

Veterans' Section Committee

Minutes of extraordinary meeting held on August 22nd 2018

Members present:

Mike Donovan, Steve King, Jim Sadler, Harry Whiteman, Alan Wilson, Eric Hoffman, Barry Trickett, Ian Smith, Ron Stovell.

Item 1

This meeting was called to discuss inappropriate behaviour towards a member of the committee by a section member. The committee member in question said that he had been subject to foul and abusive language on the course by the said member.

After discussion, the committee made it clear that such ungentlemanly behaviour would not be tolerated within the section. Upon received any reports of such behaviour, the committee would in the first instance, issue a warning letter to the accused member and in the instance of repeated occurrences apply suitable sanctions.

In this instance it was decided that the Captain send a letter to the accused member asking him to send a letter of apology to the committee member in question.

Item 2

Jim Sadler raised the question of the vote at last year's AGM that stated that all proceeds to the Vets section, from the Christmas raffle, should go to the Vets Captain's Charity. He said that it had been since established that the vote had been taken, against the false premise, that the Christmas raffle was charity based. After discussion, It was decided that he would raise the matter again at this year's AGM, under matters arising.

Item 3

Harry Whiteman said that for the friendlies against Burnham both, home and away, after discussions between both committees, it had been decided that a simplified form of lunch would be provided. Instead of a formal lunch with jacket and tie, there would now be coffee on arrival, a selection of sandwiches and chips after the match, no changing, presentation of prizes including nearest the pin, results and travel home. The cost would be circa £8.00. It was hoped that by listening to a number of members objections to the current format that there would be a much larger number of members putting their names down for the Burnham matches.

Minutes taken by General Secretary
Harry Whiteman