

HYPHE & DIBDEN CRICKET CLUB

COMMITTEE MEETING NOTES

5th October 2022 7.30 p.m.



1.	Apologies – Martin Duell Attendees – Mike Bowman, Dawn Bowman, Ian Prentice, Susan Froggett, Debs Jones, Jonjo Stovell, Shaun Moss, Steve Taylor, Andy Addleton, Steve Chiverton, Matt Young, Jamie Fletcher (via Zoom)	
2.	Last Minutes and review of actions	
	Last minutes reviewed and action points updated. Plumber for flue and programming showers – this Sat. Grant meeting with S Jones hasn't taken place. Applied for volunteer recognition grant, no result yet. Registered with DEFRA as user of pesticides. Registered for food hygiene cert, see below. JS not yet bought till.	
3.	Finances	
	Better position than last year but electricity now £414 per month doubled from last year; Gas £13.64 standing charge only. Discussion on what is using energy as showers switched off – fridges? Do we need to provide showers for football team? Cost becoming prohibitive. Programme timers for Sat football? Ask plumber to look at this on Sat? Look at radiator being on during winter with thermostat placed in cold part of club. Ask council if we have to provide showers for football. Grant received from Council towards groundwork.	MB IP
4.	Teams 2023	
	MB – we should still have 4 teams, we're not the only club that had to call off games because of lack of player availability. Don't want to tell people who have been with the club for a long time that they can't play, IP - will also stop colt development as they come through the 4 th team into adult cricket – this is essential. People have answered the ECB 'end of season' questionnaire regarding any struggles we've had, SC - league are doing fixtures now and going to put 4 th team in central - closer games. Discussed various options that could help alleviate the problem of travel/availability. JF – league may need to think of radical	

	solution. Agreed that we would register 4 teams – 4 th XI in 6 South West. 3s in Division 5 Central. MB to email league.	MB
5.	Environmental Health Visit	
	SC met with EHO – awaiting report from NFDC but will need to establish a food management system for next year. Will involve putting in a split sink for behind bar, another plumber coming to have a look at that and put water into the cellar so we can use the cooling jackets in the summer for the barrels. A couple of members already have food hygiene cert, SC to renew.	SF MB SC
6.	Grounds work & Clubhouse	
	MB - Thanks to SC for sorting out the end of season and to everyone else that helped; IP has sorted out nets; good effort all round, just now need winter maintenance – being fertilised this weekend depending on the weather. IP has asked for a meeting with council (& SC) ‘close down’ meeting which always happens at end of season. Need to seed at front of clubhouse as well, very worn. Need a new cover – hole in the middle (£1,000) but don’t need until next year. Need germination sheets (£150) – agreed. IP down at the weekend to do next bit with scoreboard & look at other items – roof on umpire’s room; look at ventilation in changing rooms & cellar.	SC MB IP
7.	Updates from Secretary	
	League registration form 2023 – complete & submit Cricket questionnaire completed AGM form for HCB completed Food Management system to set up over the winter	SF SF
8.	Safeguarding / Clubmark	
	DB - Confirm clubmark re-awarded – may have site visit next year, safe hands portal in 2 nd phase of development – coaching to be added next year so DB will be able to see when coaching/training modules need to be completed.	
9.	Colts	
	AA - Training up and running through autumn term, no invoice received as yet; finish halfway through December. Getting around 40 colts on a Monday. New kit – need to send a message on what’s available – finalised and good to go. Club to buy a few spares. Potential for a shirt sponsor in the future but not now. Can also go on the club shop. Compile Google form for orders so an excel spreadsheet can be done. Colts presentation on 12 th November afternoon – adults evening. Notify Aztecs that the bar won’t be available. MB – please go through kit in changing room over the winter and get rid of damaged/unwanted.	DB SF
10.	Social -	
	9th Oct – Connor Steele memorial match DB/MB doing bar	

	<p>23rd Oct – Christening in youth club – 2.00 p.m. Bar SF/RF</p> <p>Thursday 3rd Nov Firework Night — help needed. DB to get licence sorted, bar open and provide room for first aid; hot drinks and soft drinks outside. DB/MB/SF/SM/ST</p> <p>12th November Colts presentation – afternoon. Adults Presentation Night – Karaoke (need to meet at the gate 8.00)</p> <p>10th December – Kailey Paige 30th birthday party at the club everyone invited – SF/MB/DB/DJ to cover bar.</p>	
11.	Ladies W10	
	Good last match at Ageas bowl, HCB looking to run indoor leagues in 3 locations this winter – tbc.	
12.	Football/Bar	
	SF to send email of fixtures out to all for cover.	SF
13.	AOB	
	<p>JF – indoor league – team in 4th division dropped out – Peartree or Hythe B team to take the place? Div 2 team led by Dan T but too high a standard for some. Helps keep people interested over the winter. MB – if you’re happy to run it – go for it.</p> <p>JS – if you find a main sponsor you can have a free year of cricket? Put on the website.</p> <p>DB – can utilise Frog box for advertising but need someone who knows what they’re doing. JF – other clubs use it for Colts games and then watch afterwards – DB need to do this quite a while before the games, could also be doing highlight reels. IP – when broadcasting on Frog box and play cricket there is a disclaimer on the screen regarding the use of images.</p> <p>IP – Play cricket issues but not understood by the providers – issues are widespread and probably due to the number of clubs and information on it.</p> <p>MY/SC – interested in team for 100 competition – can choose which night you play, arrange between teams only 2 games.</p> <p>SC – darts starts in 2 weeks – 2 teams involved, discussed bar cover. Ryan wants to run 6 aside tournament – when? Play on the Astro? MY to ask tomorrow.</p> <p>SM – interested in coaching – SF to send email through.</p> <p>MB – Sky – can we come out of the deal and then go back on it? JS – can phone and ask, don’t need it for Winter but no guarantee that they will maintain it if we suspend payments. Will ring Sky and ask – costing around £300 a month.</p>	<p>JF</p> <p>MY</p> <p>MY</p> <p>MY</p> <p>SF</p> <p>JS</p>

Meeting closed 9.00 p.m.