

**Minutes for Wigan Borough Community Cycling Club**  
**Steering Group Meeting Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2020**  
**Virtual meeting via Zoom 7.15pm**

**Members present:**

Jim Taylor, Phil Brown, Sue Bradley, Phil Bradley, Graham Cooper, Allan Ricketts, Pete Hudson, Clive Chatterton and Allan Finch.

**1. Apologies for absence**

Doreen Pukitis, Jim Heyes, Dave Holden, Paul Boffey.

**2. Minutes from 1<sup>st</sup> June 2020**

The minutes of the steering meeting on the 1<sup>st</sup> June 2020 were agreed to be a correct and accurate record.

**3. Matters arising**

None.

**4. Finance report**

Phil Brown reported that from the last meeting there was an outgoing of £305, bringing the club's balance to approximately £575. Out goings included 4 new radios, club insurance, safety blankets and a Wetherspoons voucher for Jim Heyes 80<sup>th</sup> birthday.

**5. AGM 2020**

Due to Covid-19, the next AGM and general meetings are to be announced when possible.

**6. WBCCC – Ride database**

After a lot of work and effort by Graham Cooper, he has produced a database of over 100 rides undertaken by the Club

which will be accessible to Club Members through various devices, including mobile phones. This will initially be accessible for steering group members to test out before 3<sup>rd</sup> January via an email link on a Google Drive account. Jim Taylor suggested that the database should include whether rides were suitable for electric bikes. There are several ways of accessing this database, for e.g. Garmin, Komoot and other apps. which Graham will be quite happy to help members with.

## **7. Wigan Council - The Road to Wigan Pier Cycling and Walking Improvement Scheme.**

Jim Taylor had circulated an email from Richard Smith at Inspiring Healthy Lifestyles regarding the proposed improvement scheme. Jim suggested that all comments for and against this scheme should be copied to him to forward on to the Council. He was disappointed that the Council Cycling Walking and Cycling Forum had failed to include the Club directly in the consultation process.

## **8. Any other business**

Clive Chatterton mentioned that Graham might like to hold an evening meeting at The Brick to inform riders of how to use his database.

Jim Taylor suggested a possible way to promote our club was to make short videos of a selection of our best rides and present them at a similar meeting.

## **9. Date of next meeting**

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