



Minutes

Football Foundation Liaison Meeting Between Ewhurst Parish Council & Football Clubs 2nd December 2014, 7pm EYSC

Invited to attend: Ewhurst Parish Council, Richard Cleaves;
Jane Bromley, Clerk Ewhurst Parish Council;
Sam Trinder, Senior Football Club;
Bruce Walker & Stuart Davies Junior Football Club.

Apologies from Richard Cleaves.

- Opening Richard Cleaves: In Richard's absence the Clerk welcomed all to the meeting.
- Minutes from meeting 25th November 2014
Action Points arising from this meeting:
Minutes of meetings to Football Foundation, these had been submitted to the football foundation and no comment had been received.
Senior Football Club - Charter Status. The club was considering a creating a Constitution but did not want to use the model constitution from the FF as they wanted to include things that were important to their club. The Constitution was needed for Charter Status and time was the limiting factor.
Junior Clubs - Development Plan. Had been submitted and comments had been received from Caroline McRoyal. Bruce Walker from the junior club thought he had replied to these comments and was to look back to see.
- Use of EYSC Notice Board (or lack of). Clubs to put up notices re helplines and fixtures and thought this may be an appropriate place for them.
- Monitoring and Evaluation Form -Frustrations in completing and any suggestions for improvement? Thought this should be completed all together at the EYSC using the WiFi there at a liaison meeting.
- Any other matters arising. Clubs due to have a meeting in January which was thought to be beneficial to keep communications running, especially due to high pitch useage.

- Request to Parish Council that monies be put aside for additional pitch maintenance beyond the regular at some point in the future. Sand drilling into the pitch would help enormously with drainage but is expensive. Cost likely to be several thousand pounds. Also if anything could be done towards the storage area in the recreation ground which was in need of renewal.
- Clubs really need an additional pitch area due to size of club. Clerk suggested that the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group be made aware as a possible entry into the NP.
- Clerk to contact youth club leader to see if fun football match against the youth club could be arrange.
- Date for next meeting. A date to be set nearer the time in the month of March, unless a meeting was needed before.