MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 8th NOVEMBER 2016.

PRESENT:

Dave Cooper - Chairman Steve Gregg - Vice Chairman

John Arnold - Secretary Midi Arnold - Treasurer

Bob Budd - Autotest Championship Secretary Steve Courts - Trials Championship Secretary

lan Jarrett - Training Officer Bryn Pound - Go Motorsport

Delegates from the following clubs:

Aston Martin OC B. R. M. C. B. M. M. C. B. M. M. C. Boundless (CSMA) Coventry & Warks. Hagley & District Midland Automobile Midland Hillclimb Quinton Redditch & DMC

Rugby Warwickshire Drivers Whitchurch WSSCC

APOLOGIES:

Kevin Witton - FLO & AWMMC Web Manager David Lucas - West Midlands RLO

Sue Sanders - MSA Training Steve Gregory - Scrutineer

Club delegates from:-BalaClub Rallysport WestDevizesDovey ValleyLudlow CastleN A D A COxford

Ross & District Shenstone & Dist.

2. MINUTES

The minutes of the previous meeting, having been circulated to all member clubs, were signed:

Proposed: Rugby. Seconded: Midland AC

3. MATTERS ARISING

a) Refuelling on Stage Rallies:

It was reported that the new ruling was not well known.

b) Tracking systems for Rallying:

Nothing formal on this subject prior to May/June 2017. The extra costs involved have been publicised.

Both matters are on-going.

4. CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED

All clubs were requested to furnish Steve Gregg and Kevin Witton with their latest e-mail addresses, which must be kept up to date, as all correspondence is only being sent by this method.

- i) MSA Minutes from MSA Committees & various Associations.
- ii) MSA Scrutineers bulletin
- iii) MSA Statement: Rallying 4 Wales On going discussions.
- iv) MSA Meetings for Licenced Officials: 18/3/17 S. Wales 19/3/17 Telford
- v) MSA Forestry Allocations: Forest of Dean / 60 & Worcestershire approved from AWMMC.
- vi) MSA Dates for all events received from Andrea Richards

Other correspondence:

a) John Arnold stated that the AWMMC's input had been forwarded to Nicky Moffat for inclusion in the MSA's Annual Report.

5. a) NEW MEMBER CLUBS

None received:

b) OFFICIAL CHANGES

No Official changes had been received but lan Jarrett stated that C.S.M.A. were now to be know as "Boundless by CSMA". All other details remain the same as before.

c) DATE CHANGES/ADDITIONS:

Members were reminded that all dates and/or changes for 2017 should be forwarded to Kevin Witton, so that they could be included on our web-site.

6. a) AUTOTEST CHAMPIONSHIP REPORT

Bob Budd reported that twelve contenders hade register for this years' championship and that the championship was now completed.

b) ROAD RALLY CHAMPIONSHIP REPORT

Gareth had forwarded the results so far, with two events remaining. He also reported that he had been unable to attend many events and, as such, he felt the championship had suffered with only five drivers and four navigators having registered. He also stated that, due to pressure of work, he would not be able to continue as Secretary in 2017. The Chairman wished to thank Gareth for his work on this championship over the last few years.

Inter-Association 2016: No team was sent by AWMMC.

c) "HEART OF ENGLAND" CHAMPIONSHIP REPORT

Stuart and Gemma had said that, due to a change in their circumstances, they would not be continuing as Championship Co-Ordinators in 2017.

A VACANCY EXISTS IN ORDER FOR THE AWMMC TO CONTINUE WITH THIS CHAMPIONSHIP. ANYONE INTEREST SHOULD CONTACT AN AWMMC OFFICIAL, AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, IN ORDER TO PLAN FOR 2017.

Steve Gregg reported that the championship was now complete. He would co-ordinate this championship in 2017 - as long as he was able to pending his long-awaited departure for Australia. He would attend the Brean Stages in order to commence the 2017 championship.

d) CAR TRIALS CHAMPIONSHIP

Steve reported that the final event, of the championship, had been held the previous week-end.

i) Inter-Association Car Trial: AWMMC won this event.ii) Inter-Association Sporting Trial: ASWMC won this event.

7. MARKETING & RECRUITMENT OFFICER:

KEVIN WITTON HAS NOW TAKEN OVER THE UP-DATING OF OUR WEB-SITE FROM DAVE COOPER. SECRETARIES SHOULD CONTACT KEVIN ON kevin.witton@rallyonline.co.uk WITH THEIR RESULTS etc.. No report.

8. TRAINING OFFICER'S REPORT:

Any club requiring training should contact lan direct via e-mail on jarretti@btinternet.com).

Training for Wales Rally GB, in conjunction with BRMC, was held early October.

Three provisional training dates had been cancelled due to the lack of support.

IT was suggested that anyone looking for training should check out the MSA web-site where all the training days would be listed for 2017.

On-Line Training for Marshals: Concern was shown that people are being put off by the amount of training required, however, approximately 5000 have now registered.

9. REGIONAL MEETING:

John Arnold reported that the meeting was held on Wednesday 17th August 2016. Items of relevance include:-

- a) Kevin Witton has joined the MSA Rallies Committee.
- b) Rally Future tracking available @ £75 + VAT plus £45 on each event.
- c) Closed Roads Secondary legislation is progressing satisfactorily.
- d) MSA Club of the Year Thirty two nominations have been received.
- e) MSA Volunteer of the Year Fifty + nominations have been received.
- f) Refuelling on rallies regulations are now in the 2017 Blue Book
- g) LARA & Section 33 with Powys CC MSA & ACU are now involved.

11. TREASURY REPORT:

The Treasurer reported the current Bank balance stood at £11212.44 Clubs who had not paid, as of 31st July, have been deleted from A.W.M.M.C. membership: Oxford University Motor Drivers' Sheffield & Hallamshire

12. YEAR BOOKS

Bob Budd requested that all clubs keep him informed of any changes to Officials and delegates throughout the year. Anyone requiring an advert in the 2017 edition should contact him a.s.a.p.

BOB REQUESTED THAT ALL THE INFORMATION FOR INCLUSION IN THE 2017 YEAR BOOK SHOULD BE SENT TO HIM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

13. ANY OTHER BUSINESS:

Awards evening: 27-01-2017 @ Harper Adams University, Newport, Shropshire.

- a) John Arnold reported that he had asked Colin Clarke if he was available as Guest Speaker or if he could suggest anyone else if he wasn't available.
- b) AWMMC Meeting dates for 2017 ALL FUTURE MEETINGS WOULD COMMENCE AT 7-45pm:

14th March	A.G.M. & General meeting	9 th May	General meeting
8 th August	Dates meeting	7 th November	General meeting & Extra Ordinary Meeting to elect Officials for 2018

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS THE MEETING WAS CLOSED.

DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING:

TUESDAY 14th MARCH 2017 at 7-45p.m.