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GLOUCESTER CITY CYCLING CLUB

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Notice is hereby given of the Annual General Meeting of the Gloucester City Cycling Club which will take place at the Old Richians Sports and Social Club on Tuesday 3rd October 2005 at 7.30pm prompt. You are invited to attend.

AGENDA

1. To receive apologies for absence. *G. McGarr, A. Daws,*
2. Minutes of the 2005 AGM.
3. Matters arising.
4. New Members.
5. Reports of Retiring Officers :
~~General Secretary ; Treasurer ; Captain ; Vice Captain ; Social Secretary ; Newsletter Editor ; Dinner Secretary ; Press Secretary ; Club Racing Secretary ; Club Coach ; October 25 mile TT (2005) ; Open 10 mile TT ; Rudy Project TG Hall 28 mile TT ; Steve Taylor Mem. RR ; CCRL RR ; Cyclo-Cross events (2).~~
6. Election of President. *Toby.*
7. Election of Vice Presidents. *Same.*
8. Election of Officers :
~~General Secretary ; Treasurer ; Captain ; Vice Captain ; Social Secretary ; Newsletter Editor ; Dinner Secretary ; Press Secretary ; Club Racing Secretary ; Club Coach.~~
9. Election of Organisers, dates, entry fees and categories for the following events:
~~Open '10' ; TG Hall TT ; October '25' ; Steve Taylor Mem. RR ; CCRL RR ; Cyclo-Cross events (3).~~
10. Election of Other Positions : ~~Time Keepers ; Assistant Time Keepers ; Handicappers ; Auditor ; Assistant Coach ; Committee Members (six).~~
11. Confirmation of Affiliations : CTT ; BC ; CTC ; WCRRA ; RRA ; WTTA ; CCRL.
12. Appointment of Delegates to Affiliated Bodies.
13. Election of Clubman Trophy Winner. Nominations : Alastair Goldie, George Unsworth, Gerry McGarr

Election of ~~Best~~ UK Tour (The McLeod Trophy): Nominations: David Lesser

Election of ~~Best~~ Overseas Tour (The Gouda Trophy): Nominations: Alastair Goldie

Election of Best Novice Racer (The Boakes and Lew Morris Trophy): Nominations: Rupert Denny, Gordon Johnston, Grant Preece.

14. Proposed Rule Changes:
See over the page for details.

14. Proposed Rule Changes:
Proposed by the outgoing General Committee.

Proposed rule change: to add Vets Actual as a recognised Club Champion at 10 and 25 miles. Currently only recognises Vets on Standard.

It is a change to rule 11, to read:

11.1 Time Trial Championships

11.1.1 10 mile Championship TT for Men, Women, **Veterans (on Actual)**, Veterans (on Standard), Juniors and Juveniles.

11.1.2 25 mile Championship TT for Men, Women, **Veterans (on Actual)**, Veterans (on Standard), Juniors and Juveniles.

This should also be noted this will be retrospective for 2006.

15. Any other business.

Gloucester City Cycling Club Annual Accounts for the year ending 31 August 2006

I have pleasure in presenting the accounts for the year ending 31 August 2006 and I am grateful to our Honorary auditor, Ed Spurway for examining them.

Copies of the balance sheet have been distributed and you will notice that I have given last year's figures for comparison; they are in italics and are on the left hand side of each column.

I will talk you through the figures:

The total balance carried forward from last year does not show the £3740.86 in the deposit account making total club funds then £4170.53. This years ending balance is £3527.09 which is £646.44 less than last year. However, there is £1114 worth of unsold clothing which if all sold would give us a greater balance than last year. As you will recall we no longer receive cash sponsorship but obtain club clothing at pretty much cost and sell to members with a modest mark up to go towards club funds.

Looking at some of the figures more closely you will see that income from subscriptions has gone down, not because of lack of members but because there are more family subscriptions and also more senior members have moved into the life members category and do not pay a subscription but we received £75 in donations some of which came from life members and we thank them. The Standing Order facility we introduced last year resulted in 12 members paying by SO and I would encourage others to do so as it saves me chasing late subs.

Donations paid out came to £60 regrettably due to deaths of members. No major donations were made in 2006 and the Committee may wish to consider a suitable charity for the coming year to make amends. For interest we made donations in the previous year to Sustrans, £575 Tsunami appeal £50, BAGG £25 and Headway amounting to £763.

CTC Affiliation and insurance now runs from 1 October each year and the £50 premium will appear in next year's accounts.

Most of the races made a modest profit when the C & G Sponsorship is taken into account.

The C & G sponsorship money, £600, was paid directly into the deposit account and then paid out to the Race organisers when required thus earning interest. It is therefore not shown on the current account other than being incorporated into the income from the various races.

The popularity of Club Time Trials have produced a balance of £276.51 although we still have to pay the Dan Knight prizes, expenses for the organiser and petrol money to timekeepers who have to check the course for H & S purposes.

Clothing appears to be making a profit, (£113.5) and as I mentioned earlier we have unsold stock amounting to £1114 which with the balance makes up our "sponsorship" money to the same as in the past when we received it from Town Cars. The system is therefore working well thanks to Toby's salesmanship.

We have spent £1475 on engraving which also includes the refurbishment of trophies as agreed by the Committee last year. Debbie Light has done an excellent job on this and is to be thanked.

There are some yet to be done as we agreed to phase it over 2 years. We have also had to purchase fresh stocks of medals and the remaining charge will appear in next year's accounts.

Although the dinner tickets were subsidised by the Club, the loss was £377.06, £100 more than the previous year. This year's dinner is likely to lose even more as we have lost our deposit at the Gordon League because of the change of venue.

From 1 September 2004 we moved our account to Alliance and Leicester which pays a very good rate of interest on the deposit account amounting to £118.09 this year. The amount of interest is down as the rate was lowered and we have used some of the capital during the year.

As I said at the beginning this years ending balance is £3527.09 which is £646.44 less than last year but with the addition of the unsold clothing there would be a balance of £4641.09 which would be £470.65 greater than last year. I therefore feel the Club finances continue to be sound and seek your approval of the accounts.

I will be happy to answer any questions you may have.

Alastair Goldie, Hon Treasurer

Gloucester City Cycling Club

**Statement of Receipts and Payments
for the year ending 31 August 2006**

RECEIPTS

PAYMENTS

Balance at 31 Aug 2005 **429.67** **429.67**

2004/5	2005/6	
1027.00 Subscriptions	1007.00	
54.50 Donations	75.00	
5.00 Hbooks	55.50	
77.70 Cyclo X	639.00	
152.00 St Taylor	69.00	
104.00 CCRL	60.00	
318.00 Open 10	287.60	
205.00 Open 25	378.71	
32.80 Inter 10	25.14	
0.00 Oct 25	204.00	
119.40 Club TTs	456.51	
11.00 Medals	76.00	
From Dep a/c	2300.00	
5464.50 Clothing	2444.50	
1203.00 Dinner 05	1185.50	
3.50 Printing		
Income	9263.46	9693.13
B/F	429.67	
Total income	9693.13	
Income		9693.13
Payments		-9524.99
C/F		168.14

Dep a/c	3100.00	
140.86 Interest	258.95	-118.09
Total	3358.95	

2004/5	2005/6
115.00 BC affil	115.00
763.00 Donations	60.00
60.00 Old Richians	65.00
5.00 Hbooks	55.00
50.00 CTC affil/Ins	
80.00 CTT affil	80.00
15.00 WTTA	15.00
Cycle Mus	18.00
CycloCross	520.10
134.00 St Taylor	182.00
209.59 CCRL	0.00
298.00 Open 10	370.52
209.00 Open 25	493.43
TG Hall 25	55.00
Oct 25	215.00
39.60 Club TTs	180.00
25.40 Race Equipt	13.60
87.00 Dan Knight	94.00
593.19 Engraving	1475.27
26.99 N/L Print	43.43
72.18 N/L Post	68.76
62.77 Stationery	34.90
9.99 Publicity	17.92
25.00 Postage Secy	0.00
0.00 Postage Treas	0.00
2611.13 Clothing	2331.00
180.00 Coaching/Courses	0.00
1460.80 Dinner 06	240.00
100.00 Dinner 05	1562.06
15.00 Printing	20.00
420.00 Spons	0.00
5000.00 Dep a/c	1200.00
	9524.99

