

IMC Agenda Minutes - Committee Meeting 7.30pm 11th June 2025

Members Attending	Guests
Pierse Bishop	
Dónal Ó Murchú	
Jill French	
Alan Brooks	
Colm Duffy	
Amy Hollands	
Jean Carlo	
Tony Barry	
Ronan Garvey	
Dave Homan	
Sorcha O'Connor	

Apologies

Ray Chambers, Oliver Wynne, , Elaine McMahon, Kevin Killick

Meeting location: Google Meets

Agenda

1. Minutes of March 26th meeting AB 2 Minutes
 - a. Proposed: Dónal Ó Murchú
 - b. Seconded: Ronan Garvey
2. The formal acknowledgement of financial bequests to the club in accounts as raised by Donal. Tony Barry will suggest a format of for recording such bequests in writing.
3. Pierse Bishop informed the committee that he was contacted by a former member David Kenny who wished to donate some climbing gear to the club. The gear has since been distributed by Pierse to members.
4. Donal as chair was contacted by the Sligo Climbing Club seeking information on risk assessment. Donal engaged with Michael Duffy of MI who will follow up with their enquiry.
5. Update by Colm Duffy on IT developments
 - Hut booking system uodate, the configuration of the booking system on stripe is in progress with an outstanding piece to be completed, currently on staging site.

- Dave has a copy of the PDF document outlining client usage of the hut and this will be shared with Colm and Donal for review and publication when on the booking site.
6. Ronan Garvey raised the topic on the club reserves with a suggestion to utilise the reserves in investment funds such as that provided by PTSB. Following a discussion on the topic it was agreed to use such monies on hut development and other club needs.
 7. Hut Developments: Alan is working with Philip O'Connell and Ray on the hut roof repairs and other maintenance work. Alan will prepare a presentation for the AGM in November 8th to inform members of the steps to completing the work and approval of funding.
 8. BBQ date agreed at August 23rd, Tickets will be sold online which provides an accurate figure on attendance and revenue. The price is €15.
 9. The proposal by Donal of accepting Michel Mehle to work with Elaine on our social media platforms was agreed by the committee. Donal will follow up with both Elaine and Michel.
 10. Donal announced that the poles for the club tipi tent have arrived. Donal will speak to Jill offline to agree a location for storage of the items and loan arrangements.
 11. Dave updated the committee on the MI leader programme training. MI have provided 21 places which will provide training over 3 days. Ken Doyle will provide navigation training to aspirant members and those wanting to refresh their navigation skills. Dates are 6th 7th and 13th December.

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- Womens events: Jill and Sorcha are in discussion on a climbing yoga instruction event. The cost is €150 and it was agreed the club would fund this.
- Colm: REC 3 first aid course, This course will run 13/14th September, demand is high and another date could be arranged. Colm requested that the payment method be by Stripe as there is a lag with bank transfers which creates problems. The agreement is to go with Stripe.

Next Committee Meeting, end of July, exact date to be communicated.