

MINUTES



OPGCMA SOCOM

Meeting: 01/10
Date: Tuesday 16th Jan 2010
Venue: The Horns Pub 8pm

Attendees:

Tracey Hart Head of Social
Fiona Horton
Colin Webbe
Patricia Hammond
Lisa Grainger

Apologies

Graham Rose

Discussion / Topic

Item	Discussion / Topic	Follow up / Action
01/10 01	Minutes Accepted without Revision	
01/10 02	Main Committee Items Tracey reported that they are having the Website updated and the new version will be on-line at the start of the new Captain's year.	
01/10 03	Xmas Club night Had to be postponed Unfortunately, due to adverse weather conditions. It was re-scheduled for the following Mon 28 th Dec. 35 people attended and enjoyed the Buffet provided by Crown Golf. £40 was spent on prizes etc for the evening and a good feed back from those who attended was received.	
01/10 04	Burns Night 23rd January 2010 This event had to be cancelled due to lack of support, with only 28 people signing up on the seating plan. A survey carried out spring 2009 had indicated a demand for this event. However quite a few of the people who had shown a demand for the club to host a Burns Night were unfortunately unable to attend. The decision was made on lack of an atmosphere and costing losses It would need considerable evidence that a burns night is a viable option for the future of Oak Park and an alternative solution should be considered if there is a minority who would like to see it return. One solution would be to take the event outside for a smaller number of participants. Of approx two dozen, local pubs have been advertising in recent weeks and this would be a more sensible option. A review of this would be needed for January 2011	New SOCOM committee to review at later part of 2010

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01/10 05	<p>February Club Night – 5th Feb Bingo Night</p> <p>Tricia to investigate the purchasing of the equipment on-line. Lisa to work out number of games, revenue from selling Bingo tickets and amount available to spend on Prizes. Tricia to host the Bingo and Lisa, Fiona and Colin to check winning tickets and sell more for each round. Committee to all wear black and white.</p>	<p>PH Action LG Action TH to make poster PH, LG and CW to host evening</p>
01/10 06	<p>March Club Night 5th March</p> <p>This is the last Club Night of the outgoing Captain and Lady Captain and as it is the tradition that suggest ideas for theme of evening. Tracey mentioned that Lucy had come up with an idea of a 'Battle of the Sexes' style quiz with both captains' having respective ladies and Gentlemen's team members. Finer details were to be sought with a quizmaster named</p>	<p>TH to identify requirements and details and generate poster</p> <p>TH to assist on the night</p>
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01/10 07	<p>Captains Drive-In Dinner Dance 20th March</p> <p>Brian (New Captain) has requested that Crown provide the same buffet menu as they did for the Club's 25th Anniversary Celebration. Fiona to agree costs with crown and discuss entertainment with incoming Captains Brian and Margaret. Promotional material and Seating plan to be arranged</p>	<p>FH to identify requirements and details and generate FH to book entertainment</p> <p>TH to produce poster and seating plan</p>

Any Other Business

01/10 08	<p>AOB:</p> <p>Linda Warren</p> <p>Tracey announced that after many years of producing wonderful floral displays for the Social events at Oak Park, Linda wanted to step away from this role. SOCOM totally understood this and would like to thank Linda whole heartedly for all off her efforts over the years.</p>	<p>All A new individual is to be sought to fulfil this role for the future of the club Socials.</p>
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Date of next meeting: 18th February 2010

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 Venue - The Plume and Feathers 7.30 pm start