



Wheatley Wanderers Committee Meeting 17-08-10 **Wheatley Hotel 7.30pm**

Present – Diane, Stu, Jason, Martin, Chris, Christina

Apologies – Julie, Ian Boldy, Jason Barrett.

Agendum Points.

1/ Players Registrations

Stu informed the Committee 4 players were still not registered yet although they may have paid subscriptions. The players were not registered due to missing paperwork or photos and Stu will chase these up. Stu has sent an up to date members list to the Treasurer so subscription payments can be checked.

2/ CRB Checks

Christina informed the Committee she still couldn't access the FA Safeguarding children section of their website and that she would contact Claire Taylor from the FA about this.

3/ Financial Report

The Club Treasurer said he had done the accounts up to the end of July and the balance was £6810. This amount did not include the £4000 grant money. Martin asked if Jason could circulate income and expenditure sheets at monthly meetings. Jason will check the subscription payments against the members list to chase up late payments. Martin asked for the

Committee to hold a tournament review to see what works and doesn't work and how things can be improved.

4/ Respect Barriers

Stu informed the Committee the respect barriers ordered from the FA through the Doncaster League Office will now not be arriving. The Doncaster League are cancelling the order and trying to recoup their money. Wheatley Wanderers have not paid any monies for these barriers and Stu will order one for each pitch from another supplier.

5/ Mr Boldys Letter of Concern

Stu handed round the reply letter to Mr Boldys letter of concern regarding the U11s B Teams recent trip to Wembley. The Committee agreed some of the letter could be re worded and Christina said she would change it and email it to Stu to then sign and hand to Mr Boldy. Mr Boldys complaint was dealt with verbally at the recent coaches meeting but Mr Boldy asked the Committee for a reply to his letter in writing.

6/ Winter Training

Stu has asked the Keepmoat Stadium about availability for Winter training for all the teams in the Club. The Committee plan to not give teams the allowance of £12 a week for training this year and use the grant money instead. The Keepmoat have offered the Club 3 hours on a Thursday night using a third of a pitch subject to the U11s A Team cancelling their hour slot from 7-8pm. Each team will train for 45 minutes on the pitch.

All coaches have confirmed they are happy with this arrangement except Mike Watson who is away on holiday in America at the moment and hasn't been contacted.

7/ Rule Change

The Doncaster League have informed their members that U9s and U10s now play with a size 4 match ball. Stu said there was no rush to change all the training balls at the moment just the match ball.

8/ Litter Picking Day

The litter picking day with McDonalds will take place on Saturday the 11th of September starting at 10am on Hills Lane. All teams are invited

and the Club are hoping to give each player a sponsor form to raise funds for the Club whilst they take part. The Committee would like all teams to be represented and as many children attending as possible. Details of the event will be given to coaches /reps as soon as possible.

9/ Equipment Requests

Jason informed the Committee only 2 teams had handed in the list of equipment they have. Jason asked for all teams to hand in their equipment list and asked that no new equipment be issued to teams until he has received their lists. Jason asked that the end of September be the deadline for the lists to be handed in. This was agreed. Jason and Stu asked the Committee to consider the Club purchasing new posts for the U12s. They only have 1 pair that belong to the school and have had to be repaired 3 times. Martin is to look at possible funding for these posts.

10/ A.O.B

Jason asked if an U11s pitch could be marked out on Hills Lane
Martin asked if other pitches could be marked out on Hills Lane or the existing pitches moved around as one is never used and one gets waterlogged.

Christina said she and Julie would be walking round talking to the parents of each team to answer any questions or concerns they may have.

Christina explained someone from outside the Club who used to be involved in the Club had been spreading untruths about the Club and she and Julie would be happy to answer any questions any member may have. Christina asked for each team to let her know when they next have matches so she and Julie can attend.

Martin asked if coaches could try and collect email addresses off their parents so club news and minutes could be sent out to as many people as possible.

The Committee agreed to hold the tournament review on September the 7th at 7.30pm.

Martin informed the Committee players for the girls team would be sought by word of mouth firstly. The age range would be possibly u12s and a charge of £1 was agreed.

Martin handed out plans for the changing rooms with a slight change involving the plant room. These plans will be available on the Wheatley website www.wheatleywanderers.co.uk and comments or suggestions are appreciated.

Martin asked if Stu could chase up the letter of intent from Doncaster Council.

Martin handed out details of the Bag 4 Sport scheme. The Committee agreed Martin should apply for the information pack.

Jason asked if the Committee would discuss the sale of the floodlights at the next meeting.

Raffle money accountability sheets must be handed in for all teams.

Jason asked if his position required an assistant. The Committee explained no one had applied to assist Jason and it was purely to help him now the Club is growing and more funding is coming into the Club.

Martin has suggested a tournament for the adults in WWJFC. Martin suggested possibly playing at Armthorpe Welfare and inviting 4 or 5 other teams to take part at a cost of possibly £100 per team. Martin will see if this could go ahead.