

Minutes of the Committee Meeting of the Llandudno and District Table Tennis League, held at Brookhouse Mill, Denbigh on Monday November 23rd 2011

Present:

Kath Banks (Secretary), Peter Beatham (Chair), Graham Brown, Harold Furber, Sean Lucas, Jules Mitchell-Dawson, Pru Oakes, Rob Walker, Bill Williams

1. Apologies for absence:

Nia Edwards, Chris Henderson, Dave Middleton, Alf Roberts, Yvonne Stubbington

2. Minutes of previous meeting

Accepted; proposed: Sean Lucas; seconded: Pru Oakes

3. Matters arising from the minute

3.1. Chairman's Shield now up and running.

3.2. Community Chest grant applied for, to cover costs of UKCC Level One candidates, though Chloe Edwards cannot after all register for the course as she won't be 16 until July 2012.

4. Correspondence

4.1. from Sean: Amlwch A v Y Morfa C (correspondence circulated at meeting). Sean has since spoken to Paul Collins, who wants to play the match. Discussion as to whether a team can "un-concede". Either way, Sean requires card with official result. Note to go on website re conceded matches and correctly filled-out cards.

4.2. from University re new players, and transferring B team player to A team – ok.

5. Treasurer's Report

Treasurer not present.

6. Press Secretary's Report

All three papers publishing stories submitted.

7. TTAW (Graham)

7.1. new Board members: Chair – Bernie Carter; Vice-Chair – Dennis Bromage; Secretary – Neil O'Connell

7.2. National Coach Ryan Jenkins to visit Denbigh November 24.

8. AOB

8.1. UKCC Level One coaching course to take place at Y Morfa on Sunday December 11 and Sunday January 29. Bill Williams felt the course had been insufficiently publicised and wished to register as a candidate. Kath to contact Eleanor Walker of Sport Wales to see if it's still possible (closing date was November 14).

8.2. Sean queried two points in the League Rules:

8.2.1. Rule 17: *Teams shall consist of three, four, or five players* ... Some teams have registered more than five; however, the rule seems to apply to a team on the night of the match: five would be the maximum number of players that could take part (three singles players, and two different players for the doubles).

8.2.2. Rule 11: *The season ... shall terminate not later than 30th April* ... Committee agreed there is no reason why our season should not continue into May if we wish. Sean to submit rule change to the Secretary.

8.3. Kath asked if the League wishes to have a Christmas social event this year (ie a Chinese meal at the Orchard Garden in Abergele). Committee agreed that we do; Yvonne Stubbington has offered to co-ordinate numbers.

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8.4. Kath & Jules have started a new company – Table Tennis Inessentials Ltd – offering cards and gifts for table tennis enthusiasts. Kath asked if it would be acceptable for a link to www.tabletennisinessentials.co.uk to be placed on the Llandudno League website. Committee agreed.

Date of next meeting: January 18 at Brookhouse Mill. Meeting closed 9.35.