

## **Cycle Chesterfield Meeting 11/07/23**

### **Minutes and Actions**

**Attendees:** Alastair Miekle (Secretary), Kathy Farr, Dean Sas (Social Media / website), Nigel Vernon, Ian Mateer (Memberships), Lisa Hopkinson, Martin Farr (Treasurer), Vince Beckworth, Malcolm Ward, Celia Hardwick, Tom Hardwick  
**Apologies:** Chris Allen, Jason Dent, Megan Cook, Barbara Sansom

### **Actions from June Meeting**

	Action	Progress	Owner
1	CC Sticker to be ordered for putting on purchases	Delivered and used on Mastin Moor Community Garden stand	AM
2	Additional newsletters for Repair Cafe	AM to contact Wendy for Wendy to distribute	AM
3	Cycle map development and costings	Ongoing. Awaiting East West route finalisation	AM
4	DCC Liaison Meeting chaser	AM has sent 3 emails plus Cycling UK has tried – no response- other contacts at DCC or Sustrans?	AM
5	Membership meeting to be organised	Took place 17/7/23 SEE BELOW	AM/MF/IM/JD
6	Beeley road closure letter to DCC and Climate Action Plan Guidance letter to CBC?	Email sent by Spire and AM	???
7	Christmas social at Brampton Brewery	Booked for Tues 12 <sup>th</sup> Dec	MF
8	Festival planning group for next year		MF
9	Plan for additional rides this summer	Done	MF
10	Ben Vernon ride publicity. To be added to our social media	Done – event has now happened	DS
11	Station display board – Alastair to supply key, Dean to update		AM/DS
12	Cycle in style future plans?		All

### **Treasurer report (Martin)**

Account stands at £3981 end June. Outgoings in June £7.80 internet, £30 for Brampton Brewery Festival booking and £127 for newsletter.

### **Membership report (Ian)**

Memberships currently stand at 218. This is highest figure for some time and largely due to Festival.

### **Secretary report (Alastair)**

- MF and AM met Graeme Challons re Mastin Moor residential development plans and suggested a number of improvements to consider. Graeme to meet Devonshire Group developers.

### **Planning.**

- Waterside – Cycle Chesterfield wrote to CBC objecting to Woodall Homes plans to downgrade any paths within their boundaries to 2 metres max width. LH provided an update that CBC approved Woodall Homes plans against officer advice and without any s106 contributions. Now unclear if Woodall appeal still going ahead. As regards Avant site, AECOM report awaited for options for bridge over river to connect with TPT.

### **Social Media**

Dean reported lots of website hits in June. FB reached 4000 people for Cycle Festival page.

### **AOB**

- **Ben Vernon Ride 2/7** – raised £1040 in donations plus cash donations on top. One rider accident, one lost in Inkersall and 1 did not finish but overall successful event. Next one September 2024
- **Cycle in Style** – Final one being organised by Nigel Vernon in September

### **Membership Review Meeting 17/7**

Ian, Martin and Alastair.

Discussion about membership lists, renewal letters and processes. The following was agreed or required further consideration

- AM agreed to create a single email group on member mojo for all circulations. This will be from the current members list which is the most up to date list. Non members will be removed from this list unless they are important contacts for CC
- Agreed - JD and AM to work together to ensure that new members are allocated a newsletter delivery round or are sent via post by AM
- Agreed – that anyone joining from 1/8 in a given year will get the following year free. All renewals are now 1/1
- Need to update the letters Ian sends out each year. MF or IM to look at this. Reminder to renew will go out 1/1, then another 2 weeks later, then another 2 weeks later. MF (or IM) to send out a final 2 month reminder to all non renewers

### **Cycle Map update and review from meeting in May**

Agreed to provide more mapping for the linkage into the Clowne Greenway route from Staveley.

There was discussion about how best to represent any linking roads between cycle infrastructure and agreed that describing them as quiet may not be helpful in many places. It was felt that on road cycle lanes should still be marked on the map even though many do get blocked by parked vehicles.

The mapping details needs to be updated and some of the written information is no longer relevant so can be deleted. There needs to be a new cover photo to highlight this as the new version.

AM to contact the designers to check on whether they can make the amendments required and the costings involved