

WEST SOMERSET BOWLS LEAGUE

Minutes of AGM 18 November 2011 at the North Petherton Bowls Club

1. Present
Chairman R J Milton
Secretary P L Bass
13 League Representatives
2. APOLOGIES
T A R Toller Treasurer, (Due to Medical Treatment)
Representative from Williton B.C.
3. MINUTES OF AGM 12 NOVEMBER 2010
Proposed by D Bridges M Avery and APPROVED by the Meeting, Signed by Chairman
4. A Wood enquired on progress of Finals Charity day at the end of last Season,
There had been no progress to make arrangements, will be reconsidered in 2012
5. SECRETARY'S REPORT
All games had been played and result cards returned in good time.
We had welcomed Bridgwater and North Petherton third team into our ranks.
Secretary thanked the League Representatives for all their help over many years.
6. TREASURER'S REPORT
Presented for Bob Toller in his absence Copy attached indicated income from 19
teams £570 and total expenditure, including prize monies and expenses, £636.60.
The balance carried forward to 2012 was £1,750.68.
Acceptance was proposed by Colin Littlechild Mike Avery and CARRIED with thanks
to Bob Toller for control of our finances.
7. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT
Was pleased to see Bridgwater and North Petherton 3 enjoy their first Season
with us in the League.
The League does however need to be limited in size in order to keep play within
the better daylight hours.
We still need to appoint a Vice Chairman to assist the continuity of Officers.
In hoping for a fine Season ahead he thanked the Treasurer and Secretary for
their continued service to the League.
8. CONSTITUTION AND RULES
Secretary had issued an updated version to accommodate Divisions of 10 teams.
Attention was drawn to Rule 15(c) allowing the game to be played with only 2
players on a Rink, with the appropriate penalty.

9. PRESENTATION OF PRIZES

Chairman made presentations as follows

Division 1	Winner	Burnham A	Trophy and £300
	Runner up	North Petherton A	Trophy and £100
Division 2	Winner	Wellington A	Trophy and £150
	Runner up	Bridgwater	Trophy and £ 50

10. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Our Officers were elected as follows

Chairman	R J Milton
Vice Chairman	M Avery Victoria Park
Secretary	A Wood Taunton
Treasurer	T A R Toller

11. OTHER BUSINESS DISCUSSION

On a proposal that we change to Wednesday evening matches, being free from National County Competitions members felt that such a change would need to be put back to Clubs if we were to consider a change in 2013.

Some Representatives felt that Clubs would not support such a change.

It was agreed that a questionnaire be sent to Clubs for replies by end April 2012.

It was agreed that future Match Results could be sent by EMail with the Result Card being scanned onto the EMail.

Mike Beale thanked all Clubs who had made their greens available to Taunton Deane members last Season , following the problem with their own green surface.

Th anks were expressed to the North Petherton Club for again hosting our AGM.

Chairman.....

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