

VAC Annual General Meeting

Thursday 23 September 2021 using Zoom

Chair/Secretary's Report

This time last year I think many of us assumed that by the time of the 2021 AGM we would be clear of the pandemic. Unfortunately that has not happened but I am happy to be able to report that VAC has managed to provide some activity for our members this year.

Once again, I would like to thank the committee, which is small in number but extremely hardworking, with members efficiently carrying out allotted tasks without reminders. After last year's AGM Giuseppe Minetti was appointed Track and Field Secretary. Through him we have built up a good relationship with Ben Noad, an event organiser. Ben's services helped us to provide at least some competition in all areas: road walking, road running, field events and track running.

The individual discipline captains will all present detailed reports, so what I say will be brief.

The Committee meets regularly and meetings are well attended. All our meetings have been held via ZOOM.

We have delegates to national Masters' bodies, BMAF and EAMA. They have attended ZOOM meetings and reported back to the Committee regularly.

The Les Brown Trophy, awarded to the member who attends the most events either to officiate or compete, was not awarded for 2020. It will be awarded for 2021.

Inevitably as we are a club representing older athletes, a number of our members will die each year. Since the last AGM, we sadly noted the deaths of Peter Ryan, Mary Worth, Dave Stevens and Maurice Doogan.

Thank you to everyone who has helped make this year a success.

Ros Tabor

VAC Chair/Secretary

22 September 2021