

# NOTES OF A COMMITTEE MEETING HELD AT THE FIELD ON SUNDAY 26<sup>th</sup> MAY 2024 at 11.00am

## **AGENDA**

- 1. Matters arising from meeting dated 24<sup>th</sup> March 2024
- 2. Welfare / H&S
- 3. Finance
- 4. Scores and Records
- 5. Competitions
- 6. Coaching
- 7. Major Projects
- 8. Forthcoming Events
- 9. AOB

## **Present:**

Paul McGuire, Alan Hoddinott, Jonathan Powell, John Sinfield, Graham Ivey

## **Apologies:**

Alan Marriott, Will Kempf, Mollie Bower

# NOTES FROM THE MEETING:

## 1. Matters arising:

Any items arising are dealt with in the main agenda.

## 2. Welfare:

No issues to raise

## 3. Finance:

Regarding the Christmas dinner event at the rugby club, we have been offered a 50% discount, which we have accepted.

John Pawson will be contacting those who attended in due course. Action JP

It was agreed that budgets for Equipment, Maintenance, Entertainment, Health & Safety for this year would be dealt with on an Ad Hoc basis.

A new set of arrows and lower poundage limbs to be purchased for beginner courses. **Action AH**.

Field rental and storage from the HUAC has now been paid.

Insurance for the buildings and contents is due on the 13<sup>th</sup> June 2024. Action Treasurer

It was confirmed that the replacement cost of the defibrillator has now been reached by member donations. However, replacement parts will be required over the years and anyone who still wishes to contribute to this fund are welcome to do so.

## 4. Scores and Records:

There was some discussion regarding the new AGB Progress Awards scheme.

It was decided that the stock of existing badges we have will be used until finished (free of charge) but going forward any member who wishes to claim for a badge will be able to receive the first one free of charge, but subsequent badges will have to be paid for by the member at a cost of £3.50 each.

To date four people have submitted scores (3 scores required to claim a badge) as follows; Usman Rashid, Graham walker, Sarah Clay and Nathan Clay. Can these members contact a committee member to claim their colour of badge. **Action club member** 

An updated list of classifications will be attached to these minutes.

# 5. Competitions:

The next competition is the Albion round to be held on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June (see flyer) We will need a Tournament Officer (TO) for this competition. Any member can act as a TO but must be able to get to the field at least half or three quarters of an hour before set up time to register those competing, check equipment etc.

# 6. Coaching:

Please register for the next sessions on the 16<sup>th</sup> June and the 21<sup>st</sup> July otherwise no coaches will be present.

Beginner courses 4 & 5 have been successfully completed and course no. 6 commenced on the 25<sup>th</sup> May. At the time of writing these notes there is only one place available which is on our last course of the year in November.

There is availability for one other person to attend a coaching course this year.

## 7. Projects:

MAJOR PROJECTS: (in order of priority)

- 1. All members will now be aware that upgrading of turf to the bottom right hand corner of the field up to around 50 metres has now been carried out. The grass has now germinated and will be able to be cut in a few weeks' time. Until then please do not walk on the grass.
- 2. Car parking provision between pavilion and boundary wall
- 3. Tarmacking of existing car park area and marking out spaces scheme prepared further discussions to take place. **Action PM**

## MINOR PROJECTS: (in order of priority)

- 1. Apply a clear sealer to the concrete floor of the indoor range currently it was decided to put this onto the back burner for practical reasons.
- 2 Fix a couple of cameras to the end of the pavilion as dummy cameras only.
- 3. Refix wooden gate post
- 4. Proposed hit & miss type fence discussed to the 'windy corner'
- A request has been made for a small shed to be located in the recess in the trees around the 100yard marker to house a couple of straw bosses mainly for use by members shooting longbow Committee to consider and to obtain costs.

# 8. Forthcoming Events:

There has been no interest in a 'tennis taster session' at the Grove Tennis Club hence this was cancelled. The reciprocal archery taster session for this club was cancelled due to inclement weather therefore, a revised date is to be arranged in due course.

## **Action JS**

The Summer fun shoot is scheduled for the 14<sup>th</sup> July. Due to the new grass being sown we will probably move the shooting line up the field to say, 60 yards therefore for this particular event compound bows will not be able to be used.

## **9.AOB:**

- a) Club clothing awaiting feedback
- b) We are considering running a basic first aid course and defibrillator training for members which will take around 4 hours. Date to be announced.
- c) Meltham 'Picnic in the Park' event on the 31st August. Volunteers required.
- d) A number of beginners from our courses are requesting to shoot barebow. It was agreed that some of our members who shoot barebow be asked to give a 'teach-in' to those coaches who wish to know more about this technique so that this knowledge can be passed on to beginners if required. A date is to be set for this event.
- e) There is a club competition at Bronte Archers see attached flyer. We are trying to get a team together for this event. Please let us know if you are interested. The entrance fee will be paid by the club.
- f) A complaint has been raised regarding certain members moving other members bags/equipment without asking. Please remember the archery etiquette where it says 'you should not handle other members equipment' unless given permission.

The following people have recently joined the club:

Adults: Ian Howells, Jessica Hind, Andy North, Jacob Livingstone, Paula Whitaker, Brendan Routledge, James Walker, Samantha Walker, Mark Perkins, Catherine Catherine Traveller, Sam FitzSimmons

Juniors: Koby Pennington, Phoebe Pennington, Anwen Poole, Christopher Howells Eliza Freire-Gomez, Eric Walker

The meeting closed at 12.10pm

# **Next Meeting:**

Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2024 at 11am at the field.