

Saltaire Striders Committee Meeting

05/05/2026 7pm Reconnection



1. Present & Apologies for Absence

- Apologies received from Tim G, Sue, Lisa, and Mel

2. Minutes of last meeting

- Action points sorted

3. Financial update

- Tim M presented the report sent in advance
- Tim M refund received for 3 run leaders
- £90 cashback from PECO
- BMWR payments have started coming in
- Down £1,186 last financial year – due to new run leaders and less successful BMWR
- TM send accounts to Ian to review
- MI to bid for EA development fund for run leaders using couch to 5k
- Next years budget predicts an £800 loss depending on renewals and BMWR
- Budget approved

4. Training

- Recent advertising has seen several people attending group runs
- Advertise every 3 or 4 months
- The 3 coaches will complete the course a week on Sunday
- Rich and Mary Gibbons to enrol on the RL course
- No enquiries for the RL co-ordinator position. MI okat for now but this may change in Sept
- Couch to 5k starts on the 18th May. Julia and Janet Bower to help MI with this. Graduation at Roberts Park Parkrun

5. Membership

- 122 so far

- JC to send email to members that haven't renewed.
- BMW runners need to be checked. Sue and Russ send JC list
- Re-label membership to Membership and EA Membership instead of social membership.

6. Club Main events

- 33 teams entered so far with a few regulars still to enter
- Mementos sorted by sponsor Sue sorted
- Mel got a sponsor for the numbers
- Food is an issue. The voucher isn't worth doing but TM to check if we advertised the food voucher before we decide not to bother with it.
- 4 SS club teams entered

7. Captains update

- Saltaire Striders to provide awards for the PR competition. RM to find out how much and cost. Last year it was mugs.

8. Social

- Awards night is 26 June at Northcliffe golf club
- Agreed that we should do the same list of awards as 2025
- RM stated the Stu Dunbar had ordered these awards. **Fortunately, I double checked and the awards he ordered were for the BMW. I'll get a list of the awards and order them.**
- Ewan has started the voting

9. Welfare

- Nothing has been raised
- Megan getting married – JP to sort card.

10. Club Governance

- AGM proposed for 13th July at Caroline street club – EG checking venue
- MI to be voted in
- TM not able to run again. Not sure which TM 😊

- No constitutional changes needed
- EG to propose mission statement at AGM
- TM to review increasing membership cost

11. Communications

- DB could do with some input into newsletter
- No minutes have been added onto the website for quite a while

12. Club kit/clothing

- Miscoloured tees and womens vests have been sorted

13. AOB

- Bramley Parkrun in the club champs will be on the 22nd AUG. DB announce in newsletter

14. Date of next meeting

- Next meeting **21st July 7pm at Reconnection**