**TWEED VALLEY SAILING CLUB**

 **COMMITTEE MEETING**

 **17th JULY 2021**

 **10.00 am Sheoak Shack Café, Fingal Head** **MINUTES for 4th Meeting**

Meeting opened at 10.09 am

**Committee Members in Attendance:**

Craig Foyle

Bryan Townsend

Gail Bernet

Mark Reynolds

**Members present:**

John Hayward

Monique Smith

Kate Yeomans

Adam Andrewartha

**Apologies** – Bill Fenelon

 Peter Ross

**Previous Meeting 29 May**

No Comments

Accepted

**Commodores Report –** away at sea

**Treasurers Report** - Craig

$11,031.44

Accepted

**Members**- Mark’s Report

143 members –(with 3 additional Sail Pass members)

4 new members since last meeting.

Accepted

**Merchandise** – Bryan – sufficient clothing sizes on hand - no need to order more

**Web Page** – Craig – 650 viewed Website, 844 views on facebook

**Juniors –** Sunday morning sailing working well but small in numbers

– John spoke with teacher from Lindesfarne re request to hold information session on boats, their rigging etc. to complement her marine study classes. No firm time or commitment as yet.

**SheSails** – Monique

* Held 2 sailing days, 19th June and 17th July (today) with 6 ladies registering
* All are still keen and just happy to be sailing and improving their skills. Apologies for hole in Pacer and thanks to Lex and John for repairs and Bryans support on Safety boat,
* Maddie, Melissa and Monique (Tweed by 3) to compete in the Mooloolaba Women’s Keelboat Regatta.
* Start a new course in September –

**Business arising**

* Fence and container **–** back with Tweed City Council – options ongoing (Bill)
* Crown Land – ongoing – Peter Ross
* Pacer dollies - Craig has taken measurements for aluminium parts and has located a person for welding.
* Cover for Corsair approved – need to check if there is a Corsair dolly stored somewhere.
* Handicap starts have been met favourably – beach start only possible during winter
* Long river race Tumbulgum – suggested date 19th September. Otherwise a slightly longer Chinderah challenge – there and back to Fingal – slower boats to turn back after meeting up with first one on its return. (no dates confirmed yet)

**Correspondence**

2022 Sailing Champions League: Asia Pacific

**New Business**

Scheduled Maintenance day for work on all boats and container on Thursdays when weather suitable. Brian and John to go ahead to purchase awning for front door

Winter programme for Juniors – September

Reminder at each briefing of safety rules, problems and procedures. Ideally need 2 rescue boats and 2 assistants. Have a duty roster with the duty officer co-ordinating at briefing. Maybe safety training course attendance be offered.

Need to get quotes for rescue boat as old one is on the way out.

Membership – Skippers need to be members or have sail pass. Crew do not need to be members. For championships they need to be a member of this club.

End of season – last race 5th September – suggest early start followed by picnic

8th August – free – ideas?

**Next meeting**

Annual General Meeting – 12th September

Meeting closed 11.19 am