

EXETER GYMNASTICS CLUB

Registered Charity no:294294

Minutes of Annual General Meeting held on 10th November 2010 at 7.00pm.

PRESENT: M Euridge, M Fry, Y Budd, R Franks, S Finch, C Solaire, J Reid, H Knapman, L Thompson, M Board, S Donovan and T Johns.

APOLOGIES: T Bodgin and B Spragg

The minutes of the AGM held in November 2009 were agreed to be a true record of the meeting.

MATTERS ARISING:

None

TREASURERS REPORT:

See attached.

It was agreed that the annual membership fee, due to the current economic climate, remain at £4 per gymnast for this coming financial year.

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT:

Welcome everyone.

This will be my last report as Chairman of the committee. I would like to thank all my fellow Trustees and Mike Euridge for their continued support over the years . I have been Chair of Exeter Gymnastics Club for many years now and must stand down for personal reasons. However, I am willing to remain on the committee and support my replacement if the membership so wish.

Other reports this evening will cover the events of the year so I would like to take this opportunity to send out a request to all members via those of you who have so generously given your time to come this evening. This comes in two parts, firstly:

any successful committee needs to have new members with new enthusiasm and support, so please consider joining us. We meet 3 times a year plus the AGM for approximately 1 hour and our role is to manage the Charity.

and secondly:

the Friends of Exeter Gymnastics Club also need more members to support their hard work from which your children benefit directly. The proceeds from their efforts provide the gymnasts with new equipment etc. This small group of people work very hard in running events such as the May Fair and the Fashion Show as well as running the shop to provide refreshments at competitions. As a member of the Friends you are not a Trustee of EGC so have no legal responsibilities, so I would urge you to help and in doing so support all the children attending the Club. The more Friends the Club has the less time you need to give! for example a rota to run the shop could be implemented. Any other ideas?

Before I end I would just like to end on a personal thank you to the Friends for all their hard work, it does not go unnoticed by the Trustees who all greatly appreciate what you undertake to organise during the year. As a committee we have no expectations and are grateful for your help in raising the money to provide equipment etc for the gymnasts, we are always amazed at what you manage to achieve. You will always have the support of the committee and on behalf of us all THANK-YOU.

Meriel Fry.

COACHING DIRECTOR'S REPORT:

See attached

The current Trustees stepped down and were thanked for their commitment.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS:

The only nomination received was for the for Chairman, all Trustees agreed to stay on the committee for another year. The membership unanimously elected the following:

Chairman – Tony Bodgin

Treasurer – Yvonne Budd

Other Trustees: -

Richard Franks

Jayne Reid

Tim Johns

Meriel Fry

A.O.B:

None

The next committee meeting was arranged for 1st February 2011 at 7.30pm