

**REPORT ON THE MEETING HELD ON 12TH AUGUST 2014 AT CORPUS  
CHRISTI C.M.C**

**The meeting started at 20.15 and was attended by 46 members.**

**Derek Smith introduced the guest speakers Trevor Outram and Mark Walsh from DVSA to give an update on the Standards Check as well as Stuart and Daniel from Eco Drivers in Hull.**

Stuart and Daniel have taken their Standards Check tests and fielded questions about what had happened and how they went about it. Q&A and their feelings seemed to be the most important part including the risk assessment. Recapping the Highway Code seemed a good way. Training courses can be a good help.

Trevor started by stating that up to July there have been 2500 Standards Checks completed with a pass rate of 81.8% which is a slight reduction on the check test. It was changed to give ADI's better feedback, giving a broader based assessment increasing the quality of instructors and ultimately learners and all to do with road safety. It is OK to have a trainer or mentor in the car. Discussions held regarding risk assessment and what was involved. Trevor answered any questions from the floor including how you decide what the lesson will be and recaps from previous sessions and lesson planning being appropriate and about whether a debrief is required. There has been a difference regarding feedback between the ADI and examiner meaning with a substandard test that a letter be sent out which is not necessary as the current marking scheme is clearer.

Trevor also brought up the Hermes project and others which are all to do with road safety and that how they are making better drivers. Please don't worry about any tests and Trevor said he is willing to discuss the Standards Check before the test to sort out any issues. The session ended discussing the new Standards Check bookings and charges, instructor part 3 tests are being looked as well as fleet and training licences and changes to the DL25 form. This not going to happen and the old form will still be used. Handheld devices are being looked at and cameras in cars.

Mark Walsh introduced himself and explained he is a test centre manager covering a couple of local test centres.

**After answering all the questions Trevor and the other guests were given the usual round of applause.**

**There then followed a break.**

**Raffle**

372 – Kevin Black, 414 – Wayne Harrison, 392 – Mark Walsh (DVSA), 399 – Harry Hinchcliffe and 230 – Mike Bell.

**Bonus Ball**

12/7 – 34 – Tony Chadwick, 19/7 – 40 – Adam Smith, 26/7 - 11 – No Winner, 2/8 – 25 – Andrea Siviter and 9/8 – 10 – No Winner.

**Business Meeting (29 people present)**

**Apologies**

These were received from Paul Pritchard.

### **New Members**

Jerry Booth, Clare Wilson, Deborah Thompson and Nicola Walsh.

### **Minutes of meeting held on 8<sup>th</sup> July 2014**

No minutes as it was a quiz night.

### **Matters Arising**

None. PS raised whether people were receiving the minutes. The reply was that some people are not receiving them and they cannot be found on the website.

### **ADINJC Update**

Peter Scott reported that 6 December is a National Association Day and that there are posters up for the Annual Conference and is on Sunday 12 October.

### **Correspondence**

New LDIA secretary required to take over next year. Anyone interested?  
Standards Check workshop being held 4 September at Corpus Christi CMC for £5.00 for a full day event starting at 9am.

### **Treasurer's Update**

Chris mentioned that the accounts are very healthy. The books are available as per normal if anyone wants to have a look.

### **DLSAS Update**

No claims at the moment. Mike Bell has 6 or 7 acceptance certificates to hand out and we have 4 members who are not eligible for the scheme as haven't paid their subs.

Peter Scott suggested that a brief explanation of the scheme be told to inform the new members. Members pay £5.00 per week for up to six weeks. First two weeks are covered by sick note and there is a £30.00 joining fee. MB has forms and T&C's if anyone interested.

DS brought up request from Martin Fisher School of Motoring to see if we would allow him to set up a similar scheme as has 98 members. It was discussed that this would only be possible for other associations and not companies. To be discussed at committee meeting.

### **Social Secretary's Report**

Golden Ball need more people as we currently only have 21 people who have put their names down as we have had a few drop out. Discussions to be held at committee meeting. Are there any menus available?

### **Ongoing Business**

None

### **New Business**

None

### **AOB**

None

**The meeting closed at 10.25**