

**BRISTOL AREA MG OWNERS CLUB COMMITTEE MEETING Monday, 15 June 2020**

<b>PRESENT</b>			
Garry Bishop Chris Leverett Ian Scott	Pauline Leverett Val Scott Janet Pryce-Jones	Violet Delmas Richard Delmas Steve Richards	Bert Hurditch Andrew Hounsom Richard Stibbs Gillian Stibbs
<b>APOLOGIES</b>			<b>Action</b>
None			
<b>MINUTES OF LAST MEETING</b>			
Agreed			
<b>MATTERS ARISING</b>			
<b>TREASURER'S REPORT</b>			
Club: £6409.38 - Annual Run: £61.15 - Bluebell: £2381.01 - TOTAL £8851.54 Down on year £420.33 (last year at this time we were down £554.85).			
<b>AREA SECRETARY'S REPORT</b>			
Deadline for next magazine is 20 <sup>th</sup> July. Articles and pictures welcome. PL to reproduce the Bring Your MG to Clubnight photos for the magazine.			<b>PL</b>
<b>MEMBERSHIP REPORT</b>			
Renewals:	Brian Hollis (254), Mike Horsfield (269), Keith Jackson (227) Colin Oatway (194), Ray Prosser & Helen Riley (35)		
Email Reminders:	Adrian Bowden-Green (209) (March)		
Letter reminders:	Eric Gray (12) (April)		
Lapsed:	Brian Hollis (254) (June) sold MG - may renew if he gets another - email acknowledgement sent		
New Members:	Michael Davis (285) (Yate) blue Midget & silver MGF (via FB/website) Michael Jackson (286) (Hengrove) green MGF (via FB)		
Still to pay:	Adrian Bowden-Green Colin Oatway (194) Ray Prosser & Helen Riley (35)		
As at 15 June 2020 we have 87 memberships - total £1130 (inc £15 p&p) 144 members (+ 1 named child) - 57 couples/family memberships + 26 single memberships + 4 Hon Members			
CL to pay £15 for Ray Prosser's membership. VS to send revised list to PL <b>[DONE]</b>			<b>CL</b>
<b>FUND RAISING</b>			
Nothing to report.			
<b>REGALIA</b>			
Nothing to report.			
<b>EVENT CO-ORDINATOR'S REPORT</b>			
VD has contacted the Rugby Club and their earliest possible date for re-opening is 4 <sup>th</sup> July. Social distancing/queuing at the bar will be in operation. Possible use of rugby pitches as a beer garden. Marquee may be used as a meeting space. All agreed that would be OK as long as the loos were open (which is uncertain). It was felt we should aim for August Club Night whilst having another Zoom Club Night in July.  BH said that Barton Camp would be available for a picnic meeting on 5/12/26 July or 2 August. All agreed that August would be the earliest we could consider.			

<p>Zoom Club Night 8<sup>th</sup> July: Ask members to send in pics of cars in special places or unusual circumstances. VD to include request in newsletter. RS/GS to prepare slideshow same as the one at the June meeting. VD/RD to do quiz for July (or Crosiers)</p> <p>General comment about last Zoom meeting was that some attendees said very little. VD suggested splitting into 'rooms' but, in the end, agreed that committee members should make sure that 'quiet' members are included (much like a normal club night). Even though they were quiet, they apparently enjoyed the whole experience.</p> <p>PL said she would try to prepare a virtual road run using Google Maps. It could be anywhere in this country (or not!). This would go online with a link from the newsletter (if she could figure out how to prepare it!). There would be questions involved and the answers could be announced at the August Club Night whether this was live or on Zoom. This would give participants time to complete the task!</p>	<p>VD/RD</p> <p>RS/GS VD/RD</p> <p>PL</p>
<b>ANNUAL CLUB EVENT</b>	
<p>Nothing to report. Under AOB SR asked PL to remind Enjoying MG that the run was postponed as it was still advertised in the June issue. <b>[DONE]</b> PL said she had had an email from them confirming that they would put a 'flash' over the advert but the delay is probably due to the lag between providing information and it appearing in the magazine.</p>	
<b>AOB</b>	
<p>VD brought up the subject of a trophy in memory of Colin Wotley. Agreed that this should replace the Hereford Cup as an award for best Sunday Run. BH to ask Val what she would like it called (eg: Wotley Cup - Colin Wotley Cup etc). BH to let committee know her wishes. Val wants to do Colin's last run with her family and since the current cup won't be presented in 2020 it would be nice if she could be presented with the new trophy at the end of that run. CL/GB have been offered some trophies by David Franklin that could be re-purposed/re-badged. GB to speak to David Franklin .</p> <p>VD also thought it might be an idea to have a new trophy for the membership to nominate. Felt there might be some confusion with the Mark Neale Trophy. PL didn't write down any conclusion on this - maybe there wasn't one.</p> <p>RS asked why our magazine was not digital. PL said that file was too big to be emailed safely (<i>out of interest, the PDF file of the last magazine was 62MB</i>) . Others confirmed that the membership had expressed pleasure at receiving an actual, printed magazine. The printers do supply a digital, on-line copy but, if only members were in receipt of a magazine, some sort of password would be required. Obviously, nothing is set in stone and, should we need to seriously tighten our belts in the future, a digital magazine would be considered.</p> <p>JPJ asked IS to re-consider his decision to step down as Treasurer. Others joined in the "arm-twisting". IS will think about it and not decide until we can meet face to face. Club to continue to pay for Zoom to cover until the next committee meeting.</p>	<p>BH</p> <p>GB</p> <p>IS</p>
<b>DATE OF NEXT MEETING</b>	
Zoom meeting Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> July.	