

SCBA MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE MEETING Held online on Friday 27th September 2024



PRESENT:

Tim Warren (Chair); Gail Norman; Shirley Pritchard.

APOLOGIES:: William Clennell; June Middleton; Jackie Hawkins; Tony Cherrett.

1. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING	ACTION
These were agreed.	
2. MATTERS ARISING	
Jackie put a job description for the Accounts examiner in the Autumn newsletter.	
The issue with the Lady Rose rules has now been resolved.	
A team who played last year being unable to play this year.	
Tim said he would review the new eligibility rules with Will during the season.	Tim/Will
Following the decision at the AGM, Gail had contacted John to amend the wording	'
of the constitution on the website. She had also sent a copy of the revised	
constitution to the EBU.	
Will's possible event for 2025 is carried over	Will
3. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT	
Tim reminded the meeting that the date of Tuesday 14 th January had been	
earmarked for the Chairman's consultation at Bookham.	Gail
Gail will coordinate the catering arrangements, and ensure tea and coffee are	
available continuously until 3 p.m. The closing dates for entries will be 6 th January.	
Following the recent deaths of two prominent Surrey members, Tim will review	Tim/John
with John the way obituaries are handled on the website.	
Shirley said she felt a placeholder notice should be put on the website immediately	
after the death is announced.	
4. COMPETITIONS REPORT	
Shirley reported a slight improvement in the Green Point number of tables this	
year from 68-71. The new venue at Oxted school offered better conditions and	
easier car parking and access to public transport.	
Comments were made about BIABD – although the national target donated was	
exceeded, there was a lack of publicity both nationally and locally from Cancer	
Research.	
There was no A Team this year in the Met Cup. [post meeting note: it appears	
there were not enough A team standard players available].	
5. LEAGUES	
The numbers taking part in the Leagues this year had fallen: 35 -33 in the Leagues,	
and 28 -23 in the Lady Rose.	
Tim will talk to Will about possible reasons and actions which could be taken to	
stop the decline.	Tim
6. ANY OTHER BUSINESS	
The School's Cup is on 7 th February at Epsom College.	
NEXT MEETING – Fri 17th January 3.30 p.m.	
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