

CUCBC Captains' Meeting May Term 2017 – Minutes

Date: Sunday 11th June 2017

Time: 17:00 - 17:30

Location: Old Divinity School Lecture Theatre, St John's

Attendees: David Munday (CUCBC Chair), Mark Jacobs (CUCBC Safety Officer), Kate Shipley (CUCBC Executive Committee), Conor Burgess (CUCBC Executive Committee), College Club Captains

1) Apologies

Charlie Prior (CUCBC Honorary Secretary)

2) Minutes of the previous Captains' Meeting were approved

3) Election of CUCBC Honorary Secretary 2017/18

DM: Sam Deutsch, current Captain of Corpus, would like to stand for the position of CUCBC Honorary Secretary 2017/18

Any points the captains would like to discuss? Sam should briefly step out
No discussion points or opposition

DM: Propose Sam for election by the Captains. All in favour?

Unanimous vote in favour of electing Sam Deutsch as CUCBC Honorary Secretary 2017/18

4) May Bumps

a) Division & Marshalling Times

- Division and marshalling times can be found here:
<http://www.cucbc.org/mays/times>
- Let your crews know when they should be there
- Marshalling is 45 minutes before the start of the division - You must be pulled in on the P&E side by that time
- If you turn up after the previous division has started, we will not let you onto the course and you may be sent home

b) Finishes

- Men and women are all finishing at the same point
- Top Finish - post just before the Green Dragon Footbridge
- Bottom Finish - Morley's Holt (halfway between split and rejoin of the towpath, there will be a line drawn on the towpath)

c) Marshals

- Marshals rota has been updated and can be found online here:
<http://www.cucbc.org/mays/marshals>
- Make sure the marshal you provide is vaguely competent - ideally they've done one set of bumps before
- If you can't find anyone, let the CUCBC committee know
- There are fines for 'failure to provide a marshal' - £15 first offence, £30 2nd offence, £45 third offence
- There are also fines for incompetent marshals so don't send anyone that has no idea what they are doing

- d) Bank Passes
 - Limited to 4 people bank partying per boat
 - This 4 **INCLUDES** Master/VIPs/Senior Treasurer/Boatman - they replaces one of your 4 bank passes
 - You will be fined for excess bank party, and for people that lie in wait along the bank and join in
 - e) Bumps Programs
 - Pre-ordered programs can be collected now or from the control desk
 - If you didn't pre-order any programs, you can buy them for £4 each from King's Porters Lodge or from the Control Desk
- 5) AOB
- a) Rowing into a stationary boat
 - This will be reiterated many times in the umpires and coxes briefings **"if any crews row into a stationary crew they will,**
 - a) be heavily fined**
 - b) potentially be removed from the rest of bumps**
 - c) any bumps that you have achieved as a result of rowing into a stationary crew may be disallowed"**
 - Please emphasise to coxes the importance of being aware of what is happening and avoiding direct collisions with stationary crews
 - b) Incident with a narrowboat recently
 - If you were there, please send CUCBC an email (committee@cucbc.org) with a statement of what you saw and your version of events, it would be very helpful
 - If there are any problems with motorboats (narrow or otherwise) then protect your lives. Human lives come first, whatever the situation that may arise
 - c) Polite plea to be mindful of public relations during the week
 - Make sure you're following all the rules
 - Watch out for swans and cygnets - avoid them when doing standing starts, but if you come across them at race pace/during racing, then be mindful of human life which takes precedence
- 6) Date of Next Meeting - 1st of 2nd Sunday of University full term, either 1st October or 8th October
- 7) Handover of Captaincies
- If you handover to new captains for the next academic year, please make sure you give them the login details for both your club account on the CUCBC website and the login for you CUCBC emails
 - Causes CUCBC lots of problems when we're sending out emails but the current captains aren't getting those emails
 - Please make sure you hand over properly