# WIGTOWNSHIRE SPORTS COUNCIL

Minutes of Executive Committee held in Glen of Luce Hall, Auchenmalg at 7.30 pm on Thursday 27th July 2023.

Jim welcomed everyone to the meeting and thanked them for their attendance.

## In Attendance

Jim Hayes, Chairman Helen McMiken Jamie Nelson Alex Whiteside Jane McDowall (Secretary & Treasurer) Alison Murray - D&G Council Leisure & Sport Councillor Richard Marsh - Dumfries & Galloway Council

#### 1. **Apologies**

John Galloway, Clare Burns, Dot Plant, Mark Taylor and Councillor Chrissie Hill.

### 2. Minutes of Previous Meeting (29th June 2023)

All agreed that the minutes were an accurate record of the business conducted and the adoption of the minutes was proposed by Jim Hayes and seconded by Alison Murray.

- 3. Matters Arising not covered on Agenda None.
- 4. **Affiliations** None.

#### 5. **Treasurer's Report**

The Income & Expenditure statement up to 27th July was circulated. The award of £8,000 from Dumfries & Galloway Council had now been received.

#### 6 **Sports Council Grant Applications**

The under-noted grant applications were considered and decision made as follows:

| WSC/016 | Millie Colvin         | Swimming competitions - insufficient information to make an award                  | More info required. |
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| WSC/017 | Galloway<br>Pony Club | Travel, entry and accommodation for Regional and National Pony Club Championships. | £1,000.00           |

#### 7. Promotion of WSC / Visit by Gary Grieve, NDM Scottish ClubSport

It was agreed to split this agenda item. The discussion on a potential visit by Gary Grieve, National Development Manager, Scottish ClubSport would be added to the agenda as a separate item for the August meeting only.

Discussion took place around promoting and raising awareness of Wigtownshire Sports Council. Helen suggested an article in the local papers highlighting applicants previously and currently supported. This idea was warmly welcomed. Alex will contact the Stranraer and Wigtownshire Free Press and Jamie will contact Dumfries & Galloway Life Magazine.

Alex Jamie

#### 8. **AOCB**

Alex advised that Galloway Hillbillies new marquee, which had been supported by funding from WSC, had been in a photo in a recent edition of the Free Press. Jane to contact Galloway Hillbillies to request permission to share the photo.

Jane

9. Date of Next Meeting - Thursday 31st August 2023 at 7.30 pm - in Glen of Luce Community Hall, Auchenmalg.

Jim thanked everyone for their attendance and input. The meeting closed at 8 pm.

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