

Faringdon Tennis Club

Committee Meeting Minutes



Venue, date and time: Clubhouse, Tue 5 Sep 2017, 7.00pm
 Those present: Susanna, Mark, Alan, Sjoerd, Steve Perry, Sam, Kate, Steve P, Matt, Juls
 Apologies: None!

	Items Discussed	Actions
	Minutes of previous meeting – signed	Mark
Financial	Steve circulated a balance sheet which will be updated for the AGM.	Steve
Diary Dates and Social Events for 2017	<p>Sat 9 Sep – 10-2pm – Club Championships Final 10.00 Mens and Ladies Doubles 12.00 Singles 13.00 Mixed Doubles</p> <p>Sun 29 Oct – 10.30-12.30 – Monster Smash, Halloween – (Benenden box of goodies in kitchen cupboard)</p> <p>Anne to do the catering for these events</p>	<p>Juls/ Alan Susanna Steve Pugh</p> <p>Anne S</p>
Tennis Courts/ Club House	<p>Floodlights: These have been repaired (we await the bill) and shades added. We are looking to install lights on Courts 3 and 4 in autumn 2018. Sj explained that Pathfinder, 10% is for getting to the courts, training mode is approx 70% and we will rarely need the lights at 100%. A touch screen is going to be installed in the clubhouse. Alan suggested that a socket in the store cupboard would be useful to recharge the portable floodlights, to be used for the mini red courts. Ray Elbourn, who is doing the work on the foot path will be away and therefore the work will be completed for next winter, not this winter.</p>	<p>Sj/Mark</p> <p>Alan</p> <p>Sj</p>
Club Logo	Kate brought some examples and it was agreed that she would produce 2 choices of logo, agreed by the committee, to be put to the vote at the AGM	Kate H
AGM Fri 22 Sep	<p>7-8 AGM at Clubhouse 8-10pm – Alan's Quiz Anne to do the catering</p> <p>Chairman, Treasurer and Secretary are all happy to continue in their roles Reports Required: Chairman, Treasurer, Coaching Team, Match Secretary</p>	
Netball	Netball training will begin Thu 28 Sep, 7-8pm on Cts 1 and 2	

New Committee Members	<p>Although the current committee are all happy to continue, it was felt that it would be a good idea to encourage some new members. The following are to be approached:</p> <p>Dave Curzon – lead Men's Match Practice</p> <p>Steve Wright – manage scores/deadlines for Club Tournament</p> <p>Roger Starr – maintenance, whilst Alan is away</p> <p>Sian Starr and Joyce Wright – social events</p> <p>We need someone to be Welfare Officer</p>	
Coaching	<p>Mark Thomas is due to do the LTA Initiative for Mini Red children, Tue and Wed evenings. The groups are almost full. He is not so well again, so he may get Guy and Max to assist him.</p> <p>Matt is doing his Boys teenage groups and Men's Wed pm group. He noted that he is can no longer be the Welfare Officer, as well as being a coach. We need to appoint a new Welfare Officer and also a Health and Safety Officer.</p> <p>Matt is also available to give ad hoc coaching sessions to the Mens' and Ladies' teams, as and when they require it.</p> <p>Captains (there are 8 this winter) are encouraged to take advantage of this.</p> <p>Susanna is doing a Girl's group, Mondays 4-5pm</p> <p>Also, holding 2 Ladies Taster Sessions, Sat 23 and 30 Sep, 9-10am to encourage more members.</p> <p>Guy Mobey is going to take his coaching qualification. He is currently a Tennis Coaching Assistant, 'hitting' with certain members for pocket money.</p> <p>Alan will be going to Spain for Oct/Nov so will not be available for coaching during these months.</p> <p>Tom Wilsdon lives locally and may be approached to help out with the LTA initiative if required</p>	
Football Request	The coach of the U9 boy's football team has requested an hour's training under floodlights on Courts 1 and 2, Tues 5-6pm. Sj would like to accommodate him if possible. The club would charge £20/hr. We would not be able to take any further groups, as this would restrict members from playing.	Sj
Guy Mobey	Congratulations to Guy who is the County U18 singles champion. The committee would like Mark to do a photo and article for the Folly. Guy is also a very keen club member, who plays for the Men's A Team and is in the Club Championships Singles Final on Sat.	Mark
Dots on Court 4	There are some white paint spots which have been used to mark out an Orange court on Ct 4. Alan is going to paint over them.	Alan
Meetings-2017	All committee meetings will be Tuesdays at the clubhouse 7pm Friday 22 Sep – AGM, 7-8pm and Quiz 8-10pm Dec 5 – next meeting	Mark

Signed by:

Dated:
Mark Mobey (Chairman)