

AGM MINUTES 2008

1. Apologies - M Deakin & J Simmons

2. Team Register – This was read out by G Brown.

3. The Minutes of the AGM 2007 – This was proposed by B Clapton and Seconded by C Brind.

4. **Matters Arising From The minutes 2007** - Nothing was brought up by the floor in regards to items 3 & 4 on the agenda.

5. **Chairman's Report 2008** – He started off by saying that we were in the 49th season and that he felt like he had been here for ever and that every season came round so quickly. He then congratulated all the winning teams from last season. However he then went on to say that the Competitions were very poorly supported by teams and that if anyone had any suggestions about them to bring it up in any other business. He then mentioned our sponsor which is Heddleworth Amusements and that this year we may have another possible sponsor. As usual the presentation evening at Drayton Golf Club was a great success. We also hope to improve the website this year and that if there was any suggestion it would be brought up in any other business.

Next year will be our 50th Anniversary and he asked people to have a think and see what they can come up with to celebrate it. He then thanked T Downes, J Simmons, J Barguss for there hard work throughout the season. He gave a big thank you to Jean Claire and Carl for all there hard work on presentation evening. He also thanked D Stone for doing the Printing and that he hopes he will have a great retirement in Cyprus! Which also means next Season we may not save money on printing.

Report then Closed.

6. Balance Sheet – G Brown explained the breakdown of the balance sheet and this was accepted.

Proposed – P Soden

Seconded – G Austin

Proposal Carried.

7. Adoption of Reports – Was voted as a true representation of the Balance sheet and Reports

8. A.O.B

R North had sent in a letter proposing that it would be better to reduce the signing on number from 11 to 9 and the team from 8 to 6 players in a game. People dicussed it and didn't seem to be in favor of this proposal. People thought that it was fine the way it was. But it was suggested the same as every year that we need to try and get more young people involved and interested in the game. They voted and every team who attended the meeting was against the

proposal.

There was then a discussion on the D Section and below competition from last year and it was agreed to give it another go this year to see if it is any better. There was also a suggestion about the young person's competition or a Parent and Child competition so maybe going to try and bring that back next year on the 50th anniversary.

9. Elections of Officers – The chairman said all members of the committee were willing to stand again so the committee was voted on EN Block.

Proposed – P Soden

Seconded – G Austin

Proposal Carried

AGM Meeting Closed at 8.50pm.