



Minutes of the meeting held on
Monday 10th September
at the Pavilion, Waterhouses

Present: Vice-chairman Mr R Coates (RC), Treasurer Mr R Salt (RSt), Secretary Mr G Kneller (GKn), Mr B McCarthy (BM), Mrs P Coates (PC), Mr D Powell (DP), Mr K Mosley (KM), Mr R Jackson (RJ), Mr R Sandall (RSn), Mrs M Sandall (MS) and Mrs M Burn (MB). Apologies were received from Chairman Mr J Joyce (JJ), Mr Tony Oakden (TO), Mrs J Sale (JS), Mrs P Jackson (PJ), Mr S Martin (SM), Mrs L Hubbard (LH) and Mr J Hubbard (JH).

1. **Minutes of the last meeting**

The minutes of the meeting held on 6th August 2018 were approved and signed by the vice-chairman.

2. **Matters arising from the minutes**

(a) Cheese and Wine Evening 2019: MB had provided GKn with the contact details of two possible entertainers. One was a magician. GKn had not yet contacted him, but would ask if he would be willing to perform to the general audience for 30 minutes and then circulate amongst the audience while they were eating.

GKn agreed to report back at the next meeting.

(b) Friendly Fixtures: GKn had made contact with Mayfield Bowls Club and they had been unable to get enough players to commit to any friendly matches.

(c) Cup Competitions and Finals Day: All matches had been played on finals day, with Roy Sandall winning both the singles Challenge Cup and partnering Reg Coates to win the Doubles Cup.

PC reported that the cups had not yet been engraved as Les Yates, who had provided the service in 2017, was on holiday. She would pass the cups for engraving as soon as possible.

(d) Repair of football net adjacent to the green: GKn had contacted Jason Buxton, Clerk to the Parish Council and a member of the football club. Jason reported that the club are already investigating the replacement of the net, which would prevent footballs landing on the green and avert the possibility that players would run onto the green and damage it with their studs.

3. **League Status.**

The Saturday team had escaped relegation back to division 3 and would remain in division 2 provided the numbers of teams remained unchanged in each division. The Over 55s team had achieved 5th position out of 12 teams. This meant they would not be in division two if the league was reorganised into three divisions of 8, but was considered a very respectable position for the club's first season.

4. **Green improvement/treatment.**

RC had purchased, on the club's behalf, sufficient seed to repair damaged areas and seed the outer edge of the green when a top dressing had been applied.

It was agreed that a working party of members would meet at 9.00am on Saturday 22nd September to apply the top dressing and seed. RC had approached Mr Steve Johnson (SJ) to pick up the top dressing and be available on the day to dispense it into wheelbarrows. Members were encouraged to bring wheelbarrows, spades, shovels and rakes. RC would confirm SJ's availability and GKn would notify members that the work would go ahead as arranged.

5. **Any other Business**

There were no items of other business.

6. **Date of next meeting**

The next meeting would take place on Monday 1st October at 6.30pm in the Pavilion.

Signed:

(Chair)

Date:
