



**Cambridgeshire Archery Association
Council Meeting
19 January 2021
Meeting via Zoom**

Attending

George Sykes, John Gorman, Paula Langton, Amanda Bakewell, David Long, Heather Hooper, Jack Atkinson, John Searle, Steve Millward, Gill Millward, Stephen West, Mary Watson.

Apologies

Philip Watson, Dave Stocker.

Notes of the previous meeting

The notes of the last meeting on 8 December 2020 were agreed. JA requested Council reports from the meeting to be sent out with the notes, agreed PL to action.

Matters arising

- GM agreed to confirm JG's coaching status. – GM agreed this has been resolved.
- PL to send out the CAA/AGB grant links to clubs to advise funding available. This was emailed via the CAA mailing list.
- Expressions of interest to be sought from clubs in the County to hold the indoor/outdoor shoot in 2021. This item is to be voted on at the next meeting. PL reported this was emailed via the CAA mailing list.

Reports

Chair

Written report provided by Philip Watson.

PW asked for the following items to be reported:

The SCAS Council meeting took place on 16 January. On the agenda was the regional development plan, the Council voted on priorities to be addressed and agreed the development of an 'archer pathway' document to help guide archers through the opportunities available.

The governmental structure for SCAS is changing and SCAS have applied to the Charity Commission for a change of status to Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) to protect the trustees/organisation and sets limits of liability. SCAS will endure irrespective of any changes AGB may choose to impose.

JG reported a desire to continue with the SCAM meeting in May 2021. This includes putting in place contingencies to take into account changes in Covid restrictions.

Vice chair

Written report provided.

GS spoke on behalf of the Council to say our thoughts are with any of our membership who are currently struggling with Covid.

Secretary

Report provided by Paula Langton

PL indicated if any club members would like to be added to the CAA distribution list to please email secretary@cambridgeshirearchery.org

Treasurer

Report provided by John Gorman

JG reported a number of clubs have still not paid their membership fees but contact has been made by Anglia Ruskin University who did not receive the previous reminders. The other clubs listed in the report have not made contact or paid their fees.

JG spoke about the Grant scheme and indicated the scheme was for match funding for awards made by AGB. If AGB turned down an application the CAA could/would still support our county clubs and will continue to do so despite the pause in the AGB Grants.

Team Manager

Written report provided by Jack Atkinson

JA reported an email has been received from SCAS indicating the postal league is going ahead with a few last-minute changes.

JA advised some clubs are starting to advertise summer competitions.

CCO

Verbal report provided by Gill and Steve Millward.

GM reported 2 coach renewals are overdue but is struggling to be able to reach the coaches. This includes making contact through their clubs. The next renewals in are not due until April 2021.

SM reported a Coaching Group meeting is being planned for a few weeks time. Please could any coaches wishing to raise any items in the open forum meeting please let Steve know.

Records officer

Written report provided.

JA reported one claim has been received from Jaspreet Sagoo (lady, senior, recurve, WA18) and requested ratification. Ratification was agreed by the Council members.

CPO

Nothing to report.

Update from AGB Tiering System

At present the UK is in lockdown and no club shooting is permitted. PW asked for the following to be read out the meeting " I spoke to Arran Coggan yesterday and another working group meeting (of the Covid group) will take place in 2 weeks time.

PL advised clubs can open for disabled members only to shoot.

County Indoor/Outdoor Championships 2021

The following proposals were received:

Indoor Championships – Jolly Archers

To provide a Portsmouth round to be held on 13 February 2022.

Members agreed the fee would be revised to £10 per boss or part thereof used by County archers.

Outdoor Championships – Peacock Archers.

To provide a WRS WA 1440 and Metrics 1-4 in June 2021.

The fee of £12 per boss or part thereof used by County archers.

The proposals for both the Indoor and Outdoor Championships were accepted in a vote by Council.

PL agreed to send email to seek expressions of interest for End of Season shoot Summer 2021.

AOB

GS provided a reminder of some upcoming webinars being run by Archery GB.

Using IT to reduce administrative workload,

- 2 Feb – Primary communication
- 4 Feb – Mailchimp to distribute mail shots
- 9 Feb – Running events using Eventbrite.

Next meeting

Tuesday 16 March 2021 at 7:30pm via Zoom.