

AGM January 2020

Secretary Review

Club had 162 members at the end of the year, with 72 members on our closed waiting list. 15 of the list are aged 6 turning 7 at some point in 2020.

We have continued to train new coaches and to increase existing coaches' specific qualifications, we are always looking for more coaches, helpers/volunteers

A reminder, the aim is for kids to make it along most weeks, as it benefits the kids and the coaches. The kids that have left the club it tends to be because they have not been regular attenders.

Attendance criteria is miss 3 weeks without good reason and you could lose your place, away at a training event or racing for the Club counts towards attendance.

The Mid week sessions in the Summer pete supported by some older members ran Mini Shredders at Cathkin on a Wednesday night. As mentioned already started club track accreditation & tracks on a Tuesday at the velodrome and Monday nights at Knightswood BMX Track.

We tried to run some Thursday evening CX sessions but the weather and lack of numbers made them difficult to run.

Rollers will return as well this month age 10 upwards.

Race wise have had a good year with a number of new and younger members trying racing for the first time, with Gregor, Millie, Paddy & Sophie all attended the European MTB Champions in August in Italy

We are running 4 races/events this year a CX race next and Parklife 3 Thursday night MTB events in (May & June). As well as setting up and marshalling the SXC event at Cathkin 28/29 August. We will again be looking for help with course set up, sign on.

We continued the social events the Club Registration Evening and Year end party night, which was sold out in record time this year.

Facebook

The policy was set up for parents of members and members over 13, when a member leaves they will taken off the Group – after Child Protection Training best advice is that Club Members of any age don't befriend coaches

Kit-Online orders for adult sizes and the club holds a stock of kids tops & shorts, prices £27 & 28 – see Ian or Wendy on Saturday

Coaching & Parents Helpers-We need more coaches for Saturday mornings

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More help on Saturday admin, Wendy is often left on her own & Parent helpers for the Groups

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Start date for existing Riderz is Saturday 15th February with the registration evening 7th February at the Velodrome.

We're hoping to have the registration night for new members on Friday 28th Feb at the Velodrome.

The hope is that existing members will go along to meet new Riderz and talk to them so that there's familiar faces when they start with the Club. The plan is to start new Riderz on Saturday 7th March.