

**TAY LIAISON COMMITTEE
MEETING HELD IN THE ROYAL DUNKELD
HOTEL ON TUESDAY 8 JUNE 2010**

ATTENDEES

Chairman	A Clark, Strathmore Angling Improvement Assoc.
Recorder	A Stewart, Killin Angling Club.
Secretary/Treasurer	R Stewart, Aberfeldy Angling Club.
Members	D Taylor, Crianlarich Angling Club, H Shearer, Glen Lyon Riparian Owners D Twigg, Loch Tay Users Assoc. G McIntosh, Strathmore Angling Improvement Assoc. J Jeffrey, Stanley and District Angling Club A Ayres, The Grayling Society

APOLOGIES

S Tapley, T Black

The chairman noted that there were 6 voting members present and 3 office bearers.

MINUTES

A Ayre stated that the reference to SEERAD was incorrect. The secretary agreed to look into the matter and correct the reference and address. The minutes were then adopted by H Shearer and seconded by A Stewart.

MATTERS ARISING

A Stewart stated that following from the last meeting that Mr Allen had failed to attend the Killin Angling Club meeting, and the club have nothing further to do with Mr Allen. The secretary stated that since he had heard nothing from DBAA Sir Gavin Lyall's water together with Delvine fishings would be added to the list to be submitted to the Scottish Government.

A Stewart stated that he had made contact with Mr Brown, Innishoarach Estate, and is to contact him early July to have all the paper work completed.

COMMENTS ON FISHING FORUM REPORT

The report was accepted and was very comprehensive. The chair thanked A Stewart for his work in submitting the report.

SECRETARY'S UPDATE

The secretary stated that he had received information that on Prince Edwards Island, Canada, the government have appointed a permanent committee to deal with "beaver problems affecting highways". Apparently the beavers are causing damage to the roads with dams, the felling of trees, contamination of waterways and interfere with migratory fish runs. What will the result be with their introduction in Scotland?

TREASURER'S REPORT

The treasurer stated there were no outstanding bills and we had a healthy bank balance.

WEB SITE UPDATE

A Stewart stated that he was having problems with the soft wear for the maps.

ANY OTHER COMPETENT BUSINESS

A Stewart stated that the Western Catchment Area Report would be submitted sometime in August/September 2010, with 60 to 70 persons being invited..

The secretary stated that The Loch Tay Users Association have nothing in place to prevent a no camping or drinking scheme in their area, and with the proposed bye laws for the Lomond Park area this could well push the problem elsewhere. The Loch Tay Users have looked at the possibility of byelaws but felt it was not a viable proposition. This matter needs further consideration before the problem arises.

A Stewart stated that a motion has been put forward to the Tay District Salmon Fisheries Board to have the salmon season extended to 30 October, this has still to be adopted, but the general consensus of opinion that it was not a good idea and would only benefit the lower beats of the river..

A Ayre stated that a CD on Wild Trout is now available.

D Twigg stated that Mr Jack, the chairman of the Tay District Salmon Fisheries Board attended the AGM of the Loch Tay Users Association..

There being no further business the meeting was closed.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 3 August 2010, in the Royal Dunkeld Hotel at 7.30 p.m.