

Chairman's report AGM 26th Feb 2024

Location Charity [HQ] 9a Claragh Rd Bt308rf [Let's Do Veterans Support & Rehabilitation charity.

Company no. 630205. Charity no. NIC. 105434 IM. 1281

As chair,

I have had to make some decisions that have had an impact on those within it but as we are in the grip of harsh economic times, I had to keep our focus on keeping the charity going forward. So, as we are moving into new areas of rehabilitation, I hope that we go on from strength to strength.

Chairman Lt. Col. A. Doubleday.

Previous minutes. Passed by all present

Current business.

Charity accounts [copy passed to all present].

These accounts are now approved by the Auditor from the Accountant [Mc Cune & Co.]

And are now approved by the Auditor [Mrs D. Griggs]. Can go and be published in Charity Commission NI. Website by secretary B. Mc Kee. [Accounts approved].

Events .

Charity ran several events throughout the year including 3 x fishing try outs

1x open day 1x shooting target rifle 1x Archery. 2 x IOM Race [motorcycle]

Financial Position.

Charity has seen a reduction in funding which has led to a strain on finances but as the facility continues to be developed. There is now a funding plan in place to allow it to seek active funding / grants etc. Details to be announced at next Archery try out session in April .

Future plans.

It is now been agreed by all present that the facility be split into 2 areas as follows –

Kennedy's Lake [consists of Lake and outdoor activities]

Green's Lane Farm [all indoor activities]

Plans being drawn up to create / upgrade existing facilities which will be announced in April coming.

Election of officers was proposed that unless illness or unforeseen circumstances all posts to be retained until next AGM.

Address [Mimack] Ballaterson Fields Braddan [IOM]

Report on Accounts independently verified by Mus D. Griggs A.A.A.I.

I have reviewed these accounts on behalf of the above-named organisation[charity]

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I am satisfied that having reviewed all documentation provided by the chairman Lt. Col. A. Doubleday I am happy to forward them on to be published.

I have signed the relevant documentation and this has been dated and has been passed by all Directors of the above organisation.

This is included in my correspondence to the chairman and charity .

Mrs. D. Griggs A.A.A.I.

Elected a Fellow of the institute of Directors

On the 14th of September 1979

Volunteers

There are some interested parties wishing to become involved in the charity this will take time to become to fruition. It was also suggested for reasons of security that these individuals wish to not have their names put in print or photographs or any one from a security forces back ground [other].

That these folk be given that choice before publishing material relating to a particular individual or group visiting or being involved within our organisation. Regarding an event / open day or function being run by the above organisation.,

Grants etc.

There are new dimensions relating to funding which will be explored in the coming weeks and detail to be forwarded to all members on the progress.

Projects .

Upgrade of lake and safety fencing

Initial ground work commenced and will resume when the weather improves fencing has been purchased and can go ahead when volunteers can be organised within this month. [march]

Wildlife reserve.

It also has been discussed that there be a reserve to preserve / promote wild life at the facility ideas can now be put forward to that effect.

Access [right of way]

As you will be aware our campsite disabled access route has been illegally blocked so far no public body has given our charity any clarity on the removal of these obstructions [await further advise on removal].

Summary

Charity remains focused on its core aims and will continue to be proactive and continue with expansion / improvement and continually re-invent its self for the good of others .

Signed by all Directors



