



*We provide members, especially the young, with ski training and racing to a standard above that which is normally provided by ski school and afford all a unique social connection with the village of "Alpach"*

**MINUTES OF THE ALPBACH VISITORS SKI CLUB ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, 30th DECEMBER 2007  
THE FICHTENSAAL, BÖGLERHOF HOTEL ALPBACH**

The chairman, Maj Gen A denaro CBE opened the meeting at 18:45. Notice of the meeting was accepted

**The Chairman's Report**

The Chairman's Report was presented to the AGM and is attached to these minutes.

**Accounts**

The accounts for the period 30 June 2006 to 30 July 2007 were circulated for approval

Proposed by:       Jeremy Walker  
Seconded by:       Howard Lewis  
The accounts were approved unanimously

**Club Rules**

New Club Rules had been left in the office for inspection by members

Proposed by:       Murray Wildman  
Seconded by:       Jim Hewitt  
The new rules were approved unanimously

There being no further business, the AGM was closed at 18:55hrs.

Tracey Mayrhofer  
Club Secretary  
30:12:2007

## Chairman's Report for 2007

Dear Members

I am happy to report that the Club has had happy and busy Year. We have had 140 trainees through three training weeks. The training weeks are becoming increasingly popular and are being continuously improved. We also had 150 adults taking part in three race events through the year. Training and adult racing will continue throughout the new season

I wanted to take this opportunity update you on some changes that your committee has made to the structure of the AVSC, and to let you know about future events.

### Club Structure

- Dinny has handed over the day to day running of the Club to the committee. She remains Vice President and will continue to have considerable influence both in our strategic direction and the hugely important relationships with the village and people of Alpbach.
- David Spencer is the new Treasurer and will handle all financial matters whilst Tracey Mayrhofer will run the day to day business of the Club in Alpbach.
- Please note the new AVSC address is now:  
c/o Tracey Mayrhofer, Haus Linden 751, A 6236 Alpbach, Tirol, Austria  
and the email address is: [avsc@aon.at](mailto:avsc@aon.at)

### Future Events

- This year is our 40th Anniversary, it will not pass without a celebration and Jackie James and Tracey are co-ordinating our celebrations during the week 29<sup>th</sup> March – 5<sup>th</sup> April. The dinner dance in the Boglerhof on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April is already filling up and at GBP 60 a head and €10 for youngsters coming in after dinner to dance is brilliant value.
- The Junior Training committee, which organised training for over 140 youngsters last year, has a busy and interesting programme for the young at February half term and during the Anniversary week.
- Henry Anstey as the Race Organiser has Invitation, Open and Sledge races planned for the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary week.

Finally there are 4 areas in which I need your help, support and advice:

- Recruiting new members.
- Getting everybody onto the electronic system which saves the Club a huge amount of money (are you all content with the newsletter arriving by this means?)
- Volunteers to help the committee during the year, particularly during the junior training weeks and of course at the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary where we will need help at the various celebrations and gatekeepers during the races.
- Sponsorship for some of the events during the week.

Much look forward to hearing from you.

Major General Arthur Denaro  
Chairman  
30 December 2007