

EDVA Committee Meeting

12/05/2011 – 7pm Coaver Club



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Agenda

Appologies:

Arthur Mosley, Ian Sidwell, Ali west.

Minutes approved

Attended:

Dave Reece, Nikki, Steve Milne (Exeter Uni), Kyle Alves (Kirton), Rachel, Nicky Flemming (Torexe), Marjon, Russ (Wanderer).

Missing Exeter College VC, Kings VC,

Chairman's Report

Chair's Report for Meeting on 10th May 2011

1. Storage of EDVA Equipment

I have made enquiries the old Exmouth Lifeboat Station and it appears that East Devon Council is seeking to attract a commercial rent for the premises. This would put it out of the reach of our Association.

2. Junior Development

The coaching programme undertaken at St Luke's High School by Dave Reece and Nikki Batho has come to an end with the final session attracting only 3 students. Thanks to Nikki and Dave for all their hard work. It seems prudent at this stage to re-think the programme and try to re-launch the coaching scheme in September. In the meantime, I have written to all the Exeter High Schools requesting that at least one outdoor grass court is made available for students to use during the summer term. I hope this Association will agree to provide some support if schools lack the resources to do this.

I have also written to Geoff Allen at Wessex Volleyball Club who managed to achieve a grant of £10,000 from Sport England under its Small Grants scheme. Geoff provided some very useful advice and I have downloaded the Small Grants information from the Sport England Website. I hope that, with the help of the Junior Development Working Party, we will be able to put together a viable application for assistance over the summer.

3. Press and Publicity Officer

I received one reply from my request to students doing a Foundation Degree in Journalism but after I provided information about the role there has been no further response.

4. Exeter Men's' Challenge

I attended this tournament and was impressed with both the quality of play and the smooth manner in which it was run. Thanks are due to Dave and Rachel for doing such a great job. It reflected very well on the state of Volleyball in Exeter.

5. League Competition 2010/11

Our winter league is now completed and congratulations to our Division winners and all the teams that took part. Special thanks go to Rachel for her magnificent work in keeping the whole thing running so well.

6. London 2012

Good Luck to all of you who have applied for tickets for Olympic Volleyball Events!

Arthur Mosley
Chair, Exeter & District Volleyball

Secretary Report

None

Fixture Secretary Report

Fixture's Secretary Report 12th May 2011

Exeter College A kept Torexe Hunters on their toes right up to the end of the season, with both teams only dropping two matches through the season. Torexe Hunters' consistency throughout the season finally paid off as they took the league title. At the bottom of the division Torexe Jaguars finally lost out in the inter club rivalry with Torexe Phantoms. Wanderers Cardinals had a comfortable victory in Division 2 with only Taunton Meerkats getting the better of them. Division 3 had an extremely tight climax with Exeter Uni Supremes just holding off Plymouth Marjon. Who with their run of good results at the end fought hard to take the title, but just lost out at the end.

Divisions Two and Three had clear winners in the Player of the Match awards stakes. Jez Bennett of WVC Cardinals in Div 2 picked up 5 nominations and new comer Joanne Czylok from Exeter College B in Division 3 collected 6. In Division 1 it was a 3-way tie for the honours which were shared between Ben Fairweather of Kings One, Jame Annells of Exeter University Pandas and Tom Mammola from Torexe Hunters.

Treasurer Report

Latest Invoices sent out

Two sets of shirts on order, one set of medals on order, need to get the trophies engraved.

Would like to suggest extending the existing Flat rate system for the prison to cover the remaining teams next year, for player's entry,
Proposed to have a flat fee rate, to be put forward for clubs to vote on at the AGM.

Beach Report

Five teams have entered the beach 4's, two teams from Kings should be entering after their exams.

Quartermaster

One net and two ladies inserts purchased and now being used, three nets made available to the Devon School Games.

I have give away the spare bags and surplus 1.5'' to the Coaver VC.

Agenda Items

Coaching Course level 2, eight people have signed up so far, more advertising required.

Everyone agreed that the date for the AGM, 14th July 8.30 pm at the Coaver Club

Club asked to forward any Constitution Issues and Nominations for officers, particularly for the vacant positions of Secretary and Treasurer.

AOB

Contact for E&E, eesport@expressanddecho.co.uk

15 places available at £35 each refereeing course, next 21 & 22nd.

10th July LPV Juniors at Plymouth.

Marjon asked if they anyone would object if they played their home match in Plymouth next season, it was agreed that this should not be an issue. Barnstaple, Burnham-On-Sea and Minehead all played home matches in previous seasons.

Meeting closed at 21:13