

Berwick Rangers Supporters Trust

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MINUTES

Meeting of the Society Board

Date: 19/10/13 Time: 11.00am Place: Pilot Inn, Berwick-upon-Tweed

PRESENT: Michael Smyth, Bill Purvis, David Spence, Gary Smith, Andrew Neville, Ron Kirk, John Bell & Isla Barber(Sec)

APOLOGIES: Gordon Dickson & Ian Beresford

1. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING:

The minutes of the previous meeting were proposed by John Bell and seconded by David Spence.

2. MATTERS ARISING:

Newsletters have been given to the library and they can also be left in doctors and dentists for people to take. Suggestions welcome for distribution of extra newsletters.

3. MEMBERSHIP SECRETARIES REPORT:

Membership is at 239

4. TREASURERS REPORT

Balance as at 18/10/ 2013 is £4022.50

Invoices to be paid:

BR Reserves for physio.

Email sent to Zoo about newsletter sponsorship.

5. CLUB REPORT

(a) The Football club are hoping to secure more permanent training facilities. There has been no progress with this.

(b) The Club are working on a plan with Zoo Sports to organise strips and training kits being available pre season.

(c) Martin Inglis – Match Reports

- (d) Sponsor a game: Proposal to sponsor a game on a bigger scale...Be the 12th man. Prices to be obtained for sponsor cost and advertising cost for that game. The football club did not feel the proposal was a viable option.
- (e) There have been two possible projects that the Trust has been asked to consider. The first is to donate the cost of hiring a machine for sanding the pitch. The other is for the frontage of the main building, with plastic signs and all flashing fixed and joinery work paid.
- (f) Ask the football club to consider different sponsorship deal.
- (g) The bricks could be relocated to the club shop if it is suitable.

6. WORKING GROUP REPORTS

COMMUNICATIONS:

EVENTS: David Spence reported that the Elvis night is tonight Sat 19th October 13. Any donations for the raffle would be much appreciated. Forms distributed to committee members for the "One Hundred Pound Drop", winners to be announced at the Trust AGM in January.

7. RESERVES REPORT

Reserves have a match on Tuesday 22/10/13 against East Stirlingshire...do come along if you can.

8. AOB

We have to decide soon whether there is to be a calendar or whether we want a season calendar with fixture list.

For the newsletter look at the possibility of an interview with local player Johnny Fairbairn.

9. DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

Date : Sat 23rd November 2013

Venue : The Pilot Inn, High Greens, Berwick-upon-Tweed

Time : 11.00 am