**Lochcarron Sailing Club**

**Committee Meeting – Sunday 9th June 2024**

Present: Ori Woods, Douglas Baker-Patch, Steve Patch, Lorna Lory, Storm Ing, Jenny Baker, Angela Goodman, Vivienne Goodman, Henry Davis

Apologies: John Murphy, David Murray

**Matters Arising:**

***The meeting was focused mostly on Sailing week (1-5th July) with the following actions under way:***

* Set up / boat prep / rigging weekends = all help welcome:
  + **22/23 rd June**
  + **29/30th June**
    - Need instructors to help with 29/30 rigging where possible
* Showers – Steve to look at making some shower facilities within the clubhouse available for emergency use during sailing week
* Angela to confirm if we have the use of shinty club changing rooms for sailing week
* Friday: Steve Patch to bring yacht over for transporting spectators and carrying sailors as needed, with Meridian as anchor boat
* Fuel – Ori (poss change connector for 2-stroke)
* Shelters – Angela
* Kicker fix – Vivienne
* Hoodie Order – Hannah has offered to sort, Angela will put her in touch with Sign Centre contact
* Radios – 3 working, 1 faulty, Ori & Henry looking at battery options and potential to buy more.
  + Anyone with their own radio, please bring along
* Lorna will do supplies trip to Inverness to buy food & drink supplies for sailing week

Safety Boats –

* + New batteries planned for safety boats – Ori to source
    - Humber battery can be repurposed for clubhouse heater
* Humber mostly ok, just need drivers to know about sponsons and ensure pump is on board
* Douglas will check over and deal with pioneer
* Check if Dave Murry (rib) available?
* Douglas to confirm checklist /safety bags

Numbers so far:

AM Stage 1 (6) Stage 2 (6) Level 1 (4)

PM Stage 1 (5) Stage 2 (5) Level 1 (4)

EVE Level 2 (4\*) Level 3 (3\*) Start Racing (7)

(\* at least) with more people showing interest but waiting for confirmation

**Other Matters**

RYA inspection – Angela has been in touch with them and aiming to get proposed July date moved to week commencing 26/8 instead

Steve looking at Solar panel options for the site

**Next Committee meeting is on 14th July – Highland Games planning (4pm / after sailing)**

*Highland Games are on Sat 20th July and we need as many volunteers as possible*

**New Event Dates:**

21st July – Invergordon

27th July – Crowlin Yacht Race

3rd Aug – Portree Regatta (1 day)

10th Aug – Around Raasay & Loch Morlich Regatta

**Committee Meetings**

Sun 30th June 4pm – Instructors Training Week briefing

Sun 7th July 4pm – Training Week debrief

Sun 14th July 4pm – Games weekend planning

Sun 11th Aug 2.30pm – Regatta Planning

Thurs 5th Sept After sailing

Sat 12th Oct 6pm