**NARC Zoom Meeting Minutes** 

3<sup>rd</sup> August 2021 @ 19:00

Attendees:

David G7URP, Mark LGJ, Roger LDI, Malcolm PDH, Steve KYA, Sonny SYW, James UKS, James PQF

Jim YLA, Andy NKR, Laura LJD, Chris DWV

David asked everyone for their thoughts on Covid and current climate and possibility on returning to social events.

As a committee deciding on policy regarding Club meetings.

Laura LJD – Club members to be asked when are they ready to attend again. Survey Now or 3 months or 6 months.

Sonny SYW rather wait for other comments

Steve KYA two minds, no reason to not do it lawfully, however how many would not attend or rather not go. Ask members mid-September.

Roger LDI- not likely to attend until the spring. Survey members. NARC Live?

Malcolm PDH- address club members to access likely attendees, would they prefer NARC live or social meeting. Covid back in the winter? January 1<sup>st</sup> 2022 as a possible start date for meetings

Mark LGJ- leave for a couple of months, not a great idea to open then shut again, cost of shop supplies drinks etc, only to throw out again.

Chris DWV- 2 3 months before we do anything. Unlikely to attend until spring

James UKS- a month or so ask members, social meeting every other week with NARC live.

Survey the members for their feelings

Jim YLA- Summer is clouding the Covid numbers as we go to the winter, school is likely to be a hot spot. Timings after the kids go back to school. Use Radio and NARC live in the foreseeable future, canvas to see if members want to return, Autumn - Winter- Spring. We should wait. Jim said he won't be coming back for social events until next year as he is in a very vulnerable group.

Andy NKR- Risks are there regardless of where people go, reduce risk by distancing, sanitising Masks.

Stipulate two jabs...

Other clubs now opening what about us.

Eg. North Norfolk, Coastal, Lowestoft

Committee straw pole on a likely return to Wednesday meetings.

1st September -1 vote

1st January – 4 votes

1<sup>st</sup> April – 7 votes.

David said we can make our own rules regarding the criteria. Hybrid idea of NARC live for talks and social event or local speaker in the school

James PQF- won't be attending club for own reasons and close family shielding. Members should see something done but inform them. Ask what they would like to see or people's opinions.

Sonny SYW- agrees with most comments, NARC Live is a great resource and shouldn't be replaced., however is the club meeting at school actually required? Maybe not?

He has Concerns over environment control, ie the youngsters are the likely carriers so cleanliness is an issue. A third wave is likely coming and we should not rush back. We are not there and commercially no one back in BT until end of September 1 day a week. School have said 21:00 close so maybe we could start early, 18:30. He suggested we can't start too early Most of committee won't be there either. Supplies for tuck shop wasted. He suggested the spring is a likely time to return.

Steve KYA suggested the members don't/ may necessarily want to come back, but are they just inquisitive that they might be missing something.

Scan and use app to attend, the double Jab doesn't stop you getting Covid after vaccination or passing it on. We should be very cautious

David suggests there are several people who are chomping at the bit to get back to club. How-ever we should keep Narc live to keep club together until club can meet.

Sonny, environment control is his biggest concern, until there is a clean building or the virus has gone. David and Tammy have done too good a job of NARC live that we may not be going back to school ever...

Chris- Are we seeing a dramatic change of the school as a meeting point, Camb Hams meet in a Pub once a month, we could do the same with Narc live in between.

David asks about maybe putting on an outside BBQ at his on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup>. Some interested, but... luke warm response, maybe too early or too cold or...

Pre-registration for food and or attending, Own Chairs, strictly outside.

It was suggested a weekend may be better, not ideal on Wednesday, but David's suggestion was only an idea to fill the gap in the NARC calendar.

## NARC live concerns

David worried about speakers and subject matter for NARC Live going forward.

On the discussion on content, it was suggested that we actually have the vacant Wednesday as a zoom forum with points raised by the committee discussed tonight and see what the members actually think.

Wednesday Narc Live meeting where we actually discuss on Zoom where, what and how should the club move forward. What do members see as the new normal for NARC.

Meeting ended 20:25