

FEDERATION OF CROQUET CLUBS SOUTH WEST

Minutes of Committee Meeting held after AGM
Sunday, 21 November, 2010

Present:	Chairman	Bob Whitaker
	Treasurer	Derek Beard
	League Secretary	John Grimshaw
	Coaching Officer	Cliff Jones
	Publicity Officer	Sue Mackay
	Development Officers:	Robert Moss (North)
		Adam Wimshurst (South)
	Youth Officer	Marcus Evans
	Golf Croquet Adviser	Ros Key-Pugh
	Secretary	Julie Horsley

The Chairman welcomed Adam Wimshurst to the Federation Committee.

1. Apologies

No apologies

2. Minutes

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 22 September 2010 were approved and signed.

3. Matters Arising

The Coaching Officer said that, as he was not present at the last Committee Meeting, were there any other reasons as to why the Coaching Conference was cancelled. It was said that, as had been said previously, it was because of lack of numbers and maybe whether October was the right time to hold it. The Coaching Officer said that the autumn was a better time to hold the conference rather than the spring. He felt that this time we should target coaches – all grades - it would good to encourage grade 3 coaches to coach at all levels. It was suggested that an outline of what the conference will cover should be included in the target letter.

Marcus Evans suggested that when coaches were e-mailed an entry form was attached.

4. Correspondence

The Secretary had received a proposed changes to the Golf Croquet League Rules document from David Harrison-Wood to bring the format in line with the Association League Rules.

Members would study this before the next meeting.

5. Chairman's Report

Nothing to report.

6. Treasurer's Report

Nothing further to report following the AGM.

7. Coaching Officer's Report

Nothing further to report following the AGM.

The Coaching Conference would be discussed at the January meeting.

8. Publicity Officer's Report

Nothing further to report following the AGM.

9. League Secretary's Report

The League Secretary reported that entries were about the same as last year.

The League Secretary said that several clubs had expressed interest in playing in the Golf Croquet Level Play League if played over a weekend. The League Secretary will investigate further and come up with a date and venue.

The Short Croquet Team Event will take place at Nailsea CC on Sunday, 3 April, 2011.

10. Youth Officer's Report

Nothing further to report following the AGM.

11. Development Officers Report

The Development Officer (North) said that although it was the Development Officer (South)'s turn to go to the next development meeting, he would like to go to follow through matters in hand. The Development Officer (South) said he would see if he could go along as well. Robert Moss wants to identify any spare equipment at member clubs that could be sold or given to other clubs who are in need of help – particularly new or struggling clubs. He proposed putting an article in SWAN.

12. Golf Croquet Adviser's Report

The Golf Croquet Adviser said that she had nothing further to report.

13. Any Other Business

The Chairman said that following the Coaching Officer's comments at the AGM, that he would like some assistance, Roger Buckley had approached him and offered to assist Cliff Jones with admin. The committee agreed to co-opt Roger for the next year to assist the present Coaching Officer, Cliff Jones.

14. Date of Next Meeting

Saturday, 22 January 2011 at 11.00a.m. at the Weston Croquet Club, Bleadon

The March meeting will be on Saturday, 19 March 2011

There being no further business the meeting closed at 3.25 p.m.