

NADs AGM 2025

Date: 19 Oct 2025

Time: 17:07

Attendees

Martin Marriott, Chris Pheasey, Paul Heaton, Paul Wilson, Ashley Wilson, Graham Tansley & wife, Mike Gelson, Gary Westwood, Andrew Fuller, David Harvey, Peter Barrow, Steven Hart, Elaine Fuller

Apologies for absence

No apologies for absence recorded

Minutes of last AGM

Only just been available a few days thanks Stephen Hart and AI, isn't AI great but did not save Martin Marriott still had a lot to do.

Matters arising from minutes

No matters arising.

Reports

Chairman's Report- Martin Marriott

Pleased to say all was good racing was close but no major problems, very good bunch of people all help in all areas. All ran very smoothly not as many racing this year but, all was plain sailing.

Secretary's Report –

No secretary at time of AGM, only a temp stand in the shape of Stephen Hart press ganged into service.

Treasurer's Report – Elaine Fuller

We started the year with a balance of £2,606.37 and ended the year with £2,464.16. Broken down to we took in membership of £150, we took 796.00 for race fees and £62.00 in transponder hire. We gave BMBS £398.00 for lake hire we spent £601.50 for trophies, certificates and memberships cards. End of last years end of season trophies from last year on this year's accounts with me not being available last October. We also spent £118.96 on Buoy's and equipment also webhanger £55.75, MPBA has just given us a check for £210 and that's the accounts for the year.

Webmaster / Regatta Officers Report – Martin Marriott

As far as the websites concerned it all works as we need it no issues, we have changed over to https for security not that we have information on the site we have any concerns about.

Regards Regattas report entrance for regattas have been steady over the last few years, but a bit on the low side this year which made it a bit harder to fill all duties on the race day. We would all like to see a few more younger faces, as the racers are all getting older each year. We could do with ideas on how to get more people racing, if anyone has any ideas could you let us know. SR65 racer are to have a race or two at next years Nationals, all to be sorted out and finalised during the year. The timing system all working fine with no issues.

Safety Officers Report – Paul Heaton

We have no issues this regarding safety as we are all seasoned racers, and are all well aware of safety precautions we all need to keep all safe. No issues arising for the year.

Election of Committee

Chairman – Martin Marriott

Secretary – Stephen Hart

Treasurer – Elaine Fuller

Web Master / Regatta Officer – Martin Marriott

Safety Officer – Paul Heaton

All members agreed on the committee

Race Dates

The following dates have been requested but have not been confirmed yet.

- Round 1 – 12-Apr-26
- Round 2 – 10-May-65
- Round 3 – 07-Jun-25
- MPBA Nationals – 26 Jun to 28-Jun-25
- Round 4 – 26-Jul-26
- Round 5 – 30-Aug-26
- Round 6 – 20-Sep-26
- Round 7 – 18-Oct-26

Proposals

PROPOSAL BY ASHLEY WILSON

Darlington to hold a round of Nads in 2026

After a long conversation it was decided agreed by all to give it a try date TBA

PROPOSAL BY STEPHEN HART

To have add press officer to committee

After long discussion it was rejected by all

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To add 6 second mill time to eco classes

After a short discussion it was rejected by all

PROPOSAL BY PETER BARROW

That all transmitters have a spring loaded throttle for safety reasons

After a very long heated it was rejected

Peter Barrow and Stephen Hart, that it should be noted in the minutes that it could be a grey area with regards the MPBA insurance.

PROPOSAL BY MARTIN MARRIOTT

That the buoys are filled with expanding foam

It was decided that they would be too hard and so was rejected.

Presentation of trophies

After the presentation of certificates and medals for Round 7 the 2025 League results were announced.

Close Meeting

The meeting was closed at 18:02