Ocean Sports Club –Annual General Meeting

Minutes – 29th November 2025

1. Introduction

- Thoughts 2026 competitions note already issued to club members

- Apologies: Lucy

2. Minutes from last year (16/11/24)

- Agreed to be accurate.

- Hoby catamaran not fixed yet.

3. Chair Report

- 50 people attending club.

- Movie night and Conker con events held and successful.

- Youth club expanding and now included in the fitness club.

- Increased women recruitment for the team.

- Clearer visual identity for the club– branding tops & boats; sign for club on beach.

- The club is short on steerers – Recommended ½ session training to get more people steering.

3.1 Competitions – open clear priority on:

1) Selection

2) Choice of events

- Need to maintain inclusion for club sessions.

Suggestions:

1) Saturdays – G.E.

2) Potential whole weekend training sessions –

Amanda suggested can be planned in advance – this could be part of wider social activities on the club calendar with BBQ + movie.

3.2 Tasks

- Might have to fix ourselves (V6 + V3).

- Trailer → Steve K might have a place.

- Zips spray decks → need to add zips.

- Ocean Sports Club Instagram → Needs content

- Social media generally – Hector + add junior member (photo/video).

- DBS checks– Millie + Tasha + 30 min course online.

- Logo – revamping; Access to Club Google Drive: Mark + Hector + Alan.

- Repairs – poll put out; weekend turnaround.

- Documents – sort out files → Lucy to control.

3.3 Year-round participation

- Youth on Saturdays.

- Youth social once a month.

- Youth + Surfing (Poles) helps challenge and keep interest.

3.4 Club fees;

- OSC to start a remote membership

- Affiliation fee & session paddle: £15 per year.

- Note Paddle UK – Allow 2 sessions without paying.

- Note that PRCC do a distance membership. OCUK have a tiered membership 50m/80miles

- OSC + £20 remote membership, £10 session. (agreed at AGM).

- Youth fees: year-round fees £10 per month, £25 per month in summer (agreed at AGM).

Dawny Lake has sprint categories for youth.

- Youth fees: £15 per year. Pete generously offers to support: 10 youth.

- Individual: £30 for outrigger boats V1.

- G.B. Outrigger membership - £150 for club includes V6 (agreed, try for one year).

4.0 Roles

- Club Captain: Hector

- Junior Club Captain: TBC Youth Captain: tie-in with social media.

- Note Officers incorrect on previous minutes;

- Treasurer: Millie. Nominated: Amanda + seconded.

- Welfare: Millie + Tasha; Glenn nominated; Tim seconded.

- Safety Officer: Paul/Rames.

- Chair: Glenn. Proposed – Amanda. Seconded – S.

- Social Media: Hector.

Next AGM: Weekend of 7th Nov 2026.

5.0 Events

- Europeans – I.C.F. Brest 26–30 August.

- Worlds I.C.F. - Alicante 9–11th October.

All races next year are mixed. OC2 & V6. Apart from OC1

- Hayling Island

- Exmouth Bay 26th May: confirm rate.

- Shoreham - June

- Carbis Bay

- Three Creeks: April 25th.

- What is the priority fast OC2 or V6? Needs a strategy for the main races.

- Bucca Kri: Carbis Bay to Trevose – Test event in May - 19th September actual race.

- Poll on who wants to go to Events above?

- How much cost £?

- Plymouth → Roscoff → 45 min drive to Brest.

- Kids Celtic Cup → Challenge session to promote participation.

- Paddles order inc discount import: £120 per paddle. Millie request can we get another steering paddle? Light small steering paddle.

6.0 Oceans Events Behaviour Policy

- Glenn example of guidelines to provide clarity to acceptable behaviour.

- Person barred from club; this person wants to join again. No policy on revision of reintegration into the club (readmittance).

- Document needs review.

- Does this reintegration effect the club?

- Make changes to the Code of Conduct document to include readmittance policy (agreed).

- Separate group to review the individual case alongside the revised policy.

(Extraordinary general meeting to be held; date TBC.)

Chairman, Club Captain, Welfare Officers.

7.0 Any other business

- Pollution – water quality monitor. Should we be implementing this in light of sewage spills.