

Minutes of the Annual General Meeting Croydon Amphibians Swimming Club Meeting

Friday 5th July 2024 at 7pm Warlingham Rugby Club, Limpsfield Road Warlingham CR6 9RB

Minutes

Present: Marie Philips, Mariana Turner, Mike Garvin, Didier Sorel, Karlene Fraser, Simone Kelly, Carolyn Browne, Emma Brown, Sophie Golledge, Patryk Folinski, Katy Dolling, David Dolling, Liesl Chaudhury

Apologies: Mike Murray, Diane Gamble, Nick Hallam

Welcome & approval of minutes of last AGM

Marie Philips (Chair) welcomed everyone to the meeting and reviewed the previous AGM minutes. She highlighted the Clubs success in the County, Regional and National championship galas, the successful and well attended boot camp and stroke clinics, and the full Swim Mark Accreditation governance process which is valid until April 2026.

Chairman's address

Marie ran through her report which was made available prior to the AGM on the CASC website. She highlighted the new things that CASC would be doing in the next 6 months such as being promoted into the Premier Division of the Arena league for the first time in 20 years, the second warm weather camp to Malaga and a new fitness squad 'Troy' for older swimmers.

Marie thanked the volunteers as without volunteers the club would not exist and asked for more parents to volunteer either both for officials to help run galas and for parents to join the committee.

Treasurer's Report

The treasurer report had been made available in advance on the CASC website via Team Unify. The club has had a strong year financially, making a surplus for the year of £19,119. Although costs increased by about 11%, income increased by 20%, which is due to a combination of factors including an increase in squad membership numbers and a successful year for Swim School. there

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Remembrance for Anne Reader passed away at the age of 80 on 24 March. She was a Life Member of Croydon Amphibians, Life Member of Croydon Borough Swimming Association ("CBSA") and a longstanding Official at CBSA, Surrey and Southern Counties events, and later London Region. In addition to being an active CASC Masters swimmer, she was ever present volunteering at local swimming club and school galas and was an active member of the CASC and CBSA committees for many years.