

Berwick Rangers Supporters Trust

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MINUTES

Meeting of the Society Board

Date: 28/10/17 Time: 11.00am

Place: Pilot Inn, Berwick-upon-Tweed

PRESENT: Michael Smyth, John Bell, Ian Beresford, David Spence, David Letham, Stuart Lee, Bill Purvis, Ron Kirk, Brendan Thorburn & Isla Barber (Secretary).

APOLOGIES: Gordon Dickson.

GUESTS: Gordon Hood & Gemma Thompson.

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING:

The minutes of the previous meeting were proposed by Brendan Thorburn and seconded by David Letham.

MATTERS ARISING: Development team support to be altered up to £3,000. There is now a template for advertising cup matches.

MEMBERSHIP SECRETARIES REPORT:

Membership is at 226. It was suggested that a Trust membership may be an idea for a Christmas present.

TREASURERS REPORT

Balance as at 28/10/17 - £4,261.61. Cheques that have been issued were for the Notman testimonial and the development team support. First aid courses for the development team were discussed as a possibility.

CLUB REPORT

Robbie Horn will be looking at making squad changes in the January window. He was also concerned regarding the fitness of the players.

DEVELOPMENT TEAM

Team has played seven games so far, won four and lost three. The squad does not train together as they have no suitable venue. Could do with more volunteers to help with home games.

WORKING GROUP REPORT

The Robbie Williams/Michael Buble tribute night was a moderate success and raised a profit of £230 which was split evenly between the Supporters Trust and the Supporters Club. The £100 drop will be going ahead and sales sheets will be available at the next meeting. A race night and a sports quiz were discussed as possible fund raisers at some time in the future.

AOB

- A) The 13th January was looking like the best date for the AGM, in either the Black & Gold or the Jeff Burnlees Suite.
- B) Steven Notman to be asked if he would be available to do a Q & A session at the AGM.
- C) Only Trust members allowed to take part in the silent auction for the framed shirt, with the proceeds being donated to BARK.

DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

Date : Saturday 16th December.
Venue : The Pilot Inn, Low Greens, Berwick-upon-Tweed.
Time : 11.00 am.