



# **IRISH SOUTH ROAD FEDERATION**

## **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2022**

**TO BE HELD ON SUNDAY 29 TH JANUARY 2023 AT 10.30AM IN THE  
CLANN NA GAEL G.A.A CLUB SEAN MOORE ROAD RINGSEND DUBLIN 4.**

**CHAIRMAN: HENRY BYRNE, SECRETARY :MICHAEL ROCHE ,TREASURER :W BUTLER.**

AGENDA:

**1. MINUTES OF LAST 21 AGM** WERE READ BY THE SECRETARY AND PASSED.

**2. PRESIDENT'S REPORT** G Daley.

**3. CHAIRMANS REPORT** H Byrne

CHAIRMAN Felt that the season went well and finances were good order The purchasing of trophies and diplomas were got at a a cost of 7500 euro due to the demand of the general membership. We are here to enjoy the sport but no report from G Daly as he has passed away

**4. SECRETARY'S REPORT** M Roche

The secretary that the ISRF committee and the CLUB secretaries for all their help The financials were up 10000 approx on last year as a result of the birdage was put up The fed is losing 30 members every year and in the next 10 years there will be major changes to what the ISRF can offer the membership as the projected membership in 10 years will be down to 300 members. At present the ISRF has the best inland and channel program to date with the highest prize money of 35000 euro plus pool of approx. 35000 euro also. He thanked the conveyors and transporters managers and liberator for all there efforts to give us good racing in 2022.

**5. TREASURER'S REPORT** W Butler

Says we are financially sound. He pointed out that he felt due to the age profile we cant look to plan to forward. The ISRF is not losing money at present. Great racing in 2022 and getting the trucks away every week.

**6. TRANSPORT MANAGER'S REPORT** J Roberts , S Reed.

J Roberts thanked Mick Warder and the rest of the conveyors for all their help.

**7. LIBERATOR'S REPORT** H Byrne

He felt the inland racing was good. Channel racing can be difficult at times due to weather conditions.

**8. AUDITORS' REPORT** H Thorp ,B Hobbs.

The auditors stated he got all the info and it was explained to them by the treasurer.

9 Pro 2023 REPORT M Feeney . not present

**10 BALANCE SHEET**

The balance sheet was discussed by the chairman and the members.

Issues discussed.

Loses on some of the open races

Prop P Kelly , second Martin Walsh Passed.

**11. ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

**Election of officers 2023**

	Proposed	second
President, P Keegan	P Byrne	H Byrne
Chairman. H Byrne,	T Boyle	H Mc Cann
Senior Vice Chairman, J Roberts	J Roberts	L DARLING
Junior Vice president, M Roche	L DARLING	B ALLAN
Secretary, M Roche	J MC LOUGHLIN	A NORRIS.
Assistant Secretary, A Keegan	H Thorp	J MC LOUGHLIN
Treasurer, Willie Butler,	J MC LOUGHLIN	H Mc Cann
Assistant Treasurer, A Keegan	J MC LOUGHLIN	A NORRIS
IHU Delegates C Brennan , H Mc Cann,	J MC LOUGHLIN	P Kelly
Liberator H Byrne,	H Mc Cann	M Walsh
Transport managers M Roche J Roberts	J MC LOUGHLIN	J Roberts
Auditors H Thorp. B Hobbs ,	H Byrne	E Barry
P R O/ Development Officer E Barry.	Mick Warner	M Roche

**12 RESIGNATIONS**

**13 NEW MEMBERS**

TRIM New members outside radius

DES MURRAY (SR3119)

CASTLEVIEW

OLD ROAD

DUNSANY

CO MEATH

ANTHONY MORGAN PREVIOUS MEMBER OF ISRF.

CLONDAVAN

ATHBOY RD  
 TRIM  
 CO MEATH  
 NIALL CUMMINGS AND SONS  
 DANESTOWN  
 BALRATH  
 NAVAN  
 CO MEATH  
 NEW CLUBS  
 BLANCHARDSTOW  
 ISRF RACE PROGRAM 2023

To Open the ISRF boundary and accept the 3 applications

PROPOSED G Large SECOND Sheppie

New Clubs Mulhuddart . 9 members prop J Mc Loughlin second Keath Sullivan

Bray club requested clarification re fed rule 39 and rule race 29 re B S E .

BRAY club said they have agreed to mark the birds of the one member of BSE club

The chairman said once there is 5 members from the Bray invitation present when the BSE birds are been marked as per IHU rules that is ok for BSE members to compete in weekly fed races.

