



Committee Meeting - 7th February 2024 7.30pm Manor Health and Rackets Club.

Minutes

Attendees: Jonathan Brooks, Ray Patrick, Jo Wallis, Gill Ford, Vic Malysz, Annette Hayden, Ben Slater, Finlay Stott
Other: Helen Wilson

1 - Minutes of previous meeting and matters arising.

The minutes were taken as a true and accurate record.

Submit copy for website

Action: JB

2 - Secretary.

A number of people interested in serving on the committee attended the meeting. The various roles were discussed with the following roles potentially allocated :-

Chair - Vic Malysz

Secretary - Annette Hayden

League Secretary - Ben Slater

Treasurer - Dean Gregory

Development/Coaching - Finlay Stott

Social Secretary - Jake Bamber

County Captain - Marcus Thomas

Review the templates sent by ES for inclusion in our governance submission.

Action: JB

3 - Treasurer.

Since last mtg: Expenditure - £120 (Intercounty entries).
 Income - £210 (League fees).
 Balance - £9986.

Only one club still has winter league fees outstanding.

Action: RP

4 - Website.

Historical results data has been supplied to 'Squash Levels'. We are currently waiting for a response which would then enable us to link this on the website.

We have received a request from Debbie Rogers to include a list of coaches on the website. This was discussed and we settled on having a link on the website that took you straight to the list of Derbyshire coaches on the ES website.

5 – Leagues.

Send out details for entry in to the summer leagues, entry fee will be kept the same £25. **Action: GF**

6 – Welfare.

Nothing to report.

7 – Development.

We have agreed to assist with the funding of Finlay Stott to enable him to become a level 3 coach.

8 – Juniors.

The junior players at Duffield and Ashbourne are still progressing, the new representatives from Duffield felt there should be more structured development for junior players.

Jo commented that it is good to hear that there are now enough juniors again to consider a county wide structure. Jo has the previous county junior development plan from 2019 (just pre-Covid), if the new committee would find this useful.

Action: JW/VM/FS

9 – Closed & KO Cup.

Following discussions on the likelihood of Duffield being available to host the Closed, it was decided to hold it at The Manor. Possible dates are 23rd/24th March or 20th/21st April. Following a discussion with Helen the April date was selected. Helen and Phil have agreed to run it.

Action: HW

10 – County Squads.

We have entered three teams, MO65-Rob Lathbury, MO45-Dean Gregory and MO35-Mark Hambly.

11 – Racketball.

The Manor has an internal league of seven teams.

12 – Any other business.

A date for the AGM was discussed and Wednesday 19th June 2024 was agreed (venue probably Duffield).

Date of next meeting: 30th April 2024 (venue probably Duffield).

J Brooks
27th February 2024