

TESTON CLUB COMMITTEE MEETING

Minutes of the meeting held in the club on Wed 1st Sept, 2004

PRESENT: -

K. Ivey (Chairman) R. Harker (Treasurer), B. Playford (Sec) R. Thornton, T. Smith, T. Pilbeam, P. Bond, A. Hickman

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:- J. Wood, D. Newick

ADOPTION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES:-

The previous minutes were accepted and duly signed as a true record.

ANY MATTERS ARISING:-

The new Teston Club sign at present over the door leading from the Games room will be removed and placed over the door leading to the lounge bar. Another larger sign will be made for the entrance to the lobby to the games room. The question was raised as to whether the computer was worth keeping in the office, taking up space and not being used. Our Treasurers opinion was that it would be used in the future and it would not be a good idea to discard it at this time.

CORRESPONDENCE:-

Two letters have been received regarding the misconduct of a member of the club during the last function evening and appropriate action will be taken regarding this. A letter was received from a member who disagreed with the committee's intention to loan the benefactor's portrait to Barham Court (see last month's minutes). The committee upheld its decision.

FINANCE:-

Our finances remain the same as last month, not grand. The lottery machine and fruit machine number 2 are the only things that are up on this time last year.

NEW MEMBERS:-

There are no new members this month.

BAR COMMITTEE:-

Nothing to report

HOUSE COMMITTEE:-

Nothing to report.

ENTERTAINMENTS:-

The last function, the Bingo night was very well attended and enjoyed by all. The next function will be Quiz night on 18th September. The meat raffle was well supported and the winners were more than happy with their prizes

CLUB GAMES:-

The finals of the Annual Knockout will take place within the next few weeks, and the Winter Games will be organised shortly.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS:-

The question of whether the purchase of the fruit machine security boxes would be a better option than renting was raised and the Treasurer pointed out that the rental was very small and that the purchase price would be too much for us to consider. It was decided to change the next batch of Lottery tickets as the present ones were not very popular. The next batch would have a minimum win of £2.00 instead of the present £1.00. The Secretary will order the two Acer trees for planting this Autumn.

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.45 pm

K. Ivey
Chairman.

