

WORTHING FOOTBALL CLUB SUPPORTERS ASSOCIATION Minutes for the Committee meeting held at The Stand Bar, Worthing FC on 29/07/2024 at 7.00pm



	Item	Action	By Whom	When
1.	Apologies for absence: Gary Cohen and Jon Loveland			
2.	Attending Gordon Caplin, James Easton, Spencer Webb, Paul Garrard, Jacco Mulder, Nat Lunn			
3.	Correspondence The committee members discussed incoming emails. The SA now has its own laptop and 4 committee members have access to the inbox.			
4.	Minutes of the previous Committee meeting	Confirmed at the meeting.	Jacco	
5.	Matters arising. Podcast discussed, good feedback from Socials, sound issues discussed. Suggested to get questions in advance for future events.	Further podcast to be arranged End Nov/Beg Dec.	James and Jon	
6.	Chairman's Report. Nil to report			
7.	Treasurer's Report. Bank Account balance circa £8.5k £70 received from club for commentary licence. Shipping fees have been refunded to SA members incurred whilst reviewing membership. Two faced twins payment remains outstanding. Coach travel discussed. Weston Coach - £1080 to pay. 43 seats to sell to break even. Noted that a smaller coach will be the same price. Noted that bookings not as expected for the first 3 away coaches. It was noted that the coach for Hemel can be cancelled up until 15/08/2024.	Gerry to monitor coach sales and update committee via Whatsapp group. Committee to review feasibility for future		15/08/2024 19/08/2024

	It was agreed no coach for Truro and to review at the next committee meetings the need for a mini bus for Hampton (£15 pp) and Boreham Wood (£20). It was discussed by the committee at length.	coach travel at next committee meeting.		
8.	Membership. This currently stands at 70 members. Group from committee to sign up at first mens home game at Hornchurch on 07/09/2024 and first ladies home game on 01/09/2024		Spencer/Nat Jon/Gerry	
	New membership database now compiled and in use for contacting members to update re travel etc.		James	29/7/2024
	SA to place advert for membership in programme		Junes	
9.	Fixture Posters. No fixture posters available as yet	Review at next meeting.		
10.	Sponsor A Goal & 50/50 It was discussed that it was difficult to recruit to this fundraising due to lack of home games.		Paul	
	The committee discussed how to promote 50/50 more.			
11.	Player of the Month/Season and Milestone Awards. Clip art frames need purchasing still		Gordon	
12.	Mission Statement – 2 submitted. Committee members to vote next meeting or provide their own. To work with Worthing FC and our members to provide the best match day experience for all fans of Worthing FC home and away Provided for fans, by fans to work with Worthing FC, to support mutually agreed aims to improve the matchday experience for all			

	users of the Sussex Community stadium whilst enhancing community links.			
13.	Decisions Made Under Point 9 of the Constitution/Financial Proposals. Brief discussion about possible changes to constitution. Nat has copy of constitution should any other committee members wish to review – please request.		Ongoing committee discussion	AGM
14.	WFC Liasion Charity presentation for Food Foundation on 07/09/2024 – check with club re if the Food Foundation can hold this as a charity event. Jon to write his job description and we can discuss		Jon Jon/Gary	19/08/2024 19/08/2024
	at the next meeting when Gary is back.		Jony Gury	1370072024
15.	AOB James – Auto payment of websites and obtaining SA debit card	Committee voted yes.	James	19/08/2024
	Whatsapp channel – open to all supporters not just SA – can be used to promote travel etc. Admin within the committee members identified.	Committee voted yes	James	19/08/2024
	Nat – club nights- AGM provisional date 27/10/2024 – prior to ladies game. Next SA club night discussed – provisional date beginning of Oct – possibility of Early Oct for football quiz evening. Event would be open to all fans, SA members have free cash draw. Opportunity to sign up more members and fund raise via quiz entry and raffle.	To discuss dates with Jon to approach club.	Nat/Jon	19/08/2024

Meeting was then concluded – next meeting Stand Bar 7.00pm on 19/08/2024 due to following week being a bank hol and then away game after that.		



