



Patron: Sir Chris Hoy MBE

NOTES of ESCA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING 30TH MARCH 2009

PRESENT

K Whitson, B Annable, A&D Urquhart, G Fleming, A Mackintosh, A Matheson

Apologies: D Menzies, A Watson.

Correction to February Minutes:

Matters Arising – Peebles MTB Race details sent to **SC** not police.

Track Inspection BA only.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved with these corrections by G Fleming and D Urquhart.

MATTERS ARISING

First Aid: 10 participants passed the course held on 29th March – D Urquhart, A Watson, A Mackintosh, C Joiner, D Sherwood, M Stobbart, G George, B Davies, J Davies, V McCulloch-Young. ESCA covered the initial cost of this as part of a broader coaching plan. For those willing to commit to covering 3 events in the first year, there would be no charge. Others would be asked to pay the course fee of £26.

Trophies: Youth RR trophy accounted for and engraved.

Track: Replies now in from officials for track meetings and DM to check over.

MTB & RR Secretaries: Positions still vacant.

CB's: 5 new sets used in recent event and working well.

ESCA Rollers: still ongoing (AW)

GENERAL SECRETARY

Grant Aid decision should be made by Council end of March. BA to be notified regarding grant towards track promotions - should know by next meeting.

Track inspection carried out and maintenance work in progress. The Alan Nesbit memorial bench has been removed for refurbishment.

Track League: Letter sent with new season ticket charges- Senior: £23 Junior: £21 Youth: £11 – includes 2 GP's, SC Champs & ESCA Champs. Sponsorship money will allow fees per night to be the same as 2008 (Sen £7.50 Junior £7 Youth £5) and riders signed on for track league will have the first Tuesday of May, June, July & August free.

Dernys: in garage for servicing (DU)

Events:

Andy Matheson provided expert insight into role of local authorities in events such as cycle racing on the highway following matters arising from the recent MRCC 3up TTT. It may be advisable for race organisers to enquire from the local authority Highways Officer whether there was any likely hood of road works occurring on the course on the day of an event. This was not felt to be mandatory as the police were responsible for co-ordinating events with local bodies.

After discussion it was decided to issue the following note (attached with minutes) to be forwarded by ESCA Club Secretaries to their race organisers :

Part of the approval procedure for races on the road, agreed with the Lothian & Borders Police HQ, has been recently missed by many Race Organisers.

The Executive Committee has decided that Clubs and Race Organisers must ensure that they follow this procedure.

The overall ESCA Programme is approved by the Chief Constable each year. This is dealt with by ESCA Secretary.

Race Organisers must send a start sheet and course route before the race to the "Duty Inspector" at the local Police Station nearest to the Race HQ. (see list below)

This should say that the event has been approved by the Chief Constable

TREASURER – report sent by email.

ROAD RACE SECRETARY No secretary at present.

TIME TRIAL SECRETARY Musselburgh Roads CC progressing with new 10 mile TT course.

RECORDS SECRETARY Nothing to report.

CHAMPIONSHIP SECRETARY Nothing to report.

MTB SECRETARY No secretary at present.

TRACK SECRETARY Not present. Track now open for training. Bike issue 4th April.

SAFETY CO-ORDINATOR BA to help with updating files.

AOCB No response to email sent with minutes last month to Berwick Whs regarding affiliation.

NEXT MEETING

Monday 27th April at 7.30pm in the Edinburgh Racer's Portocabin.

How to contact Lothian and Borders Police

Force Headquarters

Lothian and Borders Police Force Headquarters
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EDINBURGH
EH4 1RB.

