

CTC Exeter  
Committee Meeting  
Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2024  
At Ian G's house

Present: Paul Ewings (Chair)  
Roy Russell  
Tessa Fincher  
Ian Grundberg

Apologies: Martin Warren  
Rebecca Hoddinott  
Dave Martin  
Ian Holding

**Minutes of last meeting:**

Approved

**Matters arising:**

The Bike Maintenance Workshop was attended by 12 persons and generated excellent feedback. It is proposed to arrange another session in 6-12 months.

**Runs list:**

B-rides: Attendance is weather dependent, but there is a good turnout when they are running. The lack of ride leaders continues.

A-rides: Running smoothly.

Thursday BikeBus: Also running smoothly, good attendance.

**Finance:**

The current balance on the club account is £3,936.01. There was a recent payment of £70.00 for the rental of the Church Hall for the forthcoming Curry Night.

**Future Events:**

*Curry Night*

Wednesday 23 October at St Thomas Church Hall at 7.30pm. The speakers have been confirmed as:

- Jonathan Fisher National Trust General Manager South & East Devon Properties will talk about Improving access to National Trust properties from the Exe Estuary Trail.
- Sarah Cook will talk about her Cycling Adventures in Chile.

An email invitation has been sent to the members and Paul E will send a reminder a few days before via the Thursday BikeBus WhatsApp group

### *Christmas lunch*

Arrangements have been made for this year's lunch at the Thatched House in Exwick on Thursday 5 December. There will be a normal BikeBus ride in the morning, followed by lunch at the pub at about 12.30/1 pm. Email invitations have been sent out and bookings are now open.

### *Mulled wine*

Tentatively to be held on Sunday 15/12 at the Woodbury Church Rooms, following a combined A&B Sunday ride. Roy R will liaise with Tim and Judy Green for arrangements.

### *First Aid*

Now proposed for February 2025, subject to a straw poll to gauge interest later this year. The arrangements will be discussed again at the next committee meeting in December.

### **Cycling UK email system**

We have been liaising with Cycling UK to resolve certain issues surrounding the email system. With support from HO, members who were previously not receiving group emails should now start getting them. A few other issues remain, but we will continue contacts with HO.

### **Devon County Council consultations**

A number of new cycle trails are proposed around the county and public consultations within the Local Cycling & Walking Infrastructure Plan have been opened.

Roy R has drafted an email with links to the consultations and members are urged to review and comment on the proposals.

### **Date of next meeting:**

19.30 Wednesday 11 December. Venue to be confirmed.

### **Meeting closed:**

20.40