

## **BRADENHAM BOWLS CLUB**

Minutes of the Committee Meeting to be held on  
Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2022  
at 2.00pm

### **MINUTES**

**The Chairman opened the Meeting.** Those in attendance were Trevor Nelson, Peter Clements, Tony Moore, Simon Hillier, Pat Ward, Marie Ramm, Phil Hayward, Rosie Hall, & David Henderson.

- a. Apologies for Absence: John Wright
- b. Minutes of Committee Meeting held Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2022.
- c. Confirmation of true account of the minutes: Proposed by: Tony Moore  
Seconded by: Pat Ward

#### **1. Matters Arising.**

- a. 6b) Fun run (JE) Carried over to next meeting
- b. 7a) Greenkeeper fees (PC) The Treasurer confirmed that Tony had been notified of his increase which was back dated to May 2022
- c. 8b) Gate Sign (PC) Now displayed

2. **Chairman's Report:** The Chairman thanked Phil for running the first social event which was well attended Simon for his time as Chairman and for the support he continues to give to the club. He again welcomed John Eames onto the committee

#### **3. Secretary's Report:**

- a) Bingo Prizes: Letters sent to Tesco in Dereham (Hamper) & Watton (), Morrison's in Dereham (?), Tufts (Garden Bird Feeder), Roy's (£5 voucher), CC Wells, Aldi, Lidl, Romany Rye & Greenstones Public Houses, Homebase & Jollyes,
- b) Bingo Machine £182 the cost to be split 3 ways between BBC £60.67, BRC £60.67 & BCG £60.66
- c) Christmas Lunch all organised Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December 12 for 12.30pm, deposits received from 17 so far. The remaining balance of the meal to be paid individually to King's Café on the day. Bowls club to cover the cost of the drinks bill.
- d) Thanks to Phil for organising the quiz & Jacket Potato lunch, plus thanks to Simon & Katy for the Jacket potatoes

4. **Treasurer's Report:** Since the last Committee Meeting, we have received income through:

- a) Quiz & Jacket potato lunch we raised after expenses £72. The raffle was £31.00.
- b) Kings Café deposits for the Christmas lunch by BAC's transfer

We've had expenditure through:

- a) Back dated Greenkeeper fees which equated to £350.00
- b) Greenkeeper fees of £90 for October
- c) Green Maintenance of £257.08 for fertilizer & Crossbar weed killer
- d) Picture frames for the gate £31.95
- e) Electricity for October £22.31
- f) Postage Stamps £11.40
- g) Bingo Machine £182

As of today's meeting, we have cash in hand @ £352.84 and our Current Account stands at £11,168.63 giving us a Grand Total of **£11,521.47**

**5. League and Fixture Report:** Very little to report until the league AGM's in Jan/Feb

- a) Club Captain TM – An expression of interest has been received by two clubs to against us
- b) Age Concern League: TM – Tony would like to put two teams forward for next season
- c) Ashill Triples: PW - AGM is set for 26<sup>th</sup> January
- d) Dereham League: TN – AGM is set for 18<sup>th</sup> January
- e) Mid Norfolk League: PH – We'll be entering a team in the coming season.

**6. Report on Green:**

Tony has maintained the green, he's applied loam, fertilizer, sulphate of iron and cut the green on a regular basis. The outside of the green will be treated to cut back the broad leaf weeds. The ditch will be extended by an inch so that Tony can get his small mower in to cut the grass in the ditch. By doing this there'll be no need to clean the ditches out each tidy up day. Tony said that Ralph has offered to help in cutting the outside of the green. Thanks to Ralph for stepping up.

**7. Fund Raising:**

- a) The Treasurer said fund raising continues with lottery, he also thanked Phil for his Quiz & lunch plus Simon & Katy in cooking the jacket potatoes.
- b) The next event after the Christmas Bingo is Game of Hoy & Soup lunch organised by Marie & Pat on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2023 -12.30pm

**8. Any other business**

- a) PC said that the lottery continues to generate income
- b) Tony suggested running a Bowls Marathon
- c) Phil suggested running a Longest Day Bowls Marathon

**9. Forthcoming Dates:**

- a) Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December - Christmas Bingo (**Set up VH 2.00pm**). In the evening its doors open at 7 for 7.30pm. **Committee members to be there from 6.30pm to welcome early arrivals please.**
- b) Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December – 12.30pm Christmas Lunch - Kings Café – Menu choices & deposit to me by Thu 1<sup>st</sup> December 2022
- c) Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2023 -12.30pm Game of Hoy & Soup Lunch Marie & Pat Raffle (please bring a prize)
- d) Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2023 – Quiz with Hot Dog Lunch – Simon & Katy
- e) Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2023 - Beetle Drive with Buffet Lunch (Everyone is asked to bring a plate of food)– Rosie & Pauline

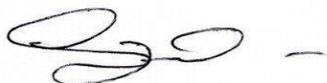
10. **Date of next meeting:** 2.00pm Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2023

11. There being no further business the meeting closed at: 2.35pm



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