

Minutes of the Jo bu meeting 11th July 2015

Present: Kristina Poslusna, Dan Silk

Apologies: Al Colebourn (jodo bucho), Andy Watson chaired

Meeting was quorate.

Membership and finance

There was a slow decline in jodo members, but the main issue facing the jodo bu was that it has nearly run out of money, as per the treasurer's report (spare funds at the end of 2014 were around £2k).

The treasurer had previously said that no BKA funding would be available for European championships, but the bu proposed that the BKA will pay for seminar and taikai fees (but not travel and subsistence) – this was agreed subject to good financial results of the summer seminar. There was a great deal of discussion around whether or not the bu should send a squad to the 2015 EJC at all.

No budget for 2016 was presented by bucho, but it was agreed that it will be presented at summer seminar as an EGM.

Gradings

The grading officer reported that two passes fewer than last year <NB didn't catch the numbers>

DRC

The DRC lead (Lesley) reported that discussions were mostly on finances, and that Dave Fanning had been elected new DRC rep.

Complaints

No complaints made.

AOB

Thanks given to elected and unelected bu officers for year. Meeting closed 1230