

Combined Report for NGOC Committee Meeting September 2012

**Name: Pat MacLeod**

**Role: Chairman**

Period Covered July-August 2012

IN ROLE:

**Tasks Completed**

- Visited Cirencester Park and met Estate Manager. sadly park not suitable for orienteering
- Represented club at Croeso 2012 civic reception
- Coordinated club involvement and helping with Croeso 2012
- Liaised with Erik Peckett and chairman of BOF mapping committee over costs of LIDAR data
- Reviewed alternative sources of LIDAR data
- Met with owner of maize maze at Elton Corner to discuss possible use of the maze
- Planned and run the Chairman's Challenge

**Tasks Progressing**

- New map for Woodchester – on hold pending decision on purchase of LIDAR data
- Seeking a further meeting with FC to understand their longer term felling etc plans, so that we can potentially schedule around FC plans. FC have asked us to wait until the new East Beat Forester has settled in, as he is new to the Forest of Dean.
- Review options for Caddihoe 2014 and SHI
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**Tasks Planned (but not yet started)**

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NOT IN ROLE:

**Tasks Completed**

- Summer series
- NGOC local event organisers guide
- Various articles for Legend
- Ordered OCAD 11 and installed it on club laptop
- Adapted Cranham map and provided a copy with various course to Cranham Scout Centre

**Tasks Progressing**

- Creation of contour base map for Coopers Hill extension to Cranham map
- Preparation of reference materials for area/event archive
- Update fixture list to remove summer series 2012 and add summer series 2013
- Review opportunities for new urban/park maps
- Review new mapping options

**Tasks Planned (but not yet started)**

- Review and possible refresh of website design
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**Name: Caroline Craig**

**Role: Secretary**

Period Covered: May – June 2012

IN ROLE:

**Tasks Completed:**

- Forwarded emails to relevant people and responded to queries where appropriate
- Booked rooms for committee meeting, Paul's planner course and the AGM.

**Tasks Progressing:**  
**Tasks Planned (but not yet started):**

NOT IN ROLE:

**Tasks Completed:**

Planned the Wednesday evening event around Pittville Park

**Tasks Progressing:**

Creating and populating a Facebook "page" (similar to those of other O clubs), migrating information from the "Ngoc Oclub" personal page and informing Mr Oclub's Facebook friends.

**Tasks Planned (but not yet started):**

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**Name: Carol Stewart**

**Role: Treasurer**

Period Covered: July-Sept 2012

IN ROLE:

**Tasks Completed**

Financial report for 10 September

Current account (includes uncleared cheques/monies not banked): £7050.15

Deposit account: £3455.88 (plus about 60p interest due!)

Levies paid up to end of summer series. The summer events attracted SWOA levies of £13.80 but no BOF levy. Overall the summer events brought in a surplus of £606.55

New o-tops: All those pre-ordered have now been collected and paid for. There are 9 left but we will order more.

O-games sales: £80 transferred from our PayPal account. Woodland Trust very appreciative of our £300 donation.

**Tasks Progressing:** 2011/12 accounts in hand. Looks like a loss on the year of about £450, but overall finances are still pretty strong, with over £10000 cash in hand.

**Tasks Planned (but not yet started):** None

NOT IN ROLE:

**Tasks completed:** Put on the 11 August event on Painswick, with a hot sunny day and a large crowd celebrating a birthday (not my cousins, but a family related to a family called Cousins!).

**Tasks Progressing (at time of writing!)** Preparations for BBQ on 8 September

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**Membership secretary:** No report

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**Name: Dave Hartley**

**Role: Fixtures**

Period Covered July 2,2012 – Sept. 10,2012

IN ROLE:

**Tasks Completed**

- Completed Organiser coverage for all 2012/13 events.
- Moved Feb 9. 2013 WNL event to Sallowvallets.
- Updated SINS Editor.
- Referred HOC,BOK,NWO and SWOC TO BOF Fixtures (Diary) re our proposed dates for 2013/14.
- Checked and initiated appropriate amendments to our published 2012/13 fixture lists.

