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PORTSMOUTH NORTH END CYCLING CLUB

2022 GENERAL SECRETARY'S REPORT

This is my first report as Secretary and trustee, having taken post at the end of June 2022. I can safely say I am still finding my feet.

The club membership is growing and now stands at 155. We continually report on membership numbers at each committee meeting.

Portsmouth North End was awarded funding by British Cycling for its work in promoting and supporting increased participation at the Mountbatten Centre, through our race series The Dick Evan's Memorial Series. The Club also received sponsorship from Nopinz for its regional B road race and Dick Evan's Memorial race series

We have an Asset register which is online for everyone to view. Club assets were in continual use at club events. Unfortunately we lost a road bike to theft whilst on loan (#002) however we have added the following to our register. Contactless card readers (£52), a Chromebook which was purchased for the use by the treasurer (£189). Event banners and carry cases (£376). Cool boxes for use at events (£60). PNE received a donation of two feather flags and a 5m event banner free of charge from British Cycling. The Club Carrera Road Bike is currently on loan to Evan Mitchell who has been competing at Mountbatten this summer.

A Club hub is being incorporated at Mountbatten which will provide the club with an area for storage and act as a base.

For 2023 we will look to replace the bike that was lost to theft, and add to our register with new bikes available to loan

Finally in 2022 the Club took the opportunity to provide club wear to our team of volunteers that support and represent the club, in the form of hoodies, hats and polo shirts.

Matthew Puddick

Club Secretary and Trustee, PNECC