

15/05/2009

Attending: BB, SM, JB, MC, AP, PJ, JH, HC, EB, AP

Not Attending: IGT, JA

Sponsorship –

Bar's:

Pete and Emma went to see Pit Bar on Wednesday.

- It has got a maximum capacity of 85 people plus the outside area. Bigger inside than Blush.
- The guy seems pretty keen. He wants to do exclusive nights just open to our club.
- They will do the discount cards and cheap drink deals (£1.50 a pint) The owner has a yard ale glass!
- He owns a hotel in Newquay, we could get discounted rates. Possible Newquay trip.
- He will put money towards things, print flyers for Freshers etc.
- The only issue may be the first few socials if there were loads of people there. Possible idea of an outside bar in the outside area of the Pit.
- He seems really keen and could be a potential really good venue.

Emma went to mousetrap and gave him some more information. Waiting to hear back from him. Need to hear back from mousetrap before we go ahead with the Pit bar.

It may be better to have a smaller Bar to sponsor us.

Possibly get the bar to pay for the committee T-shirts.

Possibly Monday night for the socials. A free bus runs to Oceana from just outside Pit Bar.

Yacht Parts:

The are willing to print all the flyers for Freshers, we need to send them a design by the end of the term. Then they will send back what they think and can have them all printed for 1<sup>st</sup> September.

Henri Lloyd jackets - 15% discounts of the jackets, room for haggling!

Yacht parts just want their advertisement on the stand at Freshers.

Izzy e-mailed Henri Lloyd and they can do a £42 jacket each, £16.50 for the polo's.

Boats:

Adam went and took pictures of all the damages on the boats but didn't take any pictures of the sails.

Adam has made a list of what's missing:

Lots of basic running things as well as some major problems.

Adam will make a big list of what needs doing and we can pass it on to Mount Battern.

New bailers about £25 each.

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One boat has a cover missing.

Several trailers are broken.

Mount Battern has to do the maintenance so we need to inform them and they could pay for it. If the club put in a list of what is needed Mount Battern will most probably pay for it.

#### Website:

Everyone needs to do their blog by the end of the weekend and send it to Henry. Everyone also needs to send a photo.

linkstar.co.uk is a company that does advertising and have said if we had a small advert on the general sailing page they would pay £40. We should go ahead with it as long as there are no pop-ups etc. More information is needed.

Google Adverts depends on the people paying for their advert.

#### Fleet Racing Event:

12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> December

Mark has organised a meeting: Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May - 3.30pm with Mount Battern as a preliminary meeting to go through details.

How many people will attend the event? 150 boat cap

Accommodation?

How many safety boat drivers have we got? 1-12 people.

Hiring RIBS etc

What do we want to call the event?

Ideas... Devon Destroyer – In devon, Naval port!

#### Roadford:

Fleet racing trials at Roadford. Didn't work very well last year and so maybe not.

We need to discuss this trip with Rupert when he is here.

Minibuses – We need to get people who can take the minibus test ready for trips like Roadford.

Pete will find out about driving the MPV's and minibuses.

#### Next Meeting:

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May – 4.00pm – Library 009

