

# DURHAM NETWORK

Durham Scout Network Committee Meeting  
30<sup>th</sup> May 2006 7:30pm Moor House  
**Minutes**

1. Attendance – Mike Moran, Phil Harnby, Jane Winter, Ian Hammond, Rosie Shepherd, Paul Middlemas, Richard Lawson (Guest).

Apologies – Vicky 'George' Chetwood.

2. Action points from previous meeting

- a. **AP/Jan06/04** – Mike to remind everyone to pay their membership and arrange for CRB checks to be completed by all members. Update: Mike to ask Network members to complete a new CRB using their District Secretary and Graeme Popay.

Mike advised that this is ongoing and Graeme needs to arrange the CRB checks. **Ongoing**

3 more members have joined since the last meeting.

- b. **AP/Feb06/02** – Mike to ask Hillary Phillips to appoint the nominated Network Leaders. **Ongoing**
- c. **AP/April06/06** – Ian to speak to Graeme about the clothing in the shop.

Ian hasn't made any progress in this area. **Ongoing**.

3. Review of recent events

- a. Moor House Service Weekend

Ian and Darren attended. The work on the pond was continued along with the digging out the campfire circle and groundwork's in the old camping triangle.

- b. Network Service Weekend

This was cancelled.

- c. Network Night Out

This was cancelled.

4. Forthcoming Events

- a. Hexham Races – 3<sup>rd</sup> June

Lizzie, Stuart and Mike are definitely going. Details were sent out in the last Network update. The first race starts at 2:20pm and entry costs £6.

- b. Network Conference – 10<sup>th</sup> June

**AP/April06/02** – Ian to advise Moor House of the arrangements.

Ian has advised Moor House about the evening. Moor House is concerned about the consumption of alcohol because of the other campers on site. Mike agreed that he would put safeguards in place to ensure that it wasn't a problem. **Closed**

**AP/May06/01** – Ian to send out reminder about the conference and information about standing for network positions. **New**

c. EuroTrek 2006

**AP/April06/03** – Mike to pass the required information to Darren.

Darren hasn't collected the information so Mike will contact him again. **Ongoing.**

d. Tall Ships

**AP/Oct05/04** – Paul to establish potential interest for this event.

Mike has been advertising this event a lot and Paul & Mike now have a list of people who have committed to going. There are still a few spare places but the event is viable with the current number. **Closed.**

5. Treasurers Business

Mike will pass Phil the accounts in the next couple of days. Early indications show that the total income for the year is £4557 and expenditure is £4584, resulting in a loss of £27. More details will be available at the Network Conference.

6. Local Networks

**AP/Feb06/05** – Ian to establish a friend's mailing list.

Ian is awaiting the email addresses of those who need adding to the list from Mike. **Ongoing.**

**AP/Feb06/07** – Phil to write a guide to setting up a local Network. Update: Phil to find out what happened to the one drafted at Insight a few years ago.

Phil has emailed Ed (Programme and Development Advisor for Network) to find out what happened to the version written at Insight. **Ongoing.**

7. AOB

- a. Paul suggested that we organise a White Water Rafting session at Tees Barrage on a Saturday during the summer.

**AP/May06/02** – Paul to find out prices and availability. **New**

- b. Mike suggested that we could canoe at 5<sup>th</sup> Tyne Sea Scouts HQ on the river Derwent near Ebchester.
- c. Adrian Wray (Chair of the National Network Review) has announced a new badge which can be worn by Network members where the fellowship badge is worn. There are strict rules about who can and cannot wear one but more details will be available in due course.
- d. Phil and Paul are going on the Lyke Wake Walk planned for the beginning of July.

**AP/May06/03** – Phil to send out an email to members about the Lyke Wake Walk. **New**

- e. Ian asked if Darren and George were writing their annual report for the Network Conference again.

**AP/May06/04** – Ian to remind Darren and George about writing the Annual Network report. **New**

- 8. Date of next meeting for the new committee – 27<sup>th</sup> June 2006, 7:30pm, Moor House