

Minutes of Meeting held at Prattens Club on Friday 19th January 2024

Apologies from Paul Derrick

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING were read and confirmed. There were no matters arising.

SECRETARY'S REPORT The Secretary reported:-

- (a) There are 14 Postponed Matches:- It is hoped that they will all be played by the end of the season
- (b) Late results 27/9 Rd Lion Diamonds v Ma Hatters 18/10 Rancid Gruellers v Herberts
- (c) It was though these were also postponed. There were also 8 results for week 14 !0/11 Jan
- (d) All Cup matches has been played except for K.O. Head Hunters v Lofty's 8. Lofty's 8 Captain was at the Meeting and said he had contacted Head Hunter for dates but had not received any. It was decided that Lofty's 8 would go through to the next round as the rule had been broken by Head Hunters.
- (e) Highest Score C. Green (Beerbellies) 63

K.O. CUP. Round 4 Draw – To be played by 15th March

Quarter Finals to be played by 12th April. (Draw to be made by League Secretary)

Loftys 8 v Charlton Aces	The "B" Team v Jacks Blades,
Purnells C.C.A v Beerbellies	Chewton Exiles v Herberts
Nine Left Standing v Knighthawkes	Farmborough v Magpies
Nobbys Nuts v Fly By Nights	St Josephs v Happy Wanderers

PLATE Quarter Final Draw - To be played by 15th March

617 Squadron v Rebels	Alley Cats v The Specials
Odds & Sods v Nine Left Standing	Gravediggers v Stones Cross

Nomination Cup Semi Final Draw - To be arranged by League Secretary

Purnells C.C.A v Happy Wanderer	St Josephs v Magpies
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All the above draws will be published on the website.

INCIDENT ON 2ND NOVEMBER

There was an incident at Midsomer Norton C.C. between Mike Brown & Nathan Groombridge in the toilet.

As per Special rule 3 a Committee Meeting was held on 5th Dec at Welton Rovers.

Mike Brown & Captain Paul Brown were invited to the Meeting to discuss the incident.

He was asked to give an explanation, He said that he went into the toilet and was having a Pee, when Nathan came out of a cubicle and attacked him. He then tried to defend himself.

They then left the Meeting. A written copy of Nathans explanation was given to the Committee. After discussion the view of the Committee was that Mike's explanation was accepted. It was decided to only give him a warning. As there were two different accounts to what happened in the toilet with no witnesses how could it be proved?

James Swift Captain of Stones Cross then gave a lengthy explanation of what happened and gave details of reports from the Committee and Mid Norton C.C. We at Stones Cross Skittles Team are very disappointed and shocked by the behaviour of a Paulton & District Skittles Team. We reported the assault to the Paulton & District Skittles League and were expecting it to be dealt with in a positive way. He concluded that this person should be banned from Skittles matches. He went on to say that they would not be prepared to play the return match if M. Brown was in attendance. Asking for a review of the decision taken.

The Chairman then said that the Committee had made their decision and the matter was now closed.

There being no other business the Meeting was closed

NEXT MEETING:- Will be at Peasedown C.C. on Friday 17th May (Final meeting of the season)

AGM will be in June, date yet to be arranged.