



Minutes of Meeting held at Littlebourne Cricket Club
on
15th March 2018

Present:

James McCrossan (Littlebourne CC), Mark Parnell(St Margarets CC), Paul Button (Walmer CC), Jenna Baker (Elham Valley CC), Kavan Risby (Elham Valley CC), Dan Bryant (Elham Valley CC), Stephen Thompson (Deal Vics), Chris Searle (Deal Vics CC), Duncan Bernard (Folkestone CC), Philip Payne (Hawkinge CC).

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| 1.0 | Apologies | Action |
| 1.1. | Apologies were received from Alwyn Fernades (Folkestone CC) & Martin Cobb (Hythe CC)
(Note: AL's email arrived after the meeting due to internet problems and so AL's comments will be noted in the following minutes in the appropriate places.) | |
| 2.0 | Previous Minutes | Action |
| 2.1. | The previous minutes we accepted as a true record of the meeting | |
| 3.0 | Matters Arising | |
| 3.1. | Item 2.5 – PP sated that Martin Cobb has sent an e-mail to all Hythe members requesting volunteers to take on committee roles. PP asked all attending to sound out their membership as well. | ALL |
| 3.2. | Item 2.6 – PB explained that, in order for him to take on the role of Treasurer, he would first have to relinquish his post as Treasurer for Dover District Development Group. PB added that he was going to call an EGM to re-elect officers and then to discuss the dissolution of the Group and then to distribute funds between the clubs active in the Group. PB also stated that he would suggest some of the funds be donated to the SSL to help with the cost of medals. | PB |
| 3.3. | PP stated that he has tried to contact Clive Towe, the chairman of DDDG but without success. | |
| 4.0 | Chairman's Report | |
| 4.1. | PP wished to thank all those attending. | |
| 4.2. | PP also thanked Littlebourne CC for hosting the meeting. | |
| 4.3. | PP reported that the Indoor League has been going well from all reports | |

and that there were two weeks to go.

5.0 Treasurer's Report

- 5.1. The Treasurer's Report was e-mailed in his absence. The points raised are as follows:
- 5.2. AL attached the latest accounts which can be e-mailed upon request.
- 5.3. AL reported that everyone has now paid for the outdoor season.
- 5.4. AL stated that currently SSL have £1,816.49 in the account
- 5.5. AL explained that we have one more payment to make to Three Hills of £225 for the hire of the hall for the Indoor League.

6.0 AOB

- 6.1. AL reported that there is a thrilling end to the Indoor season with everything hinging of the results of the last matches in the U11 and U13s
- 6.2. AL pointed out that a venue and date needed to be agreed for end of season awards
- 6.3. Wallace Laker funeral will take place on Friday 23rd March at 2pm at Elham Church followed by an open invitation to the wake which will be held at the Three Hills Sports Park, Cheriton Road, Folkestone. All are welcome!
- 6.4. AL stated that Three Hills have given him the £35 cash to return to Elham – AL said he can pay it into their bank account - just need sort code and account number
- 6.5. AL reported that so far only Elham have come up with a date for their Kwik Cricket tournament!
- 6.6. PB stated that Walmer CC will be running their U9's tournament on 5th August as their pre-cursor to their Cricket Week. The exact time has yet to be agreed. PB explained that it is their intension to run it on a 'round-robin' basis unless the weather intervenes. PB requested entries are received by 31st Maty at the latest. There will be a maximum of 8 teams so it will be on a 'first come, first served' basis.
- 6.7. KR explained that Elham are having their committee meeting next week and they should then be able to confirm when they will be holding an

U9's tournament.

- 6.8. PP stated that the rules will be placed on the web site for the U9's. PP suggested that the incorporation of boundaries will be up to the individual clubs hosting a tournament as the layout of the pitches may not easily allow boundaries.
- 6.9. PB pointed out that an e0-mail has been sent out by ECB highlighting over 200 rule changes. However, few of these are relevant to the SSL.
- 6.10. BP referred to one rule change which stated that for U11'S a full toss would be counted as a no ball. PB suggested that this could cause some difficulties in relationship to whether yorkers should be counted as no balls or not. PP undertook to contact James Moss regarding which rules
- 6.11. the SSL need to incorporate. PP
- 6.12. PP wished to thank AL for getting the fixtures sorted out and uploaded onto the website.
- 6.13. PP stated that he was not aware of any problems with the running of the Indoor League this winter. PB explained that the scoreboard was not working the previous week and that there have been some issues with broken or poor quality stumps being provided. It was also pointed out that one week the youngsters went back to the changing room after their game to find it had been occupied by the men's hockey . PP pointed out that this was a safeguarding issue. PB explained that the 3 Hills management were aware of the problem and have taken action to prevent this reoccurring.
- 6.14. JM asked whether pink balls are to be used again for the U15's. PP stated that they are and would discuss the acquisition of these balls with AL.

7.0 Date of Next Meeting

- 7.1. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 4th July 2018 @ 7.30 at Deal Victoria CC.