

MINUTES AMBASSADOR HOTEL 11th March, 1990.

In attendance Derek, Richard, Chris, Donal, Gerry, Robbie.

1. Apologies; Noel, Lil, Eimer, Geoff.
 2. Minutes of last meeting:
(a) Cork Promotional Video should read £100 without Precedent not prejudice.
 3. Matters arising Hocken Richard has been in touch with Hocken. Bars are out of stock but they are to enquire and let him know if any more will be produced. Meanwhile he will try to obtain suitable magnets through B. Rankin.
Barry Galvin Junior has agreed to be Chris McBrinn's regional coach for the Southern Region.
 4. Correspondence: Deirdre McGlynn has written regarding
 1. Flood damage at O'Briens Bridge.
 2. her coaching qualification.
- (1) The committee agreed the Federation was unfortunately not in a position to help financially because there may be a precedent set and several other clubs have been damaged this winter to some extent. However Robin will inform Cospoir of the situation who may be in a position to help clubs.
- (2) The committee agreed the qualifications held by Deirdre would be regarded as outdated and that she should attend the forthcoming course. (Lil to write) It is also recommended that any coaching qualification granted should be valid for a max of 5 years.

Barefoot venues Group II Barefoot (through Charles Ramsey) would like Ireland to consider hosting a European competition. Info to be passed to Noel Young.

Weils Disease: Derek read a letter from a mid Ulster member re Weils disease which is relevant to anyone using fresh water. It was suggested that this be copied and sent to club secretaries.

Sparks. Derek to send details of this Northern Ireland charity to Northern Ireland Secretaries.

5. Matters for A.O.B. - Afloat.
6. Reports:
 1. Treasurer not in attendance.
 2. Northern Ireland grants forms are in the process of being completed and sent to SCNI and Derek will be sending a letter to ~~Northern Ireland~~ and ~~Derek will be sending a letter to~~ Northern Ireland Club Secretaries introducing himself and explaining his functions.
 3. R.I. Robin has completed the lengthy Cospoir forms. He suggested that we should at a later stage draw out a development plan which help to make more funds available from Cospoir. The France/Irish exchange date had passed but it will be applied for 1991.
 4. Barefoot Noel was given the go-ahead to arrange his course with F. Kirsch.
 5. P.R. Gerry is looking into costs.
7. Formation of a Limited Co. Richard will contact B. Galvin directly to try to put the wheels in motion.
8. Insurance/licencing: Gerry wanted it clarified that Lil was now looking after licencing Lil has also managed to have officials on towers covered and should still be able to provide the combined insurance/licence package for £15.00.

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9. Coaching weekend set for 31st March 1st ~~June~~ Bloomfield House, Mullingar £53 2 nights B & B + 1 evening meal. Richard Lil and Chris to liaise re format. All members of the committee to encourage members of their clubs to attend.
10. Budget with so few in attendance this must be shelved to the next meeting However Robin thinks Cospoir may pay 70% of grant in advance.
11. A.O.B. afloat. Agreed Richard to write to afloat re: matters in last months issue.
12. Next meeting 8th April same venue.