



# YARM TENNIS CLUB.

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## Committee Meeting. Monday September 11th 2017 8pm

### Present

John Schofield, Jill Gullon, Keith Philpot, Jim Underwood, James Bustard, Darren Walker, Anne Clayton, Anne Brown, Cecilia Cordova, Martin Williams, Tony Li, Dorothy Seaman.

### Apologies for Absence.

Geoff Brown.

### Approval of previous minutes.

Approved.

### Matters arising from minutes.

- JU. sent details required to satisfy welfare role to LTA 2months ago yet club still not clubmarked.

### Health and Safety.

- 4 incidents recorded, none serious.

### Correspondence.

- Mayors Tournament cancelled due to lack of support.

### Treasurers Report.

- Report given.

### Membership Secretary's Report.

	Adult	Student	Primary	Guardian	Total
12/9/16	139	81	102	43	365
11/9/17	140	75	93	30	338

### Tennismark.

### Team Captains

Agenda item on composition of teams postponed until next meeting.

### House and Grounds.

- Fault with floodlights, Mike Seddon,s report on problems found. Replacement parts and repairs to be done. Various smaller electrical faults investigated and repairs in hand.
- Spikes on the top of the floodlight columns may be fitted if equipment has to be hired.
- Mr. Keith Matthew from Stockton Borough Council is dealing with the clubs application to acquire the land adjacent to the squash club.

- The LTA initiative “Transforming British Tennis” details outlined. YTC to register interest. JB.

James and Keith agreed to attend surgery in Sunderland in October.

- Work on courts 7/8/9 to be delayed as the cost may need be included in the bid for funding. Bid application aimed for April 2018.  
John Schofield raised concern that essential work ie. Courts 7/8/9 and fencing may be on hold for a long time. If bid in April is unsuccessful then work will be planned.
- Oven fixed but if it goes wrong again it needs replacing and worktop altered. MW
- Trophy cabinet – shelf fell down, new pins ordered. MW
- Cleaning to courts 4/5/6 completed, job so well done by Andy and George Gibbings.
- Container very full of equipment and needs a sort out.

### Social.

- Club finals day Sat.17<sup>th</sup> September, matches almost up to date.  
Volunteers needed in kitchen.
- Christmas Dinner Friday December 1<sup>st</sup>.at Eaglescliffe Golf Club. AB/JB
- Rosebowl/End of Season Tournament Sunday September 24<sup>th</sup> 2pm. DW
- County Closed Tournament: £486 made in kitchen: £400 fee for court use.
- League Presentation night September 26th at David Lloyde. AB

### PR.

- Twitter 987 JG
- Article in Gazette published in response to a previous feature about facilities in Yarm and that there was no mention of the tennis club. JS.
- Noted that a leaflet about the cricket club distributed in Yarm, may be useful to have something similar for the tennis club.CC to to make enquiries re.cost.
- Awaiting workshop on using social media to promote tennis, JG,CC and DW to attend when available.

### Coach/Juniors.

- Winter programme and entries into tournaments in hand.
- Need to consider advertising for next year, suggest family time possibly on Sat. or Sun. afternoons.

### AOB.

Cardio tennis, the LTA directive is that a current instructor/teacher with cardiac training is the requirement to run a class. AC

Ryan Canning plans to be living locally next year and would like to be considered as a team captain.

Presentation Night Nov.11<sup>th</sup> Eaglescliffe Golf Club. Limit of 130. Cost, £7 adult £3.50.

### Date/Time Next Meeting

Monday October 30<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm