

Cotswold Radio Control Society

Minutes 25 January 2017

Derwent House, Walkley Hill, Stroud GL5 3TX

Meeting opened 20.08 hrs

Present: Jon Parker; Terry Clarke;; Chris Edgar; Gordon Bishop; Ian Halliday

Apologies: Sid King

The previous minutes were read by the Secretary, Chris Edgar, and were agreed by all present.

1. Matters arising -None

2. Raising the standards of flying and safety

Chairman has reconsidered the need for members to be re-tested. Instead he suggested that, in the event of an individual's flying standards falling below those described in the society's "Club Rules and Site Information" booklet, a member from the committee should explain how his or her skills might be improved. This amendment was agreed by those present and the copy of the current Club Rules will be emailed to all members.

Action: CCE to circulate

3. Nomination of delegates to BMFA Instructors Conference at Royal Wootton Bassett

No representatives will attend.

4. The cabin - what next?

JP has provided a generator, with fuel donated by **GB**, and hot drinks were on hand during the recent night-time flying.
(More paper mugs are required.)

GB has provided a brush and mop - Committee noted with thanks.

A number of redundant kitchen units have been sourced, at no expense to the club, and **TC** is bidding for worktops as and when these become available.

5. The Cabin protocols regarding use and access -

TC reminds members that to maintain the cabin's security there are access instructions on the club's website. After signing in, go to *News*.

A note is being prepared regarding the care of the facility but essentially it is a courteous "Leave it as you found it" or better still "Leave it better than you found it."

Action: All

6. Review of proposals for club nights and events.

A simulator evening is planned for the March club meeting.

Action: All

A compilation of committee's favourite model aircraft clips from all sources (but mainly You Tube) will be shown during the last winter meeting in April. **BM** to undertake the compilation process.

Action: All

9. Location and time of next meeting - Ian's house on 23 February 2017 at 20.00 hrs.

10. AOB - **TC** reported that he is setting up a business banking account with Lloyds Bank on behalf of the club. This will allow, for example, members to pay their subscriptions online.

Meeting closed 2145 hrs

Signed.....Chairman

APPENDIX