

# **BRITISH FEDERATION OF PEDAL CAR RACING**



## **Minutes for Committee Meeting: 28<sup>th</sup> October 2007**

### **Present:**

Matthew Tooke (MT); Darren Carter (DC); Gary Richard (GR); Chris Featherstone (CF); Jes Featherstone (JF); Antony Hawkins (ADH)

### **1: Appologies:**

Simon Gare; Rachael Carter; Rob Fulford; Mark Williams; Roland Jones; Robert Allen; Jonathon Scholey

### **2: Minutes of last meeting:**

Were read and agreed as a true record

### **3: Matters arising:**

It was noted that Rachael had agreed to bring cake...

### **4: Election of Officers for the 2008 committee:**

The following were elected unopposed:

Chairman:	Dave Relton
Vice Chairman:	Simon Gare
Secretary:	Jes Featherstone
Treasurer:	Antony Hawkins
Promotion Team:	Rob Fulford & Chris Featherstone
Scrutineer:	Gary Richard

### **5: Matters Arising from AGM discussions:**

All conclusions reached from the discussions at the AGM were ratified by the committee.  
Full details are in the AGM minutes.

CF: Is to compile a proposed rule book removing ambiguities and present to the committee at the next meeting having previously posted on the forum for comment:

*NOTE: Since the meeting, Robert Allan and Jonathon Scholey have volunteered to take this on.*

There was still more discussion on how to define a “newcomer” but no conclusions were reached.

The championship points for the Welsh 10-hour race are to be increased as indicated below.  
5 drivers will be allowed for PC2 teams in this event.

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Race organisers for 2008 are:

Round 1 (Shrewsbury):	Chris Featherstone
Round 2 (Margam Park):	Bill Gratrix / Jim Robinson
Round 3 (Shenington):	Jes Featherstone
Round 4 (Blackbushe):	Antony Hawkins
Round 5:	Jes Featherstone
Round 6:	Jes Featherstone
Round 7:	Jes Featherstone

Jes made the point that he was happy to organise these events as long as the “on the day” running of the race was taken over by either Simon or Mark (or preferably both). At Shenington this will mean the race is “handed over” to Simon and Mark at 10pm on the Friday night before any cars go out on track to practice.

DR: Pointed out that if there was any “official” practice the night before Shenington then the cars must be scrutineered at least to make sure they are safe and there must be 1<sup>st</sup> aid cover.

JF: Said that it was more to make sure the lap counting was up and running properly but the point was taken.

Items of note for team managers for the 2008 season were therefore listed as:

1 : PC2 teams will be permitted to run 5 drivers at the Welsh 10 hour race instead of the usual 4. All other age classes stay the same.

2: The points for the Welsh 10 hour will be as follows:

31-25-20-16-13-11-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1

3: Work is going on to clarify the rule book. This will then be issued to all team managers next February

4: Provisional results will be available on the website starting from 7 days after an event and ending 14 days after an event at which time they will be taken as accepted

5: Timed races will from now on end when the lead car crosses the line for the first time after the time limit has expired

6: Measures are being put in place to ensure that the rules are applied consistently across the whole season. These measures will be made clear after the February committee meeting.

### Date of Next Meeting:

Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 11am

22<sup>nd</sup> Rugby Scout Hut; The Kent; Rugby

All other points having been covered to the committee’s satisfaction during the AGM, the meeting closed at 3.40pm.