Minutes of Cycle Islington meeting 10 April 2024 Islington Town Hall

Chair: Steve K Minutes: Eilidh M

Apologies: John H, Johanna G, Oli L, Amir S, Sue M, Nick K

Present: Katie P, Adrian W, Jacob H, Diana L, David L, Susanne G

Item	Topic	Action
1	Minutes of last meeting (10/03/2024). Matters arising from March meeting – other than those with their own permanent topic heading. • OSCR: Camden response update	Oli L
2	Steve updated the meeting on the informal tribute to the woman killed on Clerkenwell Road/Farringdon Road; details still to be confirmed by police	
3	 Council Liaison Nick's notes Sue M asked if Clifton Terrace cycle signs could be repainted; also the entrance of Clifton Terrace/Lennox Road needs a sign to indicate that it's a contra flow for cyclists. Currently no sign which is 	Oli L c/f next meeting Nick K/Oli L
	 dangerous. Also for discussion with officers was Hornsey Road and the parked cars blocking the cycle lane. 	Nick K/Oli L
4	Five Asks Data research – Johanna G had drafted an update which is waiting for Nick K to review Submit FOI to council on number of resident parking permits issued in past year	Johanna G / Nick K Steve K
7	Socials/Future events updates LCC Trustee Cycling Study tour (Paris) Bike breakfast (28 April 2024) Islington School fun run (7 July 2024) Very big event so unlikely to serve coffee and croissants; to be discussed at future meeting; need to find out who is running the event. Freecycle (26/5): John H to lead feeder ride Saddle & Sole festival – c/f July 2024 Solstice ride – 21 June 2024 Steve K has route and can do Risk Assessment; John H to lead. Volunteer marshals Amir S and acob H. Eilidh M to set up event registration Summer picnic ride tbc Add I-Bike list of rides for 2024 to our website	Eilidh M Sue M Sue M John H Eilidh M Steve K Eilidh M
8	CI Finances – Keith M (absent) • Current financial position c/f to next meeting	Keith M
9	 AGM & Quiz night – update Eilidh M Hall confirmed and paid for; we will need some Christmas lights to string up. All prizes for raffle welcome; Susanne G offered a cake. All prizes are listed on website. John H is organising the questions for the quiz 	Johanna G

	 Timings to be 1830 – 2230 for the organising team We will charge a small amount for drinks and food; with £5 per person on the door for the quiz; payment via a QR code from LCC. Tickets to be given at the door to redeem for a free first drink. Bar volunteer Organise prizes for winning quiz table AGM advertised to members this year we are asking people to submit their 'manifesto' to be an office bearer or committee member in advance. Deadline 24 April; to date 3 submissions received AGM process https://cycleislington.uk/2024/hold-the-date-8-may-2024/ Quiz registration: https://lcc.org.uk/events/cycle-islington-agm-and-quiz/ 	Eilidh M Steve K Eilidh M/John H/Sue M John H
10	 Code of conduct – Eilidh M No code of conduct on LCC website although there was in the past and we have a copy. Camden Cyclists have an extensive code on their website. Eilidh M has asked Katy at LCC if borough groups should have a code of conduct. The meeting didn't think that it would be useful. Recent letter in Islington Tribune complaining about cyclists running red lights, cycling on pavements etc. The meeting agreed that these were matters for police to enforce. 	Eilidh M
11	Hire bikes • Approach by Lime • LCC has agreed each group can proceed according to their local requirements. David L suggested that Sheffield stands should be put at all GP surgeries. We can ask for ideas on our map on 24 April at bikers' breakfast Preliminary discussion with Lime to be organised	Eilidh M/John H
12	 AOB Pipe cutters Adrian W talked about recent incident where an ebike was stolen by a thief cutting through a Sheffield stand, it was agreed The vulnerability of Sheffield stands to be highlighted to LIME How to combat bike theft; discussion with officers Ask Tom B of LCC to approach Met Police to discuss London-wide campaign Suggest being at freshers' week in October to leaflet new students – for LCC 	Eilidh M Eilidh M/John H Nick K/Oli L Eilidh M
13	 Date/time of next meeting. Our AGM on Wednesday 8 May at 1900 Next regular meeting on Wednesday 12 June at 1900 	