

ProNuneaton Harriers Athletic Club
Annual General Meeting
Friday 17th May 2024

Introduction

1. **Present:** Nick Wilson (Chair), Sim Wilson (Minutes), Craig Mills (Treasurer), Alison Mills (Membership Secretary), Mollie Orton, Barry Yates, Andy Parkes, Carolyn Derbyshire, Leigh Derbyshire, Viv Kirkland, Chris Hamer-Hodges
2. **Apologies:** Mary Hall, Pete Everitt, Moshin Shah, Wendy Kane, Chris Hazel, Ann Wheeler, Bob Wheeler, Jared Wilson
3. **Agreement of minutes of 2023 AGM** – Agreed by all
4. **Matters arising:** None

Reports

5. **Membership Secretary** – Alison reported that membership currently stands at 203 athletes, which is up by 40 on last years numbers. 122 seniors and 81 juniors, including U11's.
6. **Treasurers Report** – Craig reported that last year's membership fees didn't cover the affiliation fees. Nuneaton Harriers Community Association to pay future BT bills. Going forward the membership needs to be covering costs.
7. **Chairperson's Report** – Nick reported, following on from last year, as a club I think we are progressing on all fronts. We qualified for both the national 6 & 12 stage men's road relay championships. Men's cross country, we stayed in division 2 after promotion last year. Ladies remain in division 1. Couch to 5k is growing each year with around 130 people joining each year, this is a great success. Track & Field we are competing well at all levels, however we do need to encourage more athletes to compete for the club at all levels. As is the norm we always need more people volunteering, coaching, & officiating. We are a small club now, but being one of the top facilities in the Midlands, we need to aspire to be more. Your help is needed for this. I would like to thank all our volunteers that have helped during these last months, to get us where we are now.
8. **Election of Officers 2023**
President – Mollie Orton

Vice President – Simone Wilson
Chairperson – Nick Wilson
Secretary – Mary Hall
Treasurer – Craig Mills
Membership Secretary – Alison Mills
Advertising/Media/Race Reports/Newsletters – Andy Parkes
Committee Members – Jared Wilson

Team Managers

Sen/Masters Men XC & Road – Chris Hamer-Hodges
Sen/Masters Ladies XC – Karenanne Herbert
Sen/Masters Men & Ladies T&F – Carolyn Derbyshire
Sen/Masters Ladies Road – Chris Hamer-Hodges
Young Athletes T&F – Derek Hateley
Young Athletes XC – Pete Everitt

Safeguarding/Welfare Officers

Alison Mills – Lead
Jared Wilson
Martin Swan
Rebecca Shilton

We need to recruit more Welfare Officers.

9. **Proposals**

England Athletics have proposed a £1 increment every year to 2025 for athlete registration fees, but more than likely this will carry on.

At present we have 7 different categories for membership and would propose to reduce this to 4, with a £5.00 increase. Fees haven't been increased since Covid.

Proposed categories & full year's membership would be: -

Infants – 7>10 years £30.00

Juniors – 11>17 years £45.00

Seniors – 18 years onwards £50.00

Associate (2nd Claim/Non-Competing/Over 60/Tri Club) £35.00

Proposed by Alison

Seconded by Carolyn

10. **Any Other Business**

Mollie – Encourage more youngsters to compete.

Viv – EDM for Vets league, Wednesday 15th May 2024, we were criticised for not having one. The long throws took longer with a tape.

Leigh – Club to look at Sponsorship

11. **Date of next meeting** – Friday 11th April 2025 7.00pm
12. **Meeting closed** – 8.17pm