Crossfire Gaming Club - Cumbernauld

Committee Meeting - 24/03/2024

Meeting Details

Meeting of Crossfire Gaming Club, Cumbernauld Committee. The meeting was held at Wintonhill Farmhouse, Tranent, on the 24th March 2024 at 15:00

Attendees

- Voting members in attendance: Chris Mooney, Curtis Walker, Simon Lewis, Richard Bayfield, Stephen Bannerman, Daniel Fegent & Neil Woodward
- Members not in attendance: N/A

Agenda

- Officially welcome new Committee member Neil Woodward
- Update on meeting with Wellspring Development Trust
- Holiday Booking Schedule (easter/Summer) submitted to council. Backup plans?
- Club Events Calander for 2024
- Feedback from recent discord survey
- Website and continued updates
- Expenses considerations
- National Lottery Funding submission
- Cumbernauld Village Hall Asset Transfer

Discussions

- Neil confirmed and welcomed as full Crossfire committee member. Club roles to be discussed at a later meeting.
- Hoodies for members. £35 per hoodie agreed Pre orders and cut off date. Members to prepay in full.
- Members want to order their own club dice. £25 per set agreed. Preorder and cut off date. Members to prepay in full.
- Order extra dice for prizes. Club to pay for. Group in sets of 10 for the prizes.
- Any appetite for different types of dice. D10s etc
- Desire for club branded objective markers.
- Desire for club branded dice trays depending on cost.
- Crossfire require to have a role on community council to ensure progress of hall negotiations with North Lanarkshire council
- North Lanarkshire council require the hall to be prebooked for 25hours per week before consideration of opening in the holidays. May then consider opening in school opening times.
- If we booked multiple rooms in the same evening would that count. For example 15hours on a Thursday evening spread between the hall and the downstairs rooms.

- We are open and willing to find any way to make the hall work, including asset transfers and "peppercorn" rents
- National lottery community funding denied in relationship to the hall itself.
- Need to focus on a summer solution, the purchase and or occupation of the hall will need to be a post summer solution due to the envisaged time to sort through particulars and the known slow movement of North Lanarkshire Council on the issue to date.
- Current plan B for summer remains Muirfield or the British Legion. Both considered extremely sub optimal for operations of the club at current level
- 40k and Age of Sigmar events are in motion
- Horus Heresy Campaign on hold for now due to current club busy schedule
- Old World Community currently running their own event. Very Successful example of community engagement at the club
- Old world requires a web page due to unforeseen popularity
- Lots of desire in the club for weekend events as well as social events. Sporadic club social events have been very popular. Lots of appetite for more among our community.
- Crossfire Geekend event, considered not workable
- Warhammer World club Trip. Positive initial reactions. Considering August
- Crossfire hosting a "carronade" style event. 2025 target to organise this
- Star Trek new game has been preordered, Delivery expected 2 months
- Carronade is on May the 4th. Club has a table booked. We will be doing a Necromunda campaign. Discussed which terrain to take, agreed on the modular orange terrain. All to confirm availability. Chris confirmed to be there all day, Curtis for full day, and Stephen at least 2 or 3 hours. Dan confirmed unavailable.
- Chris to print bounty hunter figures to use and also give out to players of the game. Community member to paint a selection.
- Asking Clare and Cara if they would like to be involved. Women in gaming.
- New work on website. Mantic games good for backlinks and authority if we play their games at the club. Halo game releasing, should the club buy in to a box? Other games, Walking dead, Deadzone/firefight, kings of war
- Bolt action and Horus Heresy pages needed
- Our custom rulesets we create could be a good source of interest in the website
- People not clearing up when asked, resulting in rushing and keeping caretaker back.
- Boardgame Kris does a lot for that aspect of the community. Potential for club to show appreciation.
- Club so busy that payment collection can take quite a while. Point of sale kiosk from SUMUP could streamline this process.

Actions

- Organise preorders for all club merchandise hoodies & Dice definitely.
- Survey club for interest in other dice types
- Curtis to Source pricing on Objective markers & Dice trays
- Arrangements for the summer holidays relocation of the club. Better Plan B

- Simon & Chris to continue liaising with the councillor and Community Council regarding the hall and asset transfer options
- Require a report on expenditure for the lottery so we can apply again. Simon to collate.
- Write old world page for website
- Dan to write Bolt Action page for website
- Richard to write Horus Heresy page for website
- Paint minis for Carronade
- Invite Clare & Cara to carronade
- Encourage people to write google reviews. Any committee who haven't already to write.
- Put our custom rules on website
- Community engagement. Encourage member articles.
- Update infinity wall rules.
- Organise more social events, Cinema, pub visits, Warhammer world
- Source a gong to alert club members to finish up. Ensure members know it's a strict pack up at 9.45pm
- Amazon voucher for Kris to show our thanks for all his continued efforts.
- Purchase point of sale once fuds better. Simon to keep us updated.

Closing

Date and time of next meeting: End of June (Date, time and location TBC)

Club Secretary Approval of meeting close confirmed

Club Chair Approval of meeting close confirmed

Meeting adjourned at 16:30