

Committee Meeting 10th January 2024 by Zoom @2030

Present: Tony B, Mary L, Jim T, Simon C, Jason N, Stew G, Dawn D, Leanne T, Michelle C, Gary

Apologies: Alan T, Stephen C

Chair: Welcomed and thanked all for attending

Treasurer: Balance £1595.91 - Storm owes £10 subs outstanding

Comps Sec: Individuals draw will be done at next league game – Monday 15th Jan

Ladies' individuals will be a round robin on 1st Feb.

Jim Wilson entry form is now on website. This will take place on 5th May at the Cock – can Tony organise “shifting team”? Entry fee £10, pairs entry is free.

Finals Day will be on 4th May at the Cock

Northants Open will be on 25th/26th May at the Cock. \$ pin on 25th, Open on 26th Entry fee is £11 for Open £10 for 4 pin or £20 for both.

Social Sec: Tried to contact race night guy still waiting to hear. Possibly taking place March or April.

County Sec: A team won 2nd leg of Inter Area semi-final and are in final which will be against Witney A. This team has reached the final in last 4 years.

B team nothing to report.

C team still trying to arrange game against Reading – hopefully both legs to be played last weekend in January – still not confirmed.

Inter Area: Change of format being proposed

. Currently there is a Main Shield and C team cup. Proposal is to scrap these and have 3 divisions – A teams- Div 1, B teams- Div 2, C teams- Div 3. Unanimous decision to accept this proposal

Secretary: Martin Attwill raised question about the table that was in Foundryman's now being in the Golden Horse... therefore should we approach re trying to get another team playing there? Dawn spoke to someone who uses Golden Horse and apparently table not in there.

Red Lion asked whether we should reinstate 2 scorers per game? This to be left to Captain's discretion at the start of each game. Also asked whether away team should be allowed to practise on away table before match. This would have to be put as a proposal at the AGM. There is no precedent in Inter area matches however.

A.O.B. Lorin asked whether Tony and Jim were entering WBBA comp on 3rd/4th Feb which is nearly full. Answer was affirmative.

Dawn reported that getting community funding for league was unlikely as we cross 2 council authorities.

Meeting closed at 2110