

Suffolk IVC Committee Meeting

MINUTES

Meeting Date – Thursday, July 1st, 2021 at 2pm

Venue – Zoom hosted by Phil Riches

Those attending

Jennifer Lowless	JL	Graeme Mount	GM
Brad Rawlings	BR	Gill Reeve	GR
Phil Riches	PR	Judith Scott	JS

The meeting was opened at 2:06.

1) Apologies for absence

There were no apologies for absence.

2) Adoption of Minutes

The minutes of the May 27th meeting were adopted after a request from PR to amend a section of item 6 from '6 for 7:30' to '6pm'.

3) Matters Arising

There were no matters arising not mentioned elsewhere in the minutes.

4) Officer's Reports

Treasurer -- GR said that the balance on the account stood £1,292 after paying for the coming Saturday's buffet.

Membership -- BR advised that numbers are steady at 28 but with two new prospectives who have both paid subscriptions on-line.

Systems -- PR said that after amending the automatic membership renewal system with a purely e-mail response that it was no longer necessary for members to log onto the web for a renewal document.

ALO -- GM summarised the aIVC conference to say that the central committee had announced that there would be no levy this year and that Conference had agreed that the committee could look into some kind of formal company format for aIVC. Since then the committee had started up a new central IVC group for people without access to a local group, they were also looking at SimpleLists.com as a way of communicating with the various club memberships. GM was concerned about the aIVC website and hoped that PR would agree to contact Bob Clifford to remind him that he, PR, had offered to help with the reconstruction.

5) Events

Further to last month's suggestion PR said that the suggested buffet evening planned for Saturday July 3rd at The Ipswich Sports Club now had a firm booking and was going ahead with 18 guests. It was also thought that a Ceilidh or something similar would be worthwhile and Mark Kiddy was suggested as a possible contact.

6) Next Committee Meetings

The next committee meeting was scheduled for Thursday, August 12th, 2021 at 7:30pm, again to be a Zoom meeting. It was suggested that whilst a good idea as members are widely separated, that it would be preferable to have a face-to-face meeting at least every three months.

7) AoB

There was no other business to discuss.

The meeting was closed at 2:55