

**Jericho Sailing Centre Association
Operations Committee
Meeting Minutes
April 4, 2006**

Present: Deirdre Webster, Chair, Brian Key, Gail Owen, Mike Cotter, General Manager.

Regrets: Alan Johnson, Stephen Chessor, Andy Hunt, Andrei Bredin

1. Approval of Previous Minutes

March 13, 2006 Carried

2. Response to Storage Letters

In February, letters were sent to 50 members whose craft appeared not to have been used in the past year. Sixteen members responded that they intend to use their craft actively this year. Thirteen members cancelled their storage arrangements with JSCA. Fourteen members have yet to respond. Seven letters were returned as undeliverable. The non-responders and the undeliverables will be listed and posted on our website. Brian volunteered to research the undeliverables.

3. Rigging/Sail Area

The SW sail rigging area, Viking and outrigger flood prone areas will get gravel. The rigging area will then be covered with rubber matting. This will be done after the renovation is complete.

4. Dollies

Our current Hobie dollies will be modified with larger hull platforms to avoid boat damage by novice users. Committee will research design ideas for kayak dollies- must be durable and able to accommodate different craft designs. Concern that compact size may result in more dolly thefts.

5. Kayak Storage

Most of the spots in the new rack have been filled. New step stools are required to access top spots. Additional kayak storage racks on hold until renovation complete.

6. Unpaid Craft in Storage

Currently there are approximately 400 unpaid craft in our compound-fees were due 3 days ago. Often members don't pay their fees until they visit their craft for the first time in a season-April and sometimes May. We will email members who have not paid their fees toward the end of April.

7. Bailiff Auction

Discussion of rescheduling the bailiff auction earlier in the season to make craft storage space available to members. The focus of our efforts will be on repeat users of our bailiff services.

Motion:

“To schedule the bailiff auction for June 24 @1200H.”

8. Shower Mats

Rubber shower mats will be put in the shower/changeroom areas once renos are complete.

9. Volunteer Workparties

Volunteer workparties have been scheduled for every Saturday at 1000H. The next two, April 8 and 15 will be our annual Spring Clean-up. The Sea Scouts and Locarno have committed volunteers for this event. Future workparties will include Laser rack building to replace worn out racks.

10. Jericho Park Stewardship Group

The group will conduct their next meeting on Thursday, April 6 at 1300H. They are concerned about our plan to plant *Pyracantha* on the fence and will consider and suggest an alternative.

11. Adjournment