

# Faringdon Tennis Club

## Committee Meeting Minutes



Venue, date and time: Clubhouse, Wed 14 Sep 2016, 7.00pm  
 Those present: Susanna, Mark, Alan, Juliane, Sjoerd, Steve Perry, Matt Williams  
 Apologies: Kate, Steve Pugh, Sam

|  | Items Discussed   | Actions   |
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|  | Minutes of previous meeting – signed  | Mark  |
| Financial                              | Steve provided the balance sheet for the accounts in preparation for the AGM. Sj will put it on the website, so it is available to view prior to the AGM  | Steve   |
| Diary Dates and Social Events for 2016 | <p>Club Tournament on Sun 4 Sep was the best attended social event to date with approximately 50 people present. A huge thank you to Steve Pugh and Alan for the organisation and enormous trophies!</p> <p>Sun 30 Oct, 10.30-12.30 Tennis Social, Halloween theme Bacon Butties!</p> <p>April 2017 New Season Social at cricket club to meet members, sign up for teams/tournament – to become an annual event</p>   | <p>Juls/ Alan<br/>Susanna<br/>Steve<br/>Pugh</p> <p>Juls/<br/>Susanna</p> |
| Tennis Courts/<br>Club House           | <p>Drainage to be improved on pathway next to courts for next winter. This is District Council's responsibility and the club will pay 50%. Sj is in contact with them.</p> <p>Alan borrowed score boards for the tournament and will do so again but the club decided against purchasing them for regular use, as they are not used for league matches at other clubs.</p> <p>Alan is going to repair the 4 net fixture systems as they are broken and sticking, making it difficult to get the net to the correct height.</p> <p>Susanna reported a couple of cases of ladies slipping on the court surface due to a combination of wet courts and humid weather.<br/>The club has a sinking fund for cleaning/resurfacing the courts and maintenance is very important.</p> | <p>Sj/Alan</p> <p>Alan</p>  |
| Team Clothing                          | Mark is keen to get team kit for the club and Sj is speaking to a lady locally who will embroider the team logo onto any item of clothing. Details to follow  | Sj  |
| AGM                                    | <p>Reports need to be produced in preparation for the AGM on Fri 23 Sep. These will be put on the website by Sj a few days prior to the AGM.</p> <p>Mark - Chairman's Report<br/>Anne - Match Report</p>  |   |

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|                           | <p>Matt – Coaching Report<br/>         Alan – Junior coaching<br/>         Susanna – adult coaching<br/>         Alan is going to do a quiz after the AGM.<br/>         Juls to ask Anne to provide nibbles.</p>   |      |
| Rogers<br>Longjohn        | <p>Mark has asked Rogers to do the LTA Safeguarding course and provide a DBS, if he wishes to continue to coach his children's tennis peers.</p>   |      |
| New Coaching<br>Structure | <p>Alan is ready to cut back on his coaching duties.<br/>         Matt Williams is going into business with Mark Thomas, who works locally as a coach and is a member of Uffington tennis club.<br/>         They are proposing 5 new junior groups on a Monday and Tuesday after school, which Mark Thomas will set up and coach initially. They are using a new payment system, Stripe, via Clubspark, which should benefit both the players and club.<br/>         Matt to provide details of the new system for the AGM. He cannot be present at AGM but Sj will post the details on the website</p> |      |
| New Coach                 | <p>Tom Wilsdon is a coach who has just moved to Faringdon and he is keen to do some coaching at the club. Alan and Matt to speak to him with regard to coaching opportunities.</p>   |      |
| Netball                   | <p>Juliane will be starting adult netball training on Thursdays, 7-8pm, which will run through until March.</p>  |      |
| Meetings-2016             | <p>All committee meetings will be at the clubhouse at 7pm.<br/>         Fri 23 Sep AGM and Quiz:<br/>         Tue 6 Dec</p>  | Mark |

Signed by:

Dated:  
 Mark Mobey (Chairman)