

SOUTH WEALD CRICKET CLUB

Minutes of Annual General Meeting held at Sandpit Lane on Friday 29 November 2019.

Start of Meeting

Meeting started at 8.30 p.m.

In Attendance

John Lowe, Pat Stroud, Howard Imbert, Matt Long, Jeremy Watson, Lee Austin, Dom Pye, Greg Abbott, Rob Hull, Bob Price and Mike Bailey.

Apologies for Absence

Nick Watson, Bruce Marshall, John Pye, Andy Parish, Adam Chambers, James Long, Andrew Stroud, Gareth Pope, Peter Stroud, Duncan Stainer and Matt Imbert.

Minutes of the 2018 AGM

Distributed in advance of the meeting.

Matters Arising from the 2018 AGM

JL reiterated potential use of the pit alongside Sandpit Lane as a fund raising opportunity.

Chairmans Report (given by Pat Stroud)

See Summary.

Treasurers Report (given by Jeremy Watson in Nick's absence)

See Commentary and Accounts. Potential shortfall in finances of £1,600 which needs to be addressed.

LA suggested increasing match fees to £15 if players had not paid annual subscriptions.

Meeting felt some members were paying match fees through the bar using the card reader. This practice should stop as it confuses bar activity and understates match fees paid. Post-match team sheets suggested by NW which should be sent for his attention by captains.

100 Club Report

HJI explained we currently have 65 members which raises approximately £700 each year towards club funds. Plan is to aim for 100 members.

ML asked who is eligible to join the 100 Club. HJI confirmed all members are eligible to join at a cost of £2 per month or £24 per annum per membership.

RH suggested putting a membership poster up in the bar and promoting membership to expand membership to 150 or even 200 subscriptions.

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Election of President

John Lowe. Proposed unanimously. PS reiterated the President is an honorary position within the club which JL is worthy of the role.

Election of Officers

See enclosed Summary of Elections – AS and AC to confirm if they wish to continue in their roles.

Review of Subscriptions & Teas

Increase of £100 proposed subject to confirmation from Committee following approaches to local Companies for Sponsorship packages.

Correspondence

None.

Any Other Business

Winter nets booked by DP from January Sunday mornings (10 to 11) and Wednesday evenings (8 to 9) from third week in January for 13 weeks. Total cost £614.

Social Media

You tube Channel (VL)
Instagram (VL)

Fund Raising

JL happy to share his ideas ... race nights, raffles and making president's day public showcasing what the club has to offer.

Home cricket tour suggested by LA. JL suggested inviting teams from France and Netherlands to boost bar income.

SWCC Flag

JL has generously donated a bespoke club flag. HJI to source a 6m flag pole.

The Meeting closed at 10.35pm.