



EAST DEVON REFEREES' ASSOCIATION

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Minutes of the Committee Meeting of the EDRA held on Thursday 18th October 2018

1. Present:

Ade Bond, Malcolm Stone, Steve Banks, Ian Keenan, Ashley Horn, Ray Lloyd, Dennis Bean

2. Apologies.

Apologies received from: -

Graham Blackburn, Graeme Martin, Gordon Richards, Keith Mann, Shaun Mann

3. Chairman's Opening Remarks.

Adie welcomed those present to the meeting and gave a big welcome to the new secretary Ian Keenan who has taken over the role from our long serving Keith Mann. This was proposed by Steve Banks and Seconded by Ray Lloyd, all in favor. Adie also asked for Keith Mann to be voted onto the committee Proposed by Ashley Horn and Seconded by Malcolm Stone, all in favor.

The website is moving closer to the launch and Adie would be in touch with the details with the fee and EDRA ownership of the site.

There are extra games for referees available each weekend within the ECFC academy.

4. Minutes of Previous meeting.

Minutes of the committee meeting in September has been circulated. One amendment was Ash Horn wasn't recorded as in attendance this has been corrected.

5. Matters Arising/ Correspondence.

Ian Keenan has updated the RA with email addresses that were incorrect for our members with the exception of Ron Budden and will make enquires to try and locate an email address for Ron.

Ian has also updated the National RA regarding the change of Secretary within the EDRA.

6. Treasurers Report.

7.

Membership stands at 42 including Life Members (to be confirmed.)

Current Account £	158.74
Reserve Account	<u>£ 2251.99</u>
Total	£ 2410.73

8. Delegates Reports.

Saturday D & Exeter League –

There were no reports to be heard and the next D&E FL meeting is on Monday 22nd Oct 18

Sunday League –

No reports

DCRA

No reports

9. Training Officer / Mentoring.

Steve Banks reported that there were 11 referees that had been completed, 2 more to be done this week, and this leaves 4 more to be observed. There would be news of the 4 Super Mentors to be appointed on Friday 19/10/18 from Jason Heywood. The next fitness test would be 28th October 18 for Five to Four candidates.

Ray Lloyd would tonight be delivering a session on Man Management and Positioning. For future meetings the membership would be encouraged to email in game related incidents/games they come across so Ray can put these into a training session. Email either Adie, Ray or Ian with these scenarios, if the referee concerned does not want to add his/her name or teams involved then please state so in the email.

Any Other Business.

It was suggested that a RA Member of the month be awarded in future meetings.

Ray Lloyd will inform Collin Goodwin of the E&DFL on the future meetings.

Malcolm Stone raised concerns over closed dates.

Sin Bins were discussed with the concerns that some referees were not implementing this and issuing yellow cards instead. It was agreed that the Sin Bins are there for the good of the referee and should be used.

Date of next meeting –

Thursday November 15th 2018