

Fairford Rugby Club Committee Meeting 12th April 2021 19:30 on Zoom finished 21:07

Present – Committee members – Lindsey Thurlow LT, Scott Cohoon SC, George Ellis GE, Katharine Buchanan KB, Debbie Rees-Jones DRJ

Apologies Dave Jackson DJ

Agenda	Main Points	Action
1. Social Media Streamlining	Discussed the pros and cons and one social media one message from whole club, nobody misses information and better for sponsors moving forward	SC to feed back to senior meeting
2. Updated Website	Agreed the current website needs to be kept updated DJ was going to chase up Chris Tanner if this was something he was going to run with	LT to get website updated with Emma at Bulldog
3. Membership updates	Current junior numbers are 112 still gaining new members following great Easter camp thought needs putting into next seasons fees need to consider as potentially playing in June July and August and costs that need covering	LT to feed back following latest RFU meeting on summer rugby
4. Girls Teams	Laura is keen to advertise for all age groups moving forwards there is an inner warrior camp booked for 19 th May	SC to speak with Laura re where to focus our efforts
5. Age Groups for next season	LT reported that all age groups are viable to stand alone from u5 – u12 currently U13/u14/u15 very light on numbers so a plan needs to be made. All children will move up as per normal on the 1 st August but will continue to play existing age group rules until Jan 2022	SC to speak to DJ with his plans for 13/14 age group LT to ask RFU if U14/U15 can combine for next season LT to organise a press release to all parents once the above confirmed
6. Easter Camp Update	A huge success all round 47 children on day one and 51 on day 2 and gained 7 new members after camp everyone loved the seniors helping and Amy on minis	LT to put in place a half term camp for Wed 2 nd June

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7. Sponsors/VPs	<p>Discussed the benefits of having a sponsors pack that can be available to download on the website emailed to local business' and also streamline all of our current sponsors. Also the different options of keeping VPs separate to sponsors</p>	<p>SC and GE to go through current sponsors list and vps list to say who is current DRJ and LT to put together a sponsors pack that will then be shared and approved before being available as a hard copy and digital</p>
8. Coaches	<p>DJ to confirm who is staying on to coach next season and which age group this will be with continue to upskill those necessary with moving up age groups</p>	<p>DJ to give coaches feedback</p>
9. Communications	<p>Re iterated these are key to looking professional and also for everyone to know what is going on eg if food is wanted for club events GE needs to be asked</p>	<p>SC to feed back to senior meeting and vice versa and first item on agenda for future meetings will be updates from SC</p>
10. Treasurer	<p>KB reported Ladies account £1736.28, Youth £4387.71, Membership £4130.69, Development £27837.08 Paypal £19.12</p>	<p>KB reported still not much from senior membership this will be pushed again 13th April by SC and GE</p>
11. AOB	<p>Fixtures we are now allowed to play so need to decide if we want to play any</p>	<p>SC to confirm with DJ if he would like to plan matches for this season or wait until next season</p>

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12. Date of Next meeting	12 th May 2021	GE to book a pod at George at Kempford 19.30
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