Minutes of Committee Meeting Held

On Thursday 3rd October 2013

PRESENT; Peter Roe, Alan Odgers, Kyle Harvey, Chris Philcox, Mark Carney,Sharon Martin, Debbie & Kevin Knowles, Craig Turner, Mandy Kimmins, Les Shaw.

The minutes of the last committee meeting were signed as an accurate account.

3. Matters arising

Debbie is still working on collecting the details required for the County on players registered up an age group.

U8/U9 Festivals, the October festival has been cancelled due to the fact that none of the clubs contacted have confirmed dates yet.

Medals, Chris quoted that the company he uses will offer a 20% discount on any orders with free engraving at Crombe Awards, Sharon will contact Tony at Cornwall Trophies as the medals last year were designed especially for us, and that we should offer them the chance to resubmit a quote. Les will ask his contact at Penzance to submit a quote too.

Everyone agreed that we need to ensure all numbers and orders are submitted earlier to avoid any complications; we will be down on numbers this year as we will not need to get medals for the U9s.

Everyone discussed the idea of not having to share trophies in the future for u10s, u11s as we would need to order the correct number of medals, everyone agreed we should stick with getting a result on the day and no sharing.

Dave Marks has still not removed the details from the East Cornwall; Debbie will email him again, also asking him to submit an invoice to us too.

Debbie was asked to add Chris‘s details as a committee member on the website.

The Clubs which hosted the semi finals days and finals days have been contacted regarding their commitment for this year, Newquay have stated they cannot give us 4 9v9 pitches and 1 mini pitch which we would require, we discussed this at great length and everyone agreed that we would therefore need to let everyone know that all semis will be hosted by the first name drawn out for each fixture and they will need to find their own referee.

Helston have agreed to host the 9v9 finals, Wendron have agreed to host the u14s, and no response has yet been received from Hayle.

Rep team presentation evening, Les stated this has not been organized yet, as he needs to contact all the U15s to see if they are interested in attending, all the u13s are keen though.

Martins Coaching Course, Mandy stated that he is keen to go ahead with the scheme and that they are contacting clubs to host and will be sending out flyers with all the details soon.

Ray Brown Referees Programme has been booked for Monday 7th October at Penryn College, an email has been sent out stating it is mandatory for all to attend.

4. Correspondence

The Letter received from Threemilestone Tigers was read out, it was agreed that this was a club matter and we would leave it to them to deal with.

The emails received from both Mandy and Simon Snell regarding poor practice was also read out, again it was agreed that it was club issues and we would leave it to them to deal with.

Carharrack Youth CRB issues were discussed, Kyle stated that he had completed the paperwork and this had been sent off, Debbie will contact both Caharrack and County to investigate what has happened and what needs to happen.

An email has been received from SCI Football Festivals interested in advertising on our website, it was agreed that we need to research their Festivals before we respond.

5. Match Report Issues

Falmouth Utd Rangers v Newquay U15, 08-09-13

A report has been received from Newquay regarding the low mark submitted for the match official; this has been forwarded to the County to deal with.

Penzance Ravens v Culdrose Harriers U15, 08-09-13

This was the match where a lad from Culdrose had a serious accident during the game; several reports have been submitted from both clubs, the lad previously played for Penzance, so there was history behind the incident too. It was agreed that all the information submitted needs to be sent onto the County for their advice. It was suggested that we provide an official for the rematch and a committee member needs to be present also. Kevin agreed to appoint an official for the return match.

Helston Blues v Ludgvan Lions U14, 15-09-13

An email has been received from Ludgavn, regarding the behaviour of the Referee; this was forwarded directly to the County Office to investigate.

Hayle Harriers v Helston Potters U13, 15-09-13

The match report details and low marks were discussed, an email from the Hayle manager was also read out, it was agreed that both clubs should be emailed and reminded of the code of conduct.

