

Committee Annual Report

1. The Association was established on 10 January 2010 under a constitution adopted by the pre-existing Course Measurement Working Party (CMWP). The principal aim of the Association is to establish and maintain a system for the accurate measurement and certification of road race courses in the UK.
2. The Association maintains two websites. The AUKCM website at <http://aukcm.org.uk/> is the administrative website for the Association. It gives general information about the Association and includes notices and minutes of meetings. It also includes a number of historical documents relating to course measurement.
3. The UK Course Measurement website at <http://coursemeasurement.org.uk/> is the main reference source for course measurement in the UK. It provides access for race directors, runners and course measurers to details of measurements, measurers and certificates. It also includes basic information on requirements for measurement, an online theory seminar for training potential measurers and general information about course measurement. The webmaster is Mike Sandford.
4. During the year the online administrative and certification system already in use in the South has been redesigned and extended to include the Midlands. Work is now in hand to include Wales (expected to be complete by the end of 2010) and will then start on adding the North (during 2011).
5. CMWP members had a liaison meeting with RunBritain on 23 June. The RunBritain notes of the meeting are available on the website. This is expected to be an annual meeting.
6. Practical seminars for prospective measurers have been held in Abingdon, Cardiff and Bristol, resulting in the addition of 6 new Grade 2 measurers - 2 in the South, 1 in the Midlands and 3 in Wales.
7. The CMWP are supporting Wales during the transfer of records to the online system, while Wales is temporarily without a measurement secretary.
8. The following served on the CMWP during the year:
 - Hugh Jones (Chairman)
 - Phil Holland (Secretary, ACMS Midlands to April)
 - Mike Sandford (ACMS South, Webmaster)
 - Kym Wheeler (ACMS Midlands from May)
 - Alan Ritchie (ACMS North)
 - John Glover (ACMS N Ireland)
 - Alan Young (ACMS Scotland)
 - Tim Gasser (ACMS Wales to April)
 - Paul Hodgson (IAAF measurer)
 - Invited Member (non-voting):
 - Bill Reynolds (RunBritain)