Tel. No. 0131 311-3131 Fax. No. 0131 440 6889

East & Midlothian - 'E' Division

Dalkeith Police Station
Divisional Headquarters Newbattle Road DALKEITH EH22 3AX. Tel. No. 0131 663-2855

Haddington Police Station
39-41 Court Street HADDINGTON EH41 3AE. Tel. No. 01620 824101

Bonnyrigg Police Station
121 Dobbies Road BONNYRIGG EH19 2AU. Tel. No. 0131 663-9221

Dunbar Police Station
Belhaven Road DUNBAR EH42 1DA. Tel. No. 01368 862718

Gorebridge Police Station
35 Hunterfield Road GOREBRIDGE EH23 4TP. Tel. No. 01875 820374

Loanhead Police Station
18 Church Street LOANHEAD EH20 9AB. Tel. No. 0131 440-0506

Musselburgh Police Station
174 High Street MUSSELBURGH EH21 7DZ. Tel. No. 0131 665-9696

North Berwick Police Station
50 High Street NORTH BERWICK EH39 4HQ. Tel. No. 01620 893585

Newbattle Police Station
15-17 Morris Road NEWTONGRANGE EH22 4ST. Tel. No. 0131 663-2311

Penicuik Police Station
25-27 Bog Road PENICUIK EH26 9BY. Tel. No. 01968 675191

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3 New Street PRESTONPANS EH32 9JN. Tel. No. 01875 810250

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113 High Street TRANENT EH33 1LW. Tel. No. 01875 610333

West Lothian - 'F' Division

Livingston Police Station
Divisional Headquarters Almondvale South LIVINGSTON EH54 6PX. Tel. No. 01506 431200

Bathgate Police Station
18 South Bridge Street BATHGATE EH48 1TW. Tel. No. 01506 652323

Armadale Police Station
71 West Main Street ARMADALE EH48 3PZ. Tel. No. 01501 730219

Blackburn Police Station
58 East Main Street BLACKBURN EH47 7QS. Tel. No. 01506 652865

Broxburn Police Station
205a West Main Street BROXBURN EH52 5LJ. Tel. No. 01506 852121

Fauldhouse Police Station
2a Eldrick Avenue FAULDHOUSE EH47 9BB. Tel. No. 01501 770222

Linlithgow Police Station
4 High Street LINLITHGOW EH49 7EQ. Tel. No. 01506 843235

Mid Calder Police Station
27 Market Street MID CALDER EH53 0AL. Tel. No. 01506 881101

West Calder Police Station
9 Polbeth Terrace WEST CALDER EH55 8BH. Tel. No. 01506 871218

Whitburn Police Station
66 West Main Street WHITBURN EH47 0QU. Tel. No. 01501 740222

The Scottish Borders - 'G' Division

Scottish Borders Area CrimeDesk - 01450 364444

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3-4 Bridge Street GALASHIELS TD1 1SP. Tel. No. 01896 752222

Coldstream Police Station
Lennel Road COLDSTREAM TD12 4AX. Tel. No. 01890 882402

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10 Newtown Street DUNS TD11 3DT. Tel. No. 01361 882222

Eyemouth Police Station
28 Coldingham Road EYEMOUTH TD14 5AW. Tel. No. 01890 750217

Innerleithen Police Station
Peebles Road INNERLEITHEN EH44 6QY. Tel. No. 01896 830217

Jedburgh Police Station
Castlegate JEDBURGH TD8 6AR. Tel. No. 01835 862264

Kelso Police Station
Coal Market KELSO TD5 7AH. Tel. No. 01573 223434

Lauder Police Station
East High Street LAUDER TD2 6RP. Tel. No. 01578 722222

Melrose Police Station
High Street MELROSE TD6 9RY. Tel. No. 01896 822602

Newcastleton Police Station
North Hermitage Street NEWCASTLETON TD9 0RZ. Tel. No. 01387 375222

Peebles Police Station (NB There has been indications that this station may close. Replacement ?)
Rosetta Road PEEBLES EH45 8HH. Tel. No. 01721 720637

Selkirk Police Station
Scotts Place SELKIRK TD7 4DR. Tel. No. 01750 721701

West Linton Police Station
Bogsbank Road WEST LINTON EH46 7EN. Tel. No. 01968 660216

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