Payments 9524.99

Balances at 31 August 2006	
Current	168.14
Cash	0.00
Deposit	3358.95
4170.53 Total	3527.09

Trophies are held at a value of £6975

Clothing stock held to value of £1114

*I have examined this statement and books and vouchers
submitted to me and am of the opinion it is a true and correct
record of the receipts and payments for the year ending 31 August 2006*

Signed

A Goldie
Treasurer

E Spurway
Examiner

Social Secretary's Report 2005-2006

The Gibb Shield competition has proven to be a closely contested affair in recent years, and this year was even closer than ever with only 4 points covering the first three places. The winner was Alistair Goldie, with 141 points to Theo's 138 and Toby's 137. See the results sheet for the remaining places.

This put an end to Theo's domination of the event for the last three years, so congratulations to Ali G, who I believe has not won it before.

The attendance for the quizzes at the clubroom was much the same as in recent years, with an average of 9 people competing for each of the three quizzes that took place. However, having said that, one quiz, the General Secretary's cycling quiz, did not take place because not enough people turned up on the night. I do not know what was going on that night (it was the 21st Feb) – was everyone on a training camp somewhere sunny?

The attendance at the clubhouse for slide shows was very poor this time round. Hopefully this is just one of those things and next year will be better.

The attendance for the evening competition (single events, such as Freewheeling) was also similar to previous years – average 5 competitors for each one. However the Speed Judging and barbeque was not well attended. Thanks to the Jarvises as ever for having us. I am proposing that next year we move this to a Friday evening and make it a much bigger event – same format with the cycling competition and barbeque, but get an idea of numbers beforehand and have volunteers to help with the catering and perhaps get people to bring some starters and desserts (and alcohol) and make a much bigger thing of it – on a week night it's not such an attractive proposition. I will check that the John and Sadie are OK with this proposal.

The attendance on the evening rides out to pubs was not so good this year, with generally the same 3 or 4 people coming out, and there were fewer individuals scoring points on these rides over the season. I propose that next year the ride starts earlier, at 6.30, so as to allow people to come out and get to the pub in time to eat, and to get home a bit earlier for work the next day.

Generally, not a bad year for the Social Competition but hopefully the proposals I am making will improve things next year.

Social Secretary

Name	Total	Map reading competition	Ti Dave's Local Quiz	Toby's Slide Quiz	Cycling Quiz	Braking	Free Wheeling	Speed Judging	Evening Rides	Final total
Theo	187	25	27	30	Cancelled	27	27	24	27	138
Toby	184	30	23	25	Cancelled	30	24	27	25	137
Malcolm	128	30	27	24	Cancelled	0	25	0	22	128
Ali G	187	23	30	27	Cancelled	24	23	30	30	141
Rich C	127	22	27	27	Cancelled	27	0	0	24	127
Ti Dave	96	25	25	24	Cancelled	0	0	0	22	96
Barney	43	0	0	0	Cancelled	0	0	23	20	43
Ann W	66	0	23	23	Cancelled	0	0	0	20	66
Alan	20	0	0	0	Cancelled	0	0	0	20	20
Paul Adey	24	24	0	0	Cancelled	0	0	0	0	24
Leigh	62	21	20	21	Cancelled	0	0	0	0	62
Andy Jarvis	44	0	0	22	Cancelled	0	0	22	0	44
John Jarvis	25	0	0	0	Cancelled	0	0	25	0	25
Martyn	53	0	0	0	Cancelled	0	30	0	23	53
Super D	20	0	0	0	Cancelled	0	0	0	20	20
Laura	20	0	0	0	Cancelled	0	0	0	20	20
Stunt Dave	23	0	23	0	Cancelled	0	0	0	0	23
Kev Lynch	20	0	0	20	Cancelled	0	0	0	0	20