**Tasks Progressing**

- Submitted a suggested 2013/14 Fixture list to Roger for his perusal and copied this to Pat.
- Confirmation required for our Galoppen date in 2014. (Sun 23 Feb 2014??).

**Tasks Planned (but not yet started)**

NOT IN ROLE:

**Tasks Completed**

**Tasks Progressing**

**Tasks Planned (but not yet started)**

To plan & organise WNL 3 event.

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**Mapping Officer:** No report

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**Name:** Pat MacLeod

**Role:** Equipment Officer

Period Covered July-August 2012

IN ROLE:

**Tasks Completed**

- None

**Tasks in Progress**

- Possible requirement from JK2013 to increase the number of results boards available

**Tasks Planned (but not yet started)**

- None
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NOT IN ROLE:

**Tasks Completed**

None

**Tasks Progressing**

**Tasks Planned (but not yet started)**

Refresh and increase number of secure controls for street events

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**Committee Meeting Report**

Name: Greg Best

Role: Captain

Period Covered: Jul 2012 - Aug 2012

IN ROLE:

**Tasks Completed**

- none

**Tasks Progressing**

NOT IN ROLE:

**Tasks Completed**

- Organised summer event at The Park campus
- Organised summer event on Cleeve Hill
- Attended planning course
- Attended controlling (advising) course
- Modification of symbol size on the Crickley Hill map in attempt to make it more legible in the more complex areas.

**Tasks Progressing**

- Crickley Hill permanent course is very nearly complete. The markers have been delivered and I have walked around the site with the warden to show him all the control sites. They will now put them in place. Should be able to open to the public within a month. Warden will notify local schools about it and send press release to local newspapers.

**Tasks Planned**

- Re-make of Cranham map using Lidar data, and extension of the map northwards across the road to include Coopers Hill and other adjacent woodland.
  - Planning of informal event at Hartpury
  - Agreed to be Simon's "advisor" for his Crickley Hill event.
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**Name: Alan Brown**

**Role: Legend Editor**

Period Covered: to September 2012

IN ROLE:

**Tasks Completed**

- Legend for September

**Tasks Progressing**

- Legend for November

NOT IN ROLE:

**Tasks Progressing**

- Have compiled booklet of spoof articles done in the style of well-known authors that have appeared (or will appear) in Legend. Idea is to sell at events to raise money for SW Junior Squad. Jeff Butt, Junior Squad rep. is happy for us to do this. Not sure if there will be any/many takers but the scheme does not entail much work and no outlay in raw materials, apart from keeping a dozen or so copies in stock. If we get reasonable sales may advertise in SINS or other clubs' newsletters. Will start selling at the Chairman's Challenge.
- Forest Challenge. Will start selling again at the Chairman's Challenge. Have raised price by 50p to £8-00 (and postage to £2-00). Will try to sell overseas again this year. Maybe Australia and/or Sweden. Norway and New Zealand last year bought very few copies.

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**Welfare Officer (Gill James) – Nothing to report**

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**Name: Pat MacLeod**

**Role: Development Officer**

Period Covered July-August 2012

IN ROLE:

**Tasks Completed**

Completed Summer series  
Helped at Herefordshire School Games  
Helped at Pied Piper event at Crickley Hill

**Tasks Progressing**

- ⤴ Planning and organising for next year's Summer series events
- ⤴ Investigating use of Elton maize maze for o events
- ⤴ Adding winter programme to BBC Things to Do
- ⤴ Assigning advisers to winter programme
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**Tasks Planned (but not yet started)**

- Engagement with U3A to solicit their interest in O events
- Review BOF Marketing information (in Focus magazine) to consider new development opportunities, such as O on Demand, O for oldies etc

NOT IN ROLE:

**Tasks Completed**

None

**Tasks Progressing**

**Tasks Planned (but not yet started)**

None