### ISRF RACE PROGRAM 2023

Agreed and passed by the secretary the clubs

#### OLD BIRD

#### YOUNG BIRD

1	15/04/2023	CLONMEL		1	15/07/2023	CLONMEL
2	22/04/2023	PILMORE BEACH		2	22/07/2023	CLONMEL
3	29/04/2023	MALLOW		3	29/07/2023	PILMORE BEACH
4	06/05/2023	CASTLETOWN		4	05/08/2023	MALLOW
5	13/05/2023	SKIBBEREEN		5	12/08/2023	CASTLETOWN
6	20/05/2023	BARLEYCOVE OPEN	OPEN	6	19/08/2023	BARLEYCOVE OPEN
7	27/05/2023	PILMORE BEACH		7	26/08/2023	CLONMEL
8	27/05/2023	TALBENNY OPEN	OPEN	8	26/08/2023	TALBENNY OPEN
9	03/06/2023	CASTLETOWN		9	02/09/2023	CLONMEL
10	03/06/2023	TALBENNY	OPEN	10	09/09/2023	PILMORE BEACH
11	10/06/2023	SKIBBEREEN		11	16/09/2023	CASTLETOWN
12	10/06/2023	PENZANCE	OPEN	12	23/09/2023	SKIBBEREEN/OPEN
13	17/06/2023	SKIBBEREEN				
14	17/06/2023	PENZANCE	OPEN			
15	22/06/2023	MALO/PLOUGASTELDAOULA	OPEN			
16	24/06/2023	SKIBBEREEN				
17	01/07/2023	BARLEYCOVE	OPEN			
18	08/07/2023	PENZANCE	OPEN			

The President Paul Keegan felt the YB race should start earlier due to the start of the shooting season in September.

J mc Loughlin said if there is surplus trainers so on the transporters will there be enough room on the transporters for yb also.

Chairman did not accept P Keegan Proposal

### **Motions for 2022 ISRF AGM**

#### **COMMITTEE**

#### **DONNYCARNEY R.P.C.**

#### **TRAINERS**

1. WHERE SPACE PERMITS IN A CLUB'S CRATE ALLOCATION, TRAINERS SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO GO TO FEDERATION RACES. THIS MEANS THAT THE MONEY FOR TRANSPORTING THESE BIRDS GOES TO THE ISRF RATHER THAN THE ECF AS IS HAPPENING IN SOME CASES AT PRESENT

A discussion took place among the members.

Proposed M Walsh second J Mc Loughlin 32 votes Passed

Stay as it is

Proposed T Grogan second Keat Sullivan 28 votes

Chairman said it will be carried out for a trial period.

#### **DONNYCARNEY R.P.C.**

2. THE EXISTING FEDERATION RULE THAT CLUBS SHOULD COMPLETE RACE RESULTS BY THE TUESDAY AFTER A SATURDAY RACE OR ELSE THE CLUB BE EXCLUDED FROM THE FEDERATION RESULT SHOULD BE ENFORCED.

A discussion took place regarding the existing rule. It was agreed to leave it as it is.

3. LIBERATION TIMES AND RACE RESULTS SHOULD BE PUT ON THE FEDERATION'S

FACEBOOK PAGE

Proposed P Keegan will put it on the face book page Passed .

**TALLAGHT** THAT THE FED PURCHASE TWO TROPHIES ONE FOR THE MOST CLUB POINTS OLD/BIRDS AND ONE FOR MOST CLUB POINTS YOUNG /BIRDS TO GO WITH THE OVERALL CLUBS POINTS SHIELD TO MAKE THIS COMPETITION MORE INTERESTING FOR CLUBS. THESE PROPOSALS WERE.MADE AT THE AGM . Passed

## **BALLYMUN**

THAT THE ISRF MEMBERS BE INFORMED NO LATER THAN 24 HOURS BEFORE MARKING FOR A RACE. It was point out the weather is so difficult at time short notice is required.

Prop Martin Walsh second Trevor Cahill to stay as it is Passed .

THE 50 BIRD LIMIT BE LIFTED FOR THE FIRST TWO YOUNG BIRD RACES

A discussion took place.

Proposed Martin Walsh                      Second J Mc LOUGHLIN   6 votes

It stay as it is   proposed T GROGAN second Keath Sullivan   37 votes Passed.

THAT MARKING STATIONS BE BROUGHT BACK FOR OPEN RACES

A discussion took place

Stay the same Prop J Mc Loughlin second Willie Mc Carty passed .

LET THE CLUBS DECIDE WHAT TIME THEY WANT TO DO THE RESULT AFTER A RACE THAT SUITS ITS MEMBERS IE IF A OPEN OR FED RACE IS OVER EARLY WHATS THE POINT IN SITTING AROUND TILL 5.00PM OR 7.00PM WHEN IT COULD BE DONE EARLIER.

A discussion took place.

It was agreed if one member in a club is not happy changing the fed rule then the fed rule must be enforced.

Proposed H Byrne second. M Roche      Club can decide bang off time on all inland race including opens

Channel races depending on the type of race . No bang off after 7 pm ,birds clocked after 7 pm for open positions must be banged before 7 pm the next day .

## **DUBLIN NORTH EAST.**

NOT TO LIBERATE WITH THE NIPA ON THE CHANNEL

A discussion took place. Proposed M Rock    second. Owney Moor

Leave it as it is   proposed   Trever Cahill second Tim Halpin   43 VOTES Passed

Meeting close