Captains report October 06

Captain has not really done a lot in the last month, but this is the AGM so it is better to focus on his performance prior to July 9th

The Dancey trophy is now complete for another year

David	Lesser	81
Toby	Wooldridge	61
Martyn	Williams	59
Theo	Brookes	49
Dave	Brown	48
Richard	Clements	45
Alastair	Goldie	43
Ann	Wooldridge	37
Pete	Lloyd	35
Chris	Vasey	34
Graham	Cole	32

The youth attendance is :

Nathan	Wildsmith	11
Claire	Taylor	9
Grant	Preece	5
Rupert	Denny	1

Apologies to any listed there that are more senior than youths but I don't have ages recorded anywhere

Bruce's Bonus finished :

Alastair	Goldie	3
Theo	Brookes	2
John	Flint	2
John	Barnes	1
Dave	Brown	1
Richard	Clements	1
Darren	Jewell	1
Gordon	Kay	1
David	Lesser	1
Nigel	Light	1
Neville	Lockwood	1
Richard	Pender	1
Leigh	Wilkins	1

I enjoyed being Captain for as long as it lasted, had excellent support from my Vice Captain. Learnt how important it is to organise coffee stops (previously I thought they just happened).

It is with regret that I don't feel I'm in a position to carry on as Captain next year but I'm not sure what commitment I can make to club runs for the start of the season so I will stand down at this AGM

GLOUCESTER CITY CYCLING CLUB

REPORT OF PRESS SECRETARY – GERRY MCGARR SEASON 2006

Well Ladies and Gentlemen,

First of all my apologies for being unable to attend the AGM this evening but one of the chores if that is the correct word when you are a Grandparent is babysitting!

I thank Richard for reading this for me.

What a season 2006 has been for the Club – in my opinion it has been one of the most successful since the days when we had imported star riders join us in the 1990's.

The Citizen has been fair and I believe give us a good deal – get the report in early and in my experience it is always printed – albeit often abbreviated. That is a problem a press secretary has to accept.

I took on the job – because I strongly believe it is an important part in encouraging riders, crucial publicity for the sport as well as the Club. I also believe that it is the least riders should expect for all the commitment and expense incurred in racing.

I have submitted 72 press releases for this season – I have for the information of the incoming secretary submitted the report for last weekends racing including the superb performance by George Unsworth.

My only complaint is that not enough members informed me of there performances – it is not good enough and you are fortunate that I obtained results off the internet – on many occasions I was tempted not to bother.

I will not be standing for the post next year.

If I may I would like to make my observations on this years performances – Yours truly I suppose didn't start off badly with a 3rd place and then a 2nd place in the Port Talbot 2 up 25 – crossing the line in 55.05 on March 6th when it had snowed I think is crazy – but it is all about choosing the right partner in two-ups!

On to the real stars of the season:

Andy Palmer was the first to shine with 9th place a 24.10 in Dursley 10 in March he later followed this up with a 57PB **Chris Vasey** followed with quality rides including a superb 58 for 6th place down in Wales when the fast course could not be used – to put the ride into perspective he beat riders who recorded 52's a week later.

John Flint recorded a PB 58.41 before his accident in a road race and would have defiantly knocked a couple of minutes off that time later in the season.

GEORGE UNSWORTH has really turned a corner organizer of the Steve Taylor and then the winner – only the second rider in Club history to break 4 hours for a 100 – fantastic ride – I saw him when he finished - he had given 110% - at the other extreme 20 minute 10 – PB's at 10, 25, 50, 100 & 12

And what about the three Cities attempt? John Barnes very sportingly stated he would have got the record if the weather had been better.

