



Mid Calder Institute Hall, 15 Market Street
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Minutes of Meeting Oct 28th 2019

Present Neil Barton (NB) , Gordon Scott (GS) , Richard Mackay (RM)
Jim Reid (JR) , Dougie Cockburn (DC) , Peter Baird (PB) ,
Sheila Colthart (SC) , Yvonne Kelly (YK)

Apologies Sam Hanlon (SH) , Sheila Colthart (SC) ,

Matters Arising from Previous Minutes

Trophies Some discussion took place regarding the possibility of replacing the appraisal trophies. It was decided to stick with the current ones for the time being as replacement would be quite costly.

BB Night Went well despite no internet access

Practical Night Despite being indoors went quite well

Memberships 24 paid up members. YK to let JR have updated memberships.

Financial Report £2317.46 in account

Forthcoming Meetings

October 30 th	Appraisal No 1
Nov 6 th	Scavenger Hunt in BB
Nov 13 th	Inter Club v MidLothian
Nov 20 th	Practical Night
Nov 27 th	Appraisal No 2

DC agreed to contact local studio owner Barry Spence to see if he would come along to the club on Nov 20th and give guidance to members on studio lighting techniques.

Inter Club v Midlothian selected after end of meeting and GS to deliver images to judge at weekend

AOB

Club visitors Communication was received from a club member giving concerns regarding the club's policy in not charging extra for guests at visiting speaker nights. Discussion took place with some members saying that we should charge extra and others saying no. It was felt from a financial point of view that it would make little difference over the year to the club's finances. It was agreed to keep things as they are but to review again and possibly ask for members views at the AGM.

Gala Day 2020 Club has again been asked to photograph MC Gala Day in 2020. Agreed to participate again

Print Appraisals YK asked could members not entering the print section be able to enter extra pdi images in the appraisals. It was agreed that the rules should stay the same as changing them would make the scoring of the leagues more complicated . It was also felt that we should be encouraging members who don't currently print their images to make the effort to do so.

Communication with Members Reminder that not all members are on FB and to use Email as well for sending out club info.

DONM November 25th IH 7.00 pm