

Minutes of the CLOK AGM 17th October 2025 at Wilton Golf Club 7:00pm

Apologies for absence

Were received from

Neil and Claire Hunter, Dave Aspin, Simon Brooke

25 members present

The 2024 AGM Minutes were reviewed

No Matters arising, the minutes were approved as a true record of the meeting

Proposed P Taylor

Seconded C Mayes

Chairs report inc secretary's report

The chair read out her report commenting on the large number of events run in the last 12 months including the CSC final at South Gare, which involved 70 volunteers from CLOK, nearly all our active members.

The chair thanked R Mayes for her work as CDO, who has personally had great success in competitions in the last year. The biggest challenge the club faces is how to retain members what else can we do?

The chair thanked for the secretary for his work over many years as he is standing down this year.

Club Development officer

C2G course went well, used both Zoom and face to face formats, for 2026 dates and locations set, earlier than 2025 to be finished before A levels then the summer series after.

Schools development officer

The SDO report was received, it was noted a large down turn in work, 2 questions were raised

Do we need to review (reduce) our prices?

Do school use the maps afterwards any way to find out?

Membership report

The report was presented with the comment it was already a week out of date as we had gained 4 or 5 more members since the report was created. Membership is holding steady over last 4 or 5 years

Questions were asked about how we retain new members as we have lost 10 after only 1 year of membership, do we need to do more mentoring for example?

Treasurer's report

The overall head line is a reduction in club funds from £48k to £40k, various pieces of expenditure, laptops etc, The CSC was very profitable, Richmond made £1000. Level D events break even, level C need 100 runners average to break even.

Fees were last increased in 2021 to offset toilet and access fees in particular. It is suggested that event

fees rise in line with other clubs to offset rising event costs.

- Level C [1] Juniors: £3 Seniors: £10 for British Orienteering members and £12 for non-members
- Level D Juniors: £2 Seniors: £5.

Thanks to Lorraine Batts for independently reviewing the accounts.

Agreed by all present

Mapping

Paul Taylor gave a review of mapping activities, there are many, with lots of mappers involved, including creating new maps from scratch

A question was asked about the new IOF mapping standard, do we need to update all our maps?

It was suggested we should add a column to the map index of what standard the map is drawn to

The previous map printer we used has retired and we need to work with other printers to understand their colour palette in the printers

Junior training

The NEJS report was read out, it detailed lot of activity at the regional level

Election of officers

Chair, treasurer and Secretary

The current Chair and Treasurer were returned to their respective roles

Proposed P Taylor

Seconded R Moore

There was no volunteer to fill the role of secretary, it was agreed at the AGM that the committee could coopt someone when found without full club approval. *Post the meeting C Mayes has agreed to take on the role of secretary, the committee have approved this appointment*

All other roles were returned as below although it was noted we really need another Tchimes editor and a face book administrator. *Post the meeting D Murphy has agreed to take on more of the social media admin roles*

Independent Examiner Lorraine Batts

Child Welfare Officer Carolyn Rigby

Fixtures Secretary Joe Trigg

Officials Finder Caroline Mackenzie

Membership Secretary David Murphy

Press / Social Media David Aspin (Facebook)

Rebecca Simpson (other social media platforms)

Club Development (contract) Rebecca Mayes

Schools Development (contract) Mark Davis

Equipment Officer Marion Archer

SI Equipment Officer Marion Archer

CompassSport Cup Alice Rigby

Relay Entries Alice Rigby

Summer Series Joe Trigg

Autumn Series Chris Wright

CLOK Kit Sales Joan Selby

Tchimes Editor Rachel Baker and Rebecca Simpson

Webmaster Alastair Mackenzie

Club Championships (Acorn Trophy) Ann Cranke

Access Officers Peter Archer, Caroline Mackenzie, Joan Selby,

Paul Taylor

NEOA Representative Peter Archer

Map Librarian Paul Taylor

VOC / MapRunF Lead Administrators David Murphy, Mark Davis

AOB

White Rose 2026

In 2025 CLOK did a much bigger portion of the white rose than originally intended. For 2026 EBOR have asked for CLOK support again as they haven't found any other partner club, the current thinking is Scarborough area. Agreed to provide support for 26 but not 27 due to Northern Champs in early 27

Agreed by all in room

CDO renewal of contract

This was discussed along with numbers of new members gained and retained, it was agreed to start looking for a replacement for R Mayes

Proposed A Mackenzie

Seconded R Moore

Maprun series for runners

J Downing had proposed to put on a series of maprun score events in the west of the region, will need maps printing, the agreed cost was £5.00

It was also discussed and agreed we should include long red courses were ever possible in events to encourage runners

The storage of CLOK equipment will need to be reviewed in 2026

Meeting closed at 20:40

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