

**Manor Park Bowling Club Minutes of Management Committee meeting held on 11th February 2019
at Commercial Inn at 7.15pm**

1. N Linsky opened the meeting and welcomed everybody
2. Present: N Linsky, B Buckland, J Favell, W Smith, A Donughue, L Jones, J Ingerson, H Prady, B Taylor, J Godfrey, S Linsky. Apologies: M Hargreaves, E & M Coombes, D Howell
3. Minutes of last meeting were read. J Favell was present at the last meeting but not documented, then agreed
4. Matters arising: none
5. Treasure report: as D Howell was not present. N Linsky provided an update, the current balance £4621, the Christmas party income was £544 & expenditure £539
6. Secretary's Report:
 - Christmas Party profit £50, B Buckland has booked this year's event & artist for Friday 6th December 2019 at Glossop Cricket Club
 - In the clubhouse the electric meter has been changed in January, the 2nd meter supplies the shop it must be a separate supplier which is also due to be changed soon
 - Content insurance renewal has not arrived, due on 6th March B Buckland to follow this up
 - Club level registration, B Buckland will process these, apart from the Tameside League, the Captains for these will register at their delegate meetings
 - North Derbyshire AGM was postponed due to snow it has been rearranged for tonight (11.2.19) B Buckland unable to attend due to Manor Park meeting.
 - Note from Derbyshire League CGB informed the club that fees have changed; new members £12 and lost cards £4
7. Green report
 - Leaf blower to be serviced the cost being in the region of £70 - £80. Leaves were cleared from the greens after the end of last season, but we will need another working party in the near future
 - Vertically drained in Nov, which will be repeated at the end Feb – March the cost being £300
 - Liquid fertiliser B Buckland to contact Graham Wingfield regarding what mix is needed for this season
 - Mowers are being taken on 12.2.19 for servicing as well as the scarifier which is not working properly. Cost £450 - £500 depending on parts etc. Machines will be returned in 4 weeks
8. Bottom Green Maintenance; Edging boards on bottom green are in a poor state; B Buckland & J Ingerson to obtain quotes for repairs for next meeting, for decision to be taken on a way forward
9. Captains Report

- Longendale; looking at nominating a player to play twice if short of a player
- Mixed Pairs; rule change proposal to have 2 leagues, not playing on a neutral green running a round robin competition through the season. High Lane is coming back into the league
- Tameside Vets; no changes
- Tameside Ladies; clubs must confirm online results immediately and be vigilant that the data is correct. Safeguarding was also discussed. Captain to inform the league we have M Hargreaves in this role
- North Derbyshire; AGM tonight so no information
- Stockport Vets; notify league immediately if match cancelled, not allowed to wear open toe sandals on the green, can put a nominated player to double up if a player short. Rule change on opening up the league for women and players over 55 was ruled out of order.

10. Disability Insight Conference in Nottingham on 20th March 2019, no one wanted to attend this

11. Club communications; to be discussed at next meeting as M Hargreaves was unable to attend

12. Bowling Club competitions; the officers agreed to add more competitions as these were successful last season. Next Season competitions are i) Ladies, ii) Men's and iii) mixed singles, with a change to the doubles competition making it a round robin to run throughout the season. Rules to be drawn up for next meeting

13. Club summer outing; no further information, but everything is organised for 23rd June 2019

14. Bowling rules session, was arranged for 19th Feb. B Buckland will ask M Hargreaves to postpone

15. A.O.B; none

16. Date of next meeting; 18th March 2019

17. Meeting closed at 8.40pm