Yealmpton Bowling Club

Minutes of Management Committee Meeting held at the Clubhouse on Thursday 19 July 2018 at 1030hrs.

1. Apologies.

None – all Committee members present.

2. Minutes of Management Meeting held on 15 February 2018 were accepted.

3. Matters Arising.

- The S106 project was now complete.
- Athletic Club activities were discussed. The acquisition of a defribillator was still under discussion.
- The gate code change was introduced without problem.

4. BBQ.

It was agreed that a Club BBQ would be planned for Sunday 2 September, immediately after the final of the Ashcroft Shield. This has been agreed with the Ashcroft family. We will use the Athletic Club BBQ at the Cricket Pavilion and hopefully will be able to use the bar area. The price was estimated at £6 per person.

A team of Roy, Fred, Bob & Mel would make all arrangements.

5. Garden Decking.

It was agreed to investigate the possibility of building decking over the garden to the left of the shed. Bob to prepare proposal.

6. Men's Fixtures 2019.

The Committee discussed the severe problems in getting teams together for both men's fixtures & mixed friendlies as members were not putting their names down for selection. It was agreed not to enter the County Trophy in 2019, but for next year at least, remain in Cup Competitions, Evening & Saturday Leagues. Bob agreed to issue some discussion points for men members to consider.

7. Fencing.

The fence between the green & the cricket pitch was now in a very poor state and a replacement was badly needed. Bob would get estimates and discuss with Bowls Devon the possibility of an interest free loan.

8. President's Match 2019.

Bowls Devon had invited Clubs to bid for a match against the Presidents in 2019. Although there were some reservations, it was agreed to enter a bid.

9. Next President.

Bryan Parson's tenure as President ceases at this years AGM & consideration needs to be given to nominating the next President.

10. AOB.

Mark expressed concern at the increased costs of watering the green in the hot weather. It was agreed that watering was essential and extra funds will be found if necessary.

Colin proposed that we invite members to provide a contact number to be recorded on the Club's membership lists in case of emergency. It was agreed Bob would circulate members and set up the appropriate procedures.

Roy said he had booked the Christmas Meal at the Boringdon Park Golf Club for Thursday 13 December (7pm for 7.30). Price £20 for 2 courses; £23 for 3 courses). A deposit of £15 per person was due by 24 August. A notice was on the board at the clubhouse, with the menu selection. Bob to circulate details by email and place a note on the website.

Bob said the new Data Protection Act Regulations were now in place. Future membership lists (paper & website) would show only telephone numbers and only for those who had agreed. This individual agreement is required annually. It will also apply to emergency numbers referred to above. Full details of every member are held by the Club and, if required, may be obtained from the Secretary.

A successful First Aid course had been held at the Clubhouse & it is hoped to run a further course in the autumn.

Bob Smith Secretary July 2018