

ST NEOTS HOCKEY CLUB

MINUTES OF MEETING

MONDAY 13 AUGUST 2007

Committee members present:

Fiona Humphrey (Chair), Sean Sanderson, Gay Jackson, Liz Owen, Kieran Williams, Liana Griffiths, David Griffiths, Julie Lewis, Phil Gillett, Barry Harness

Apologies:

Elan Anish, John Percival, John Brierley

Matters Arising

1. Training

Phil has spoken to Terry; he is not keen to coach every Thursday and would only want to do ladies' and men's first teams. Sean to contact Terry, Phil has contact number.

Action: Sean/Phil

The pitch has been verbally booked for the restart of training on 30 August. Billy to confirm.

Action: Billy

2. Selection

Sean, John Percival and Elan have met to discuss the Men's 2s and 3s team selection.

Team selection for the ladies is still to take place. It was suggested for this to take place after the first training session on 30 August.

Action: Sean/Captains

Barry to talk to Giffy about Men's 4/5. Fiona to approach Bev/Richard Simmonds about Men's 4.

Action: Barry/Fiona

3. Newsletters still not done. Barry expressed a wish not to be involved in the newsletter. He suggested approaching a junior player who was doing media studies might be interested in producing a newsletter for the club, which could then be used as part of his/her course work.

Action: Sean

4. The club has received a positive response to a letter regarding the state of the pitch and goals. New goals are on order and the current ones are to be mended. The new goals will be used for games only and when not in use will be padlocked together. The old repaired goals can be used for training. The pitch has been repaired as best as possible at the moment, although the Centre is not entirely happy with the repairs. The pitch is due to be relayed next year now, and not 2009 as previously agreed. Wheelie bins are now in place at the pitch which should reduce the amount of litter.

5. Billy to be contacted re fixtures.

Treasurer's report

Treasurer not present. Fiona would like a copy of the non-payers to be brought to the next meeting. Captains to chase up payments from their players.

Action: John Brierley

League Matters

Fixtures secretary not present.

Umpiring

Nothing.

Any other business

1. Kieron mentioned that CRB checks need to be carried out, especially for captains and coaches.

Also, player registration forms need to be filled in for under 18s for the club insurance, etc.

2. First aid kits – there should be one per team. The club will pay for these. The captains can order and invoice John.
3. Local papers to be contacted regarding start of season, asking for new players, etc.

Action: Fiona

4. Club Day – It was felt that if the club has four goals (providing the new ones turn up in time) it would be possible to hold a club day. Gay to contact St Ives Club Day organiser for guidance and also St Neots Leisure Centre about possibly holding a barbecue.

Action: Gay

Date of next meeting

Monday 3 September, bar area at St Neots Leisure Centre, at 7.30.