



MINUTES

MEETING DETAILS	DATE
MERE CC 2019 AGM	21/02/2019

ATTENDEES	ATTENDEES	APOLOGIES
Nick Ryan Frank Legge Tony Traves Bryan Yeo John White	Mark Cassidy Matt Pitts Kevin Whitmore George Cassidy	Rebecca Yeo Duncan Weir

ITEM	ACTION
<p>1. Chairman's Update</p> <p>Took the opportunity to thank the following for their contributions during the season</p> <p>Bryan – finances and fixtures Nick – secretarial Matt and Tony – ground and square Rebecca, Ben and Kevin – coaching Special thanks to Brida and ben Skipworth for organising and running our All Stars programme Duncan – captain Tony and John for their financial contribution and continued support throughout the season Frank - umpiring</p> <p>Chairman provided his reflections of the season.</p> <p>Very pleased with the number of juniors we attracted, particularly in the under 9 and 11 age groups.</p> <p>Best ever season for results</p> <p>Presidents charity day a great success.</p> <p>Thoughts for the future</p> <p>Need to continue push for new players. Consider extra spending on social media to attract new playing members. Concentrate in Mere, Gillingham and Motcombe.</p>	
<p>2. Secretary's report</p> <p>Confirmed that we had registered for NatWest CricketForce day. This will allow us to obtain funding through the Jewson scheme if available.</p> <p>Signed up to the ICC Cricket World Cup 2019 Club scheme, which would allow us to take advantage of</p>	

<p>funding available to clubs for specified purposes i.e. digitisation or catering.</p> <p>Affiliated to the Wiltshire Cricket Board for the 2019 season and subscription paid. Club details and officers added through our Play-Cricket site.</p> <p>Vice Chairman (KW) proposed that for the 2020 season Mere CC should seek affiliation to Dorset Cricket rather than continue our affiliation with Wiltshire Cricket. General discussion followed, main reason was to support our junior cricket development, particularly as our coaching team was linked with Dorset rather than Wiltshire. There were no apparent impediments to affiliation to a County Board outside the club location. This was put to a vote and passed. NR to take forward</p>	<p>NR</p>
<p>3. Fixtures</p> <p>BY provided an overview of the fixtures for the coming season</p> <p>Action to add to website</p>	<p>BY</p>
<p>4. Finance</p> <p>BY circulated copies of the income and expenditure accounts for the season. Opening balance £5,586 and a closing balance of £6,868</p> <p>Match fees for season:</p> <p>Adults £5.00 Juniors £3.00</p> <p>Subscriptions:</p> <p>Adults £35.00 Social members £20.00</p>	
<p>5. Election of Officers</p> <p>The following officers were elected during the meeting after a vote</p> <p>Chairman – Mark Cassidy – nominated BY, seconded JW Vice Chairman – Kevin Whitmore – nominated TT, seconded NR Treasurer – Bryan Yeo – nominated NR, seconded MC Secretary – Nick Ryan – nominated MC, seconded TT Club Captain – George Cassidy, nominated DW, seconded MP Youth Development Officer – George Cassidy – nominated JW, seconded FL Welfare Officer – Sophie Weir – nominated MC, seconded NR Head Groundsman – Carried forward</p>	
<p>6. Cricket law changes</p> <p>Frank provided an overview of the new law changes.</p>	<p>FL / NR</p>
<p>7. AOB</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nets – MC confirmed nets had been booked and paid for in Warminster as previous years as 	

<p>follows:</p> <p>March 17, 24, 31 from 16:30 to 18:00 April 4, 11 from 19:00 to 20:30</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• New Facebook advert to be arranged for an audience in a 15km radius• New fencing to be discussed at the next committee meeting• Open evening to be arranged for Friday 15 March 2019 at 19:30 at the Walnut Tree Inn	<p>MC</p> <p>MC</p>
<p>Meeting closed at 20.40</p>	