LSAC Committee Minutes

08/12/2023 | LSAC Discord Server | Online

Meeting called by Katie Axup Apologies Absent

Type of meeting Committee Meeting Lucy Hubbert

Note taker Ellie Noble

Main Business

Chair - Katie Axup

Actions brought forwards

- Alumni Membership
- New Victory Hall
- Chair's Challenge
- Formal Complaint Against Club
- County Fees
- Tennis Centre Cupboard
- Next Semester Plans

Chair's report

Alumni Membership

o Continuing to ask Andrew about alumni membership issues

• New Victory Hall

- Should be sorted by Christmas
 - Team work over Christmas break
- o Katie will follow up if nothing else is heard

Chair's Challenge

Sorted

• Formal Complaint Against Club

- Received a formal complaint from Jay Hawker that archers arrived five minutes early to a session and that they booked a court for a private session.
 - The archers dispute that they were early as they checked the time before entering the court.
- o Jay Hawker claims bookings must be made through Kath.

County Fees

- Reached out to county in October asking how to make county fee payment
- o Received an email in November telling us fees from the last two years are overdue (see previous minutes) for a total of £125.
- o As per AU policy, the club can only make payments of over £100 through an invoice but county treasurer claims he is unable to create an invoice.
- County Treasurer contacted Katie last Sunday threatening to cancel our county membership if we do not pay the fees.
 - Have still not provided details to make the payment, even if we could without an invoice.
- Have contacted county treasurer confirming that we need an invoice and asking again for one.

Next Semester Plans

Plan ahead for upcoming newsletter in the next semester (socials, competitions, seminars)

Actions ongoing

• Forward Alumni Membership details to Ellie

Secretary – Ellie Noble

Actions brought forwards

County Fees

Secretary's report

• Novice Completing Beginner Course Outside of Club

- Student who enquired about joining club in November as a novice archer is in the process of doing a beginner course, hoping to join the club.
- o May be able to provide her a novice bow.
- Would have to pay full membership price and get an experienced membership but will be treated as a novice.
 - Would be a lengthy process to set up a semester two membership
- o Would have to check their technique and potentially equipment

Actions ongoing

Pester Andrew about Alumni membership

Treasurer – Kate Watson

Actions brought forwards

- Private Account
- Membership Account Float

Treasurer's report

• Private Account

- o Kate and Katie had a meeting with Samantha to discuss club finances.
- o Private account is not being removed but the amount in the private account must be reduced significantly (~£4000, ~£3000 after expenses taken out)
 - Ask for expenses to be taken out of the private account lower the amount in the account
 - Still need to spend money out of the membership account

Membership Account Float

- o At the end of the year 50% of the money in the membership account goes to the AU
- Club requires money left over in either account at the end of the year in case of the need to purchase expensive replacement equipment in an emergency.
- o Samantha has allowed us to set up a capital pot
 - Allows us to set aside a sum of money at the end of every year to be carried over to the next year
 - Send union a plan for this by the end of summer
- o Float £3000 to allow us to cover multiple equipment emergencies.
- o Aim to put in place before the end of the year

Actions ongoing

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Team Captain - Kieran Curson

Actions brought forwards

Seminars

o BUCS indoors

Indoor County Champs

Team Captain's report

- Seminars
 - o Delivered equipment buying seminar
 - Very little information provided about BUCS indoors
 - o Announce seminar tonight
- BUCS Indoors
 - o Entry opens on the 12st December and closes 23rd January
 - o Host a internal competition to allow people to get scores
 - Would have to host after Christmas break as remaining sessions are not long enough
 - Best date would be 13th January 14:00-17:00
 - New Victory Hall is smaller
 - o Prioritise people who don't have a score yet
- Indoor County Champs
 - o Didn't advertise due to Chair's Challenge

Actions ongoing

- Announce BUCS seminar
- Announce indoor county champs
- Ask if we can backdate L&R300 scores

Equipment Officer - Florence Levitt

Actions brought forwards

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Equipment Officer's report

- Target faces have been organised in the blue box
 - We have far too many 40cm triple shots
 - o Overall quantities are good
- More intermediate kit has been handed out
- Danage Re-jig
 - o If possible, before Chair's Challenge
 - o Court is booked from 12:00-17:00 before the shoot (17:00-21:00 competition)

Actions ongoing

• Organise danage re-jig before shooting resumes in January

Tournaments and Records Officer – Lily Green

Actions brought forwards

- Milestone Badges
- L&R300

Tournaments and Records Officer's report

- Milestone Badges
 - Will look at over the Christmas holidays
- L&R300
 - o Form has been acquired
 - o Kieran to ask if we can backdate scores

Actions ongoing

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Social Secretary - Lael Gilliver

Actions brought forwards

Christmas Meal

Social Secretary's report

- Christmas Meal
 - o 15 participants
 - o Everything else has been sorted.

Actions ongoing

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Welfare Officer - Patrick Phelan (Lily Green)

Actions brought forwards

Christmas Shoot

Welfare's report

- Christmas Shoot
 - Sorted
 - o Katie will transport donations to wherever they need to go
 - Lily has popped off

Actions ongoing

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Media – Lucy Hubbert

Actions brought forwards

New Year's and Christmas Creatives

Media's report

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Actions ongoing

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Novice Reps – Kat Kondrateva & Stephanie Dennison

Actions brought forwards

- Novice Questionnaire
- CVA Accounts

Media's report

• Novice Questionnaire

- o 11 responses from the novices covering all four bow styles
 - Most responders feel good / very good (no bad)
 - All said communication through Discord is clear
 - More advertisement for socials
 - All agreed / strongly agreed that seminars are clear
 - All who attended the WONT felt positive about the experience and almost all said they would like to enter a competition again
 - Emphasis on being nervous
 - Mention that coaching sessions are too spaced apart.
 - Difficult to get help with new equipment from coaches.

- Novices may not know that they can ask coaches in regular sessions for quick pointers / may be too nervous to interrupt coaches who are shooting
 - Weekdays only
 - o Stop novices coaching each other
 - o Put emphasis on going to coaches who coach on their session day
 - Can also ask experienced members to ask a coach on their behalf (don't ask non-coaches for coaching)

CVA Accounts

- o Sign up for a CVA account
 - Free Stuff

Actions ongoing