

CKA Committee Meeting

Thursday 5th October - 7:30pm, The Boot, Histon

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Attendees

Mark Wassell, Ian Birch-Machin, Liz Clark, Andy Rutter, Simon Jackson, Jo Pennington, Liv Armitage, Nick Armitage, Jes Llewelyn, Rob Taylor, Adrian Woods,

Apologies for absence

Zareh Langridge

Minutes of Last Meeting

Entrance fee for EA Shield was 30 GBP and not 25 GBP as written in the minutes

Officers Reports

Chairman

Ian asked the BKA if the BKA insurance policy covered club coaches, Graham Grafter replied that there is no BKA insurance for coaches. However, some clubs will be covered through their hall's insurance policies.

Action: Clubs – Check their hall's insurance policies.

Ian also asked the BKA about the league fees for the lowest team in a club. Liam Clarke replied that what was discussed at the AGM was that the lowest team would get a reduced fee. The details should be in the BKA minutes.

Treasurer

Current account balance 906 GBP.

Expenditure 490 GBP for junior posts.

Income 100 GBP from UK fire

60 GBP EA Shield fees from Stingers and Tigers

PR and Publicity

Newspaper coverage of the EA Cup of the competition was extensive. Copies of reports are available. City and Tigers shared a stand at the APU Freshers fair and found it worthwhile. Rick attended Cambridge Evening News Sports Award Launch evening and proposed that Tigers be nominated for Octobers Award.

Results Officer

Nick handed out score cards for each club which are to be distributed to referees. Clubs are also to ensure that refs. know what is required. Will check who wishes to receive results bulletins by email

Fixtures Officer

On holiday.

Reffing

Raised the issue of the CUKC reffing commitments. Andy will contact Emma to discuss this. Will hold a reffing exam as soon as there is enough interest.

Actions: Clubs – To get back to Andy with the names of people who are interested in taking the exam.

Finance

The use of invoices should be encouraged within the CKA and clubs. This would improve the image that we give to potential sponsors. League fees are GBP 25 for the first team, and GBP 10 for the second. It was proposed that these be raised to 35 and 20 respectively. This was accepted by the meeting.

Actions

All – To think about potential sponsors (employers, news papers etc)

Junior Development Working Group

The first meeting was held on Monday. The meeting was well attended and positive. The main idea put forward was that there should be a central club for juniors in Cambridge. Next meeting will be on 13th November.

The CKA received an email from Sarah Denny, a teacher at City of Ely Community College, enquiring about Korfball.

Actions:

Andy – To visit.

Clubs – Do clubs have spare posts that they can lend out?

Dutch U23 Squad (Wednesday 23rd October)

Have informed Ian that they have cancelled the AM and PM training sessions, but that they will still be available for the evening sessions. Netherhall netball courts have provisionally been booked for the evening session (outdoors, floodlights, 60 GBP). Alternative venues are indoors at Bottisham, Sawston or Leys School. The evening sessions will be self-financing.

Actions

All Clubs - To get numbers of people interested in the evening training session.

Ian - To ask the squad what the maximum number per session will be.

Phoenix - To arrange transport of posts to Netherhall.

Liz - To determine interest from Juniors, with a view to asking the squad if they would reconsider the cancellation of the daytime sessions.

Any other Business

City Sport

Have reduced the number of sports that they promote and have dropped Korfball, amongst others.

Junior Tournament

A tournament for juniors is being held on Saturday 14th October, 12:00-4:00 at Netherhall. Volunteer referees are welcome.

Coaching Officer

Simon Jackson volunteered to fill the position of CKA coaching officer. This was accepted by the meeting.

BKA Registration

Some players have not had their registration processed and have not received their copy of the BKA magazine, despite fees having been paid.

East Anglia Shield

The meeting thanked David Sheldon for organising the competition.

Time and Place of Next Meeting

Monday 20th November, 7:30pm, The Boot, Histon