

# Faringdon Tennis Club

## Committee Meeting Minutes



Venue, date and time: Susanna's House, Wed 1 Sep 2010, 8.00pm  
 Those present: Don Cain, Susanna Hunt, Sjoerd Vogt, Juliane Spiers, Alan Elbourn, Mark Mobey, Steve Perry  
 Apologies: Lin Ross, Anne Sawyer, Dave Weston

|                                 | Items Discussed                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Actions          |
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|                                 | Minutes of previous meeting – signed                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Sjoerd           |
| Financial                       | Current account: £10,014.68<br>Deposit account: £23,723.17                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Lin              |
| Relocation                      | Refer to website for information & update                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Anne             |
| Social Activities               | The Wimbledon Draw at Corn Exchange has been booked for 3-5pm on Sat 7 May, 2011.                                                                                                                                                                           | Susanna and Juls |
| Wooden Racket Tournament        | Pat enjoyed her morning and Alan wrote a wonderful article for the Folly                                                                                                                                                                                    | Alan             |
| Quiz at Portwell                | Tennis Quiz at Portwell in Jan/Feb – tbc.                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Susanna / Juls   |
| Social Tennis Evenings          | 2 or 3 Tuesday evenings in April/May/June with Pimms – dates tbc                                                                                                                                                                                            |                  |
| Photos                          | Club Contacts Notice Board, and on web too                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Steve            |
| Maintenance                     | Court lines have been painted and will last 6 yrs<br>Brooms purchased. Suggestion box in place.<br>Anne to be in charge of consumables: Tea/coffee/squash etc<br>Members can then have a coffee after a game.<br>Alan has tidied clubhouse ready for winter | Alan<br>Anne     |
| Coaching and Junior development | Lin to set up separate Junior Club Account<br>3 sets of orange court lines have been purchased<br>Mini junior tournaments to take place in Sep and Nov at FCC                                                                                               | A, M, S          |
| Child Protection                | Rachel Kenyon is our Child Protection Officer                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                  |
| Clubmark                        | Mark is due to meet with LTA end of Sep so needs our sheets back by mid Sep                                                                                                                                                                                 | Mark             |
| Junior Tennis                   | Matt Williams is a qualified coach who is going to be in Faringdon for the next year and wants to pursue performance coaching.<br>He is the new Men's A Team captain and Alan will speak to him about being on the committee                                | Alan             |
| Junior Passport                 | To ensure continuity between Junior and Senior tennis, it has been agreed that a 'Junior Passport' be introduced to give Juniors who are competent with yellow ball and mature enough to understand court etiquette the opportunity to join social          | Alan             |

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|                     | tennis sessions. This would also help boost attendance. Alan will be responsible for allocating the 'Junior Passport'.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                  |
| Membership Issues:  | Only new members to the club are entitled to reduced membership for part of the year. Existing members need to renew in full. Some members have still not renewed. Feedback form will be attached to next year's membership form<br>Committee will recommend that subscriptions remain the same for 2011                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Sjoerd           |
| Preparation for AGM | Talk to Pia Sondergeld (C team captain) and Matt Williams to see if they wish to join the committee. Dave Weston is to step down.<br>Match Secretaries Reports to be brief, with final team positions, rather than a report from every captain.<br>Coaching Report mainly about Juniors with brief resume of adult coaching<br>AGM Reports will be available to read on website from Mon 19 Sep, prior to AGM.<br>Agreed to have AGM-Business in Old Town Hall 8-9pm; followed by informal socialising in Portwell Angel. | Susanna/<br>Alan |
| AOB                 | Delta Tennis Centre is offering local clubs the option of Sat evening tennis for very reasonable prices. Alan to attend meeting and give committee feedback                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Alan             |
| Next Meeting        | AGM Fri Sep 24 – 8-9pm at Old Town Hall; 9pm onwards at Portwell Angel                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | ALL              |
| Subsequent Meetings | Wed 8 Dec at Susanna's house at 8pm                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                  |
| 2011 Dates          | Feb 9 <sup>th</sup> , June 8 <sup>th</sup> , Aug 30 and AGM, Sep 23                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                  |

Signed by:

Dated:

Sjoerd Vogt (Chairman)