

# STRATFORD UPON AVON AIRGUN LEAGUE

## Final Minutes of the Delegates Meeting held on Tues 2nd November 2021 at Binton Sports & Social Club

Meeting started: 8pm

Present: R Groom, N Williams, A Smith, J Langford, P Clingan, A Brookes

1. **Apologies:** W Cemis, A Clarke, D Green, J Everett, S Hodges, J Smith, P Onions

2. **Minutes** of meeting on 5th Oct approved.

3. **Matters arising** none

### 4. **Treasurer's Report**

Cheques were distributed to R Groom (£108.00) and J Langford (£32.68).

J Langford retained cheque book.

### 5. **League Restart**

#### a) **Paper Target Competition**

Started October at Wilmcote on Sundays. So far, 5 shooters have signed up and started their cards. Hopefully, this will grow, as there is plenty of time to join up. All classes of shooter encouraged. Thanks were extended to Graham & Paul who set up every week without fail.

**Action: all shooters are encouraged to come along**

#### b) **Mini Restart League**

Started October at individual clubs on Thursdays. AS reported that 4 rounds so far have been completed. 42 shooters competed.

Avenue: Appear to be a managing, with 8 shooters registered.

Avon: (NW) have max 6 shooters available, struggling on numbers, but everyone appears to be enjoying it.

Binton: (AS) Binton A healthy in numbers but random attendance, lost a couple, gained a couple, with both A & B teams shooting in clubhouse. Binton B reliant on family groups attending.

Wilmcote: (PC) well attended, can usually rustle up 6-7 shooters.

MEB: (AB) poorly attended & struggling to build the team back. Little coordination in team.

Requested guidance from Delegates/Officers about what to do. RG suggested trying to build the team & reassure them it's a safe environment. All they need is a minimum of 4 shooters.

**Action: Andy & Alan to reach out to team members. AS to supply telephone numbers to AM so that he or Andy can contact potential shooters**

### 6. **Membership/Registration** (AS)

All running smoothly

### 7. **AOB**

a) Trophies. AS reported 4-a-side Runners Up trophy still not handed in. Engraving completed on other trophies & plates at a cost of £265.75 including discount. League will be paying for £99, the rest will be required to be settled by individuals and clubs direct to the League. **Action: AS has a list of what everyone owes which he will email to S Ray, team Captains & those owing money.**

b) Replacement base for the Rose Bowl was being looked at by P Clingan, approx cost £70.

**Action: It was agreed that P Clingan should be tasked with making a replacement.**

c) Stratford Herald Reports. Juana had been contacted by Craig, Sports Editor about weekly reports. He was aware we were back shooting as normal. However, Juana was not able to continue writing reports and handed this back to the Committee to decide how to proceed. NW suggested all results were to be sent in, and that the Sports Editor could add the story. AS unable to add to his work load, but perhaps another shooter would be willing to take this on although he could supply a pdf of the scores. **Action: Please would anyone interested in reporting/submitting weekly reports to the Herald come forward. JL to speak to Craig at Herald about inviting him to Binton one Thursday to see what is going on, and to explain the situation. Team Captains are encouraged to add more details of shooter performance in Match Comments box.**

d) SAGL Archive: PC reported that his brother still had the paper archive, including handwritten Minutes going back many decades & need advice on what to do with it. **Action: Team Captains to ask members whether they would like to review this fascinating & historical archive.**

Next Delegates meeting Tuesday 7th December at Binton at 8pm

Meeting ended 9.15pm

Jo Langford, Secretary