers Plantation event would not go ahead. However, they would try and get us access for an event at Cranwell if possible. 12. New hoodies – ongoing research. The quote for LOG Big Bobble Hats worked out at about £20 + VAT each – AW to sound out interest. 4. Treasurers Report: NL gave an update to the meeting. The insurance claim was ongoing. New kites had been ordered and arrived. NL would pay BOF affiliation fee before due date. HM had submitted a request for financial assistance for the JROS training camp in Sweden. It was agreed that the full cost would be reimbursed less any monies contributed by EMOA when known. 5. EMOA Report: TC and AR had attended the AGM on 11 Sep 23. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - LEI/EMOA were helping put on the event at Beaudesert on day 2 of the JK in 2024 and needed as much as help as possible from the other clubs. We need to encourage a group of people to put their names forward as volunteers. - EMOA was looking for a new vice chair for next year with a view to taking over the Chair in 3 years time. - Hilary Palmer was aiming to run a Level 2 Coaching course. Please forward any names. - Events Organisers should hold a Safeguarding qualification. BOF has a 2hr online course costing £10. It was suggested SH and AR should complete this. - Event RA's should incorporate Safeguarding. 	<p>AR, AW</p> <p>NL</p> <p>ALL</p> <p>ALL</p>	

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