

Birmingham Swifts AGM

March 10th 7pm

The Fox Bar, 17 Lower Essex Street, Birmingham

Present

32 members present including

Tommy Hill (outgoing Chair)

Tom Garlick (outgoing Treasurer)

Chris Pratt (outgoing Social and Welfare Secretary)

Alex Ainley (outgoing Promotional Secretary)

Apologies

Jay Lamb (Secretary)

31 members, plus 7 proxy votes, meant that the AGM was quorate and could go ahead.

Welcome

Tommy welcomed everyone and gave his highlights of the year, the second official year of the Swifts, as one of consolidation and foundation. The number of run leaders had increased, please apply to be one as they are always in demand. There was now a guide for the visually impaired.

Swifts were representing at local, regional, national and international level.

103 members to date, with 40 affiliated to England Athletics. 32 members had run in the 2016 Birmingham 10k, 23 had run in the 2016 Birmingham half-marathon. 2017 would see the Swifts have a place in the London Marathon.

Minutes of Last AGM

Proposed by Andrew Fergus, seconded by David Gillespie.

2016/17 Accounts

Tom went through the accounts. An income of £2,900k, £2,845 of which had been spent. There was unspent income of £1k in the bank for the new year.

Appointment of New Committee

Chris Pratt was accepted as **Chair**

Geoffrey Frost was accepted as **Treasurer**

Connor Cullen Kingsley accepted as **Promotional Secretary**

Voting for other positions overseen by Ros Gammie of Birmingham LGBT

Christine Stickett was voted as **Secretary** (22 votes to 15 for Josh Webb, totaling 37 votes)

Peter Davies was voted as **Race Secretary** (25 votes to 13 for Ujjayni, totaling 38 votes)

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