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THIRD COMMITTEE MEETING, SEVENTH YEAR — MONDAY 11th OCTOBER 1982, 8-00p.m.
4 CRAIGLEITH RISE, EDINBURGH

Present: S.Balfour, P.Hyman, I.Lamont, J.Mitchell, K.Ovens, G.Shiach, A.Spenceley, S.Terry, P.Woolverton.

1) Treasurer's Report Last years audited accounts have been passed to the newsletter editor for publication. The South East Area Champs. may make a small profit but some expenses have not yet been claimed.
The J.I.M.Fund was mentioned. The treasurer knew nothing about it, and there was no mention of it in last years accounts. It was thought that the money used to be kept as a sub-section of the main account and there should currently be about £20 in the fund. The treasurer is to allocate £20 to this and is to attempt to find some record of the fund from previous years. It was explained that any junior wishing assistance from the fund should apply to the committee. A three man sub-committee then decides what action to take.
No money has yet been claimed for coaching worksheets or clocks. Scott and John are to purchase these items. The Interlopers Cup for the Lothian Mountain Challenge has been purchased.

2) Socials There is to be a combined skittles evening with ELO at the Golf Hotel in Gullane on 2nd. December. A meal is provided prior to the match at a cost of about £3-80. The idea of holding a Halloween night event has been abandoned. There is still a desire to hold a bonfire night on 5th. November but no suitable venue has yet been found. Steve is to contact R.Stobie to see if he is willing to hold it in his garden. The dates of the cycle-O events will appear in the next newsletter. ESOC are holding a street-O on 14/10/82 from Colin Tyre's house.

3) Events The Lothian-O-League which Interlopers has been asked to organise will now be at Calder Wood on 28th. November not on the 12th. December as previously stated. Packet has agreed to plan. Andy agreed to organise and Fiona Hendrie is to be asked to control. Scott has the maps, Ken is to register the event and most equipment can be obtained from the South East Area. It was thought that permission had to be obtained from West Lothian County Council. It was decided not to use the masonic hall as it was rather too expensive.
Andy is still organising the training day on 27th. February at Archerfield.

4) Maps The stock of both the'Glenearn and Berryknowe' and the 'Archerfield' maps is low. It was thought that both maps should be reprinted with slight revision as required.
As Douglas McKeith will not have enough spare time next year, someone else will be needed to co-ordinate manpower for the Bow Hill mapping project. Steve is to contact Dewi Jones to see if he would be interested.

5) CATIs It was stated that this years CATI series had not been very good. It was felt that it would be better if they were organised by the schools at an earlier time with the controls perhaps being left out for use by seniors later in the evening. It was also felt that it was very important that the events were held in a logical order with the easy areas first.

6) Juniors There was some discussion of the need to encourage more juniors to join the club and to participate in its activities. The result of this was agreement that the membership list should list the junior members of families individually and that the new version of the club information sheet due to be produced soon should have a tear off membership form to make joining easier.
It was also agreed that juniors joining the club for the first time should be given a 50p. discount. This was to encourage members of school groups to join.

7) SOA The proposed 'Orienteering for All' week was mentioned. This may take place during the first week of September 1983. Clubs will be asked to put on a number of small events and to obtain publicity.
The event centre for JK83 will be Kendal and for JK84 will be Bangor.
The championship allocation for the next few years was discussed. We have been put down to do the Scottish Relays in 1985 and to help with the JK in 1988 if it comes to Scotland that year. There were no complaints.
As the subject may arise at a future SOA meeting, there was some dicussion about the introduction of an SOA levy on events. Other regions do this so to some extent we subsidise these areas when we run there. It was generally felt that such a levy was a good idea as it meant that those who orienteer most pay most. The major drawback with the scheme would be the extra administration.

8) AOCB The South East Area AGM is to be held on Monday 25th. October at 7-30 at the University Sports Centre, Pleasance, Edinburgh.
Interlopers lost heavily to FVO in the clash for the CompassSport Cup on 10th. October in the Pentlands. Thanks to Andy for co-ordinating this venture.

The next committee meeting will be on Monday 13th. December at 8-00p.m. at Peter Woolverton's house; 41 Swanston Park, Edinburgh EH10 7BR.

**NOTE that this is NOT the date originally chosen. **