Darren Jewell – what an inspiration he must be to every member – struggling in the winter and then in the Welsh 12 nearly beating George recording 239 miles in his first 12 – being a member of the first Gloucester City team to finish the BBAR – The Club is at present in 9th position with every member qualifying for a BBAR certificate. PB's at 10 (21.34) 25(58.09) 50 (2.04) 100 (4.16) 12 (239) Fantastic – on top of that he is giving a lot of help to **Rupert Denny** are future star. A competitor in the GHS 10 where he got 3rd place in his age category.

Toby Wooldridge we know he has stamina but speed? Ladies and Gentlemen 22 02 for a 10 is fast I personally think that was one of the rides of the season (not just because he beat me!), he followed that up the following day with his second fastest 25 - 59.55 (and that was not on Glyneath!) he is another who has gone from strength to strength and his 100 of 4.23 was a PB

GUY PREECE – is now one of the best riders in the club – **FACT**, in open events is usually always in the first 10 – one of the few riders to have broken the hour for the club course – course record holder for 10 course until George improved it .PB'd constantly throughout season is now a 21 minute man and I believe 57 minutes for 25 which I would imagine will be greatly reduced next season. **DAN KNIGHT** winner.

Derek Dowdeswell well done on a 21 ten - **Chris Colquhoun** on her debut 12 209 miles – **John Murphy** riding all BBAR distances and recording a PB 25 58 the night before his 100.

Finally **Eddie BAUD** he has recorded at 62 yrs of age a PB 10 22.55, recorded the 2nd fastest 50 with 1.57.16 and then 2 weeks ago beat George and yours truly to record a fantastic 54.26 to record the fastest time by a member this season – brilliant – well done to all and everybody who has raced this season.

GERRY

Steve Taylor Road Race

Took place 30th April this year. 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ laps of Pendock circuit finishing up Hollybush.

27 Riders (8 of the Glos City CC)

1st George Unsworth

2nd Grant Bayton

3rd Andy Jarvis

Many thanks to all of the Marshals, Drivers, Tea Ladies, Ali G for collecting Money & sign on sheets. Peter Lloyd & Nigel Light for clerk of the course.

All helpers were put into a raffle for 5 x £10 gift vouchers for Striking Bikes.

Sue Flint

Sally Bartlett

Pete Humble

Eileen Shipman

Ann Wooldridge

After Raffle Prize the event made about £5

Also like to thank - John Barnes for Organising it on the day!

Ian Humble for general advice in the planning of the STRR!

I won't be able to organise this race next year. As I am too busy with Racing Secretary Job.

Racing Secretary

Thanks to all of the people who have raced this season helped out Organising and Timekeeping of the evening Club 10's and 25's.

Dan Knight Competiton

Guy Preece 47pts

Darren Jewell 45pts

Ian Humble 29pts

Cebar Champion

Vets

Guy Preece 100pts

Toby Wollldridge 75pts

Derek Dowdswell 50pts

Senior

George Unsworth 127pts

Scott Preece 81pts

Ian Humble 54pts

Paul Barnard Cup

George Unsworth 123pts

Guy Preece 95pts

Scott Preece 61pts

Winner of the Dan Knight Cup Guy Preece 47pts
Winner of the Paul Barnard Cup George Unsworth 123pts
Winner of the Ed Unsworth Hill Climb Trophy. George Unsworth 7.28
Winner of the Ewart Smith Trophy Club 25 Course George Unsworth 58.07
Winner of the Three Cities George Unsworth 3.23.55
Winner of the Three Cities Tourist Shield is Peter Lloyd 4.36.37
Club 10 & 25 Championship Women Liz Clegg 28.28 & 1.15.17
Club 10 & 25 Championship Senior George Unsworth 23.15 & 59.28.
Club 10 & 25 Championship Vets (not on Standard) Guy Preece 23.30 Toby
Wooldridge 104.47
Club 10 & 25 Championship Vet (On Standard) John Murphy 26.55 & 1.09.59

Fastest 10 George Unsworth 20.36
Fastest 25 Eddie Baud 54.26
Fastest 50 George Unsworth 1.54.10
Fastest 100 George Unsworth 3.55.23
Fastest 12hour George Unsworth 242.8miles