

# **NORTH REGION CLAY PIGEON SHOOTING ASSOCIATION**

## **MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD 29<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2010 AT ST GEORGE HOTEL, HARROGATE**

PRESENT: N HIRST – CHAIRMAN                      R BLACKER  
          T BENSON – VICE CHAIRMAN            T HEEKS  
          K STOKER – TREASURER                M PLANT  
          L BLACKER – SECRETARY               E BELL  
          S WILKINSON                              N FOWLER  
          B HART                                      P THOMPSON  
          M MIDGELEY                              N TRUTER  
          P CHAPLOW

### **1. OPENING REMARKS**

The Chairman opened the meeting at 7.30 p.m. and thanked everyone for attending.

### **2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies had been received from Terry Deakin and Glen Jones. Mr I Mullarkey and Alan Henry did not attend.

### **3. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING**

The minutes of the meeting held on 8<sup>th</sup> April were proposed as a true record on the proposal of Bill Hart, seconded by Sam Wilkinson and passed unanimously.

### **4. MATTERS ARISING**

#### **4.1 Regional Website**

It was feasible for the website to have a 'click on' to grounds to see results.

The Chairman had contacted Peter Tomlinson about advertising, his reply was he was unaware of other regions/counties having any direct income for advertising. He said it was done in 'kind'.

**ACTION: P THOMPSON TO CONTACT ACCOUNTANTS ABOUT  
ADVERTISING**

#### **4.2 North Yorkshire Police Firearms Consultative Meeting**

The Chairman had attended the meeting in May and said there were no problems to discuss.

### **4.3 Regional Coaching and Training Initiatives**

The question asked 'why do referees need to be members of the CPSA. The answer was if they are not members they are not covered by CPSA Insurance.

Malcolm Plant said a full days coaching for under 21's had been arranged for August consisting of skeet and sporting. This was to be held at Spennymoor.

### **4.4 Worsley Grange**

David Lloyd and Terry Bobbett are to have a meeting as Worsley have applied to be a CPSA registered ground again. Hopefully at the end of this year/beginning of next it will be a CPSA registered ground. David Lloyd was hoping to get the ground 'up to scratch' so they could hold the British/English Open there.

## **5. TREASURERS REPORT**

The Treasurer reported that there was £5253.76 in the Building Society account and £5200.95 in the current account giving a total of £10454.71.

Outstanding levies had been received from Penrith.

There were still outstanding levies from EYGC.

**ACTION: N HIRST TO CHASE UP**

NOE still had outstanding levies from last year.

**ACTION: P THOMPSON**

Coniston still owed for selection shoot held in June

**ACTION: N HIRST TO CHASE UP**

EYGC had gone into administration. It has reopened as Beverley Clay Target Centre and will continue to run as normal.

## **6. MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT**

John Topliss had been accepted back into the CPSA.

Lakenheath had been taken off the rota for CPSA shoots by Peter Ushers wishes.

John Perry on action group with BASC etc for lead shot.

## **7. SELECTION AND REGIONAL COACHING/COURSES REPRESENTATIVE**

The North Region had three applicants, K Stoker, S Wilkinson and R Carnall.

Mr Wilkinson withdrew his application because he stated that another contender Jerry Parkes-Young was there under false pretences.

A show of hands resulted in K Stoker being elected.

## **8. CLA CHAMPIONSHIP**

Representatives from all Counties except Cumbria attended.

Ollie Baker won the championship with M Doughty runner up.

## **9. REPORTS FROM SELECTION SHOOTS**

DTL – All teams turned up. Only NOE Juniors won. No reports had been published in PULL Magazine.

SKEET – All selection shoots had been shot and all teams had been sorted except for the Juniors. The teams have been successful in getting sponsorship. Two of the ladies got into the England team.

Mr Caines widow wanted to donate a memorial trophy and it was agreed by the Committee this should be awarded to the Veterans winner.

BALLTRAP – Nothing this year.

## **10. REGIONAL FIXTURES, COUNTY BADGES AND COLTS BADGES**

All fixtures had been finalised and are going ahead. Coniston has shown interest in holding a NOE FITASC shoot.

**ACTION: N HIRST TO NOTIFY CONISTON THEY CAN HOLD SHOOT IN OCTOBER.**

### **10.1 Badges**

Team badges had now been distributed. Eric Bell mentioned that there was only one badge/one cup for all entries, there was nothing for Colts/Juniors/Ladies or Veterans. Tony Heeks proposed that a certificate be made to be given on the day, the retrospective winners would receive a badge after the shoot. This was seconded by Bill Hart.

**ACTION: N TRUTER TO DESIGN CERTIFICATE AND ORGANISE DISTRIBUTION**

## **11. REGIONAL WEBSITE**

The Chairman had spoken to Dave Waddington about recognition (acknowledgements on both websites) on his retirement.

## **12. NORTH YORKSHIRE POLICE FIREARMS CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE**

As previous.

### **13. REGIONAL AND COACHING ACTIVITIES**

As previous.

### **14. REGIONAL COURSES**

There are courses for referees and instructors still available,

### **15. CHANGE TO REGIONAL ARTICLES**

Keith Stoker mentioned the change to the Regional Articles allowing people outside the County to vote. A discussion took place and it was proposed that it was put to the CPSA through Tony Heeks.

**PROPOSER: K SOKER – TO DRAFT SOMETHING TO GO TO THE CPSA MEETING.**

**SECONDER: S WILKINSON**

### **16. CORRESPONDENCE**

There was no correspondence to discuss.

### **17. ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

Malcolm Plant was on the Planning Department list for Park Lodge Shooting ground who are wanting to build a clubhouse. Malcolm asked would the Committee be willing to back it. There was unanimous agreement from the Committee.

Malcolm Plant mentioned that the Home Affairs Committee in Parliament was taking evidence about the Cumbrian shooting incident. If you wanted to contribute anything there was a website on Home Affairs that you could send it to.

**ACTION: N TRUTER TO LIAISE WITH MALCOLM PLANT**

Can Committee members please be prepared to supply details of nominations due to receive awards in respect of national/international winners.

There being no other business the Chairman closed the meeting at 21.15 hrs

LINDA BLACKER  
SECRETARY  
04.08.10