

Minutes of the General Purposes Sub Committee
Held at Hazel Grove
Tuesday 19th November 2013

Members in attendance:

John Hargreaves

Ian Dixon

Chris Waker

Julie Higham

Brenda Hopkins

John Smith

David Hulme

Apologies received from:

Yvonne Spurrell

Meeting opened by Chairperson Jon Hargreaves minutes from previous meeting accepted as true record.

Jon Hargreaves said he would like more information about Manchester Wildcats Canoe & Polo Club as this seemed to be a new sport.

Ian stated that the Playing Pitch Strategy is going to be launched at the Football Forum on 11/12/13 SMBC are doing some work to prioritise and then send it to executive members. This will support clubs for future funding.

SMBC are looking to give sites out to clubs on long term leases (25yrs) Ian will look into the implications for clubs eg rates gas electric and water.

We have 186 clubs registered on Sports Stockport website 47 of these clubs have paid the affiliation fee.

Greater Manchester Sports Awards around 600 attended. Stockport Sports Awards everyone thought overall it was a good night. The food was excellent. We sold 125 tickets and made a profit of £153.00. It was felt that the compere rushed a bit during the awards. Stockport Express gave the awards good coverage before and after the event.

Ian has arranged three 1st Aid workshops One is an FA course this is next Tuesday and the other two courses are on the 9th and the 18th there are still places on these.

Ian will look at running a safeguarding course in the new year.

Get Coaching Stockport has been allocated £4413.00 this year anyone who wishes to apply will be required to register on coaching site and log 20hrs coaching.

Inspired Facilities Grant : Marple Cricket Club have been awarded £50,000.00 towards buildings. Letter of support given to them by Ian.

SMBC/Stockport Harriers/Dash have an application to go in next year.

Work started at Reddish North End Football Club on the 04/11/13

Club Development Applications

Stockport Cricket Club applied for funding towards the purchase of age specific equipment for a new under 9s team the total cost is £317.00 the club were awarded £300.00.

High Lane Football Club applied for funding towards a new under 7s team each year Total cost £1300.00. Ian to check if the club has had money for an Under 7s team previously. If not £300.00 will be awarded.

Talented Athletes Fund

No applications have been received.

Sports Awards

It was agreed that the Volunteer of the Year trophy would be given in Peter Howarth's memory.

Next Meeting is on 21/01/201 at 7.30 at Hazel Grove

Meeting closed.