

NORTH YORKSHIRE L D W A _ Committee Meeting

Minutes 24.08.26

The Meeting began at 1935

In attendance: Robert Cope, Christine Stopford, Steve Hall, Roger Wandless,
Lynn Hathaway, Dave Jacques, Sab Basheerkutty, Malcolm & Sue Reid, & Jill King

1. Welcome & Apologies: No apologies
2. Minutes of the previous minutes (24.04.26): accepted by Christine and seconded by Roger
3. Matters arising: None
4. Chair's update (Robert):
Digital platform - Point of contact will be Robert. He will receive all information initially. Robert has also volunteered to be available to assist with testing.
Bench update - We have been assured that the bench is now in situ above Gormire lake on the Cleveland Way, but no plaque yet. We did change the wording - see April 26 minutes - and it will be about 40% larger than previous.
Walk numbers: mentioned by Robert but notes are with Lynn's update.
5. Treasurer's update (Steve)
Reported that Dave has submitted his AGM expenses and attended a food Hygiene course. £500 had been distributed to the helpers of the Hunnypot 100. Income of £867.00 for KK entries so far. Lock up rent of £160.00 paid, half of which paid by the Irregulars. Balance - £2,366.34
6. Secretary's Update (Christine)
Christine is available to attend the Local Group's weekend - 13/15 November in Nottingham. No other matters at this point
7. Walks Secretary (Lynn)
At present we have one walk being advertised on the programme. Relying on link with other Group's walks. Robert has offered to put a walk in October from Settle. The KK Marshal's walk will be advertised on the Group website. Lynn will offer 2 walks in the next few months. The LDP officer, Paul Nellist is asking for help with the whole LDP section.
8. ICE Tags: Christine is the lead on this and reminded us of the deadline of August 31st to submit an order. Total so far is 5 walk leaders and 17 from group members. Once with Christine, distribution will be via Social walks and the KK.
9. Digital platform: Covered in the Chair's report
10. Food Hygiene training: Christine is going to do the course. Dave and Jan completed theirs recently. The cost of the course, £12.00 can be reclaimed from the group.

11. N Yorks & Face book: Sab has volunteered to help encourage the use of it. It has had very little use over the last 2 years and as it is a private group, has about 100 members.
12. Christmas Walk & Meal: Date - Sunday December 6th Venue - Fauconberg Arms, Coxwold at 1330. Robert to lead a walk and Christine to do the bookings requiring a £10.00 deposit initially. Provisional booking will be for 22. Confirmation of meal booked for the 6th received.
13. Kilburn Kanter: so far 177 entries. Awaiting Forestry England Part 2 application. Roger needs help on the Friday night in collecting kit from the Lock up. Dave volunteered. Will need 2 kit boxes to Hawnby and Boltby. Lynn will help Christine with the food. Caroline to do crumbles. There is access on the Friday night to part set up and sleep in the hall. The Foresters Pub is temporarily closed so not open for meal on the Friday night. May need extra marshal to stop people parking in the village square instead of under marshal's direction. Website posting informing that spaces are filling up fast. Marshal's walk has approx 13 in number with Roger & Caroline providing refreshments. As of 01.09 26, the KK is full.
14. Challenge events: Hunnypot 100 in 2026 a success. Jurassic 100 in 2027 with North Yorks at CP 13 Musbury Village hall 90.2 mile stage. Open from Sat 1930 to 0430 Monday. An indoor checkpoint providing hot/cold food & drinks. Village pub next door! Supporters permitted but parking limited. Start/Finish is at Axminster with entries open on 12th October 2026. The Group has registered an interest in manning a checkpoint on the Millstone 100 in 2028 with the High Peak Group. Other events where we are assisting - Wensleydale Wedge 22.Nov 2026 at Bainbridge & Thoraby , Roundhay 50 20/21 Feb 2027, AF2D 17/18 July 2027 (2 CP's).
15. AOB - none
16. Date of next meeting 26 November 2026 at 1930 via Zoom. Robert to arrange.

JK

