

Purchase of quad gates and branded flags for club nights at Impington

Minutes of discussions, e-mails and decision regarding the purchase of equipment with club funds.

Thanks for the input on the subject of quad gates and flags. Everyone who has replied is in favour of the plan, so I have asked Daniel to deal with the purchase using £200 from club funds plus the £45 grant money left over from the original July 2020 council grant.

This will allow us to buy the following in time for the summer season -

- 4 quad racing gates
- 1 large IVCMAC branded feather flag 2.8 metres tall with post
- 4 IVCMAC branded 3ft x 2ft flags

The objective is twofold -

1. We can encourage safe drone flying away from the main RC and FF areas. We have lots of new drone flyers - especially juniors and young members and we want to encourage this in a safe and considerate way.
2. The branded flags can be used for the Ray Malmstrom cup at Girton and at any other events like the Girton fete and the Birthday Bash to publicise the club.

Regarding locations for the various disciplines on Friday evenings, John Clarke, Daniel and I will refine the guidelines for Friday evening outdoor flying at IVC over the next few weeks and make sure everyone is aware before the resumption of our Friday evening sessions.

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