Culdrose Tigers v Godolphin Atlantic U11 15-09-13

The match report details and low marks were discussed, an email from the Culdrose manager was also read out, and Les stated that he had dealings with the Godolphin Linesman previously which were not good. It was agreed that Godolphin should be reminded of the code of conduct and both clubs reminded of the Respect Campaign.

Bodmin v Hayle Athletic U15 15-09-13

The match report and separate email have been sent directly to County to investigate, as it was regarding a racial comment.

Godolphin Atlantic v Newquay Utd U13, 15-09-13

The match report showed 1s from Godolphin, Debbie would enquire why, or was it just a mistake?

Hayle Vipers v Trevenson Tigers U14 15-09-13

An email was received from Hayle concerned with the welfare of the Trevenson players, as their manager continually shouted at his team. Kyle explained that this manager was a very vocal one, but he would discuss our concerns within the club and this manager.

Falmouth Town v Lugvan Lions U16 22-09-13

Several emails had been received regarding the referee and Falmouth Manager, as it was on the field issues, all correspondence has been forwarded to the County for them to deal with.

Penzance Predators v St Day U9, 22-09-13

The match comments and an email from Penzance were read out, regarding the conduct of players, parents and match official. It was agreed that both clubs need to be reminded that U9s are friendly leagues and their football should be developed and a good experience.

Truro Tigers v Falmouth Utd U16 29-09-13

The match comments and email received from a Falmouth parent were read out, it was agreed that they all need to be sent to County to investigate, especially as the match report doesn’t show a player being sent off. Debbie would also contact Grace Dent at County to see if the referee submitted the sending off? Debbie to respond to the parent with our actions too.

St Blazey v Trevenson Condors U15 29-09-13

The comments from the match report were discussed, the main issues were the hostile comments from the Trevenson parents and management, Kyle agreed to go back to his committee and remind them of the respect campaign and code of conduct.

6. Treasurer Report

As from the 3rd Sept the Main Account holds £10195.86

Deposit Account £3192.17

There are some expenses to come out, Threemilestone have claimed for a set of 9v9 goals, St Agnes have claimed for Level1 Coaches, County Affiliation for Referee Appointments £314 and the Invoice for the hire of Penryn College is £49.50.

Debbie agreed to send out the invoices to all clubs for their player registrations.

7. League Chartered Standard

Phil Cardew will be contacted regarding organising some in-service training days.

8. A.O.B.

Les stated that both he and Mark had started looking at players to represent the league in the reps sides for this coming season.

Kyle had no Welfare or CRB issues to discuss.

Mandy thanked the committee for allowing St Agnes to enter a second u16 team, as the club have loads of boys in this age group, she also thanked Mark for all the hard work he had to do with the fixtures for this age group, she is at present in negotiation with Truro College with regards to using their astro.

Mandy also thanked the committee for their support during their recent difficult time, with the player’s suicide, it had been an horrendous time at the club, but things were starting to improve.

Mandy then put in a request for a set of replacement nets, for the 9v9 new goals, which were stolen when their premises were broken into, she asked for half the cost, which amounted to £45, Les suggested we could afford to pay the full fee of £90 as a one off payment, everyone agreed to the proposal, providing the relevant receipt were sent into the treasurer.

Peter discussed the Rules regarding the League Winners, as we don’t want a repeat of last year’s mix up, it was agreed we need to abide by the Standard Code of Rules; these would need to be viewed and discussed at the next meeting.

Peter also discussed the league Vice Chairman situation, Les was asked if he would consider it, but he stated that with family issues, and his responsibility with the league reps teams, he felt he could not consider the position, Alan was asked if he would consider the post, after a little discussion, he agreed to take the position, only in Peters absence.

Fine updates, none had been sent out so far!!

All changes to the U16s or U18s must be dealt with straight away to avoid any problems with the appointment officer.

Kevin asked if any of the committee had been to watch any mini games, since the new directive regarding the retreat from goal kicks, as the opposing team should retreat to the half way line. No one had.

The meeting closed at 8.48pm