

## SHARK ANGLING CLUB OF GREAT BRITAIN COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 29<sup>th</sup> June 2020 AT 7pm AT THE CHAIRMAN'S HOUSE (SOCIALLY DISTANCED - DUE TO CORONAVIRUS)

Present: B Woodman - Chairman, C Kelly - Secretary, P Davis, S Ward, K Tapper, M Collings, P Martin (via Skype)

Apologies: S Thomas, D Stone, A McKay

Minutes of last meeting (February 2020): Approval proposed by S Ward and seconded by K Tapper.

# **Matters Arising**

- <u>1.</u> <u>Trophy Future Allocation Wording –</u> The Committee discussed the proposition to be made to the club members regarding the future allocation of Trophies. The following proposition to be made to the members for voting and finalizing at the AGM: 'It is proposed by the Committee, as pro-active, conservation minded skippers and anglers, that the final decision regarding the awarding of all trophies rests with the Committee. With the aim of negating the need for the landing and boarding of all fish (but with enough clear and accurate evidence of the catch to make sound judgement) the Committee will have full powers to consider trophy awards for caught and released or visually estimated sharks'.
- 2. <u>Festival Update 2021 –</u> the secretary stated that many of this years anglers had left their money in the festival pot, or left a deposit for next year's festival with the club. P Davis suggested dates for the 2021 Festival, based on the tides, of 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> July. This was agreed.

## Lucky Run Club

• The Winner of the June draw was K Horsfield winning £65.00

## New Business

• <u>AGM 2020</u> – The Secretary had spoken to the Social Club, who were having a meeting that night, to ask if the SACGB could hold their AGM prior to their monthly meeting on 24<sup>th</sup> August in the bottom bar, if socially distancing was observed. A regular meeting to follow this.

## **Any Other Business**

- K Tapper stated that many emails had been passed to Defra over the last few months regarding Bluefin Tuna and that the Committee would be kept up to date with any developments.
- The President (I King) had asked that the Committee should be reminded that John Kiddow be asked to present the Trophies at the October Presentation Night. The Chairman to invite Mr Kiddow once the situation regarding Covid-19 was clear.
- It was suggested that the 27<sup>th</sup> July, Monthly Meeting should also be held at the Chairman's house as the outside area was ideal for social distancing.

The meeting closed at 8.00pm.

**Date of Next Meeting** – 27<sup>th</sup> July 2020, 7pm at the Chairman's House