

Minutes of the Felixstowe Sea Angling Committee Meeting
Held on Wednesday 4th April 2018

1. Present: - P. Riches, A Smith, G. Powter, R. Smith, G. Kirby R. Burrow, S. Baxter, M. Hudson, B. Hazell

2. Apologies: J. Banham

3. New Members: None

4. Minutes of the Previous Committee Meeting

Minutes of the previous meeting held on Wednesday 17th of January were read and accepted Proposed by G. Kirby 2nd S. Baxter

5. Items Arising

- Location and venue of the presentation night for 2018 was put to the vote. The Location choices being Felixstowe or Ipswich. The majority decision was for it to held in Ipswich and at Ipswich Sports Club as they were offering free room hire and a two-course menu for £15.00. A date of Saturday 10th November has been set. The hope was that as the majority of the membership lived in Ipswich we may get a better turn out. It was also discussed on whether to move the venue between Ipswich and Felixstowe on alternate years.
- Some repair work on the Club house to be carried out during the better weather. Working party to be arranged.

6. Correspondence: -

- K. Mulley has kindly donated his January numbers draw winnings to the club.
- Notices should now be in place at Landguard prohibiting fishing in the designated area between the 1st of April to the 15th July. No one we know has fished near the area to verify that the notices are in place.

7. Treasurer's Report: - SSE £47.21, AWA £19.79, Awaiting receipt from S. Boyt for presentation night balance for food/venue. Gordon to write to Steve.

8. Competition Secretary's Report: -

J. Banham not available but information has been posted on Facebook.

9. Festivals and Opens: -

Nothing planned.

10. Compound Steward's Report: - G. Kirby Has kept the Compound neat and tidy.

11. Junior Comments:- None

12. Numbers Draw: Feb (No 12) T. Boyt, March (No 51) S. Boyt, April (No44) B. Hazell, Brian has kindly donated his winnings back to the Club.

13. Any Other Business: -

- A smith has installed a replacement oven in the Kitchen. G. Kirby has disposed of the old one.
- R. Burrow brought up the subject of Marine Damage after the storm. Catches have been very poor on boats both private and charter. Loads of herring have been seen. Sea water has been very cloudy, there was a discussion about the boat anglers taking water samples. P. Riches to find out where they could be sent.

Meeting closed at 8:45 pm.

Meeting Dates for 2018: - Jan 17th, April 4th, July 4th, August 1st, September 3rd, October 3rd and November 7th.

Date of Next Meeting: Wednesday July 4th