

SENIOR SECTION COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES - 18th July 2025



Present:

Will Polland - Captain & Chair (WP)
Mick Hempstock - Immediate Past Captain (MH)
James Newsom - Treasurer (JN)
Dave Stiff - Secretary (DS)

Apologies:

Ross McFarlane - Vice-Captain (RM)
John Frost - External Fixtures Sec (JF)
Lawrence Burt - Internal Fixtures Sec (LB)
Steve Garmston - Mens Captain & Liaison Officer (SG)

Item No	Subject	Discussion/Action	Actionee	Action By
1	Introduction	WP thanked everyone who was able to attend and thanked the cttee members for their continued support - especially given the weather!		
2	Actions from Last Meeting	The minutes, having being circulated previously, were agreed as a true record of events. There were no outstanding actions.		
3	Finance	JN stated there were no unusual occurrences and that the account and cash balance sit at a healthy £1173.25.		
4	Internal Fixtures	<p>There was an excellent turn out for the Russell Orr competition and well done to Ian Maughan and Paul Thompson winning with 45pts on count back. Our next internal competition is against the women on the 6th August and after that the Seniors Championship which will be the last of the summer stableford rounds counting towards the eclectic series on Friday the 19th September.</p> <p>The cttee agreed that going forward trophy engraving must be paid from the event income and that twos would only be awarded if the same would allow.</p> <p>The cttee recognised that entries for competitions are down in most cases on last year. LB is going to attempt to address this.</p>		
5	External Fixtures	Seniors matches are going well, with the help of last minute volunteers we have managed to fulfil all 16 places for the 13		

Item No	Subject	Discussion/Action	Actionee	Action By
		<p>matches we have played.</p> <p>Next 2 matches are away at Brough and Hessle.</p> <p>The cost of the meals has risen due to higher catering costs (National Insurance, Minimum Wage, Energy and Food). Therefore in future we will be paying £16 for a 1 course meal and coffee on arrival. Elsham players will still have to contribute £1 towards the Jim Kirman end of season function.</p> <p>The Captains Exchange day at Selby went extremely well, in the end we had 36 players for a Stableford Competition extremely The cost of £30 was extremely good value, food was good and course was in excellent condition. JF will enquire how the Selby team got on at Elsham GC.</p> <p>Work is ongoing on the 2026 diary.</p> <p>A club has requested to rejoin our fixture list.</p> <p>WP thanked everyone for supporting and organising his exchange day which was excellent on all levels. He submitted the results to DS for subsequent publishing to the website</p> <p>Afternote:</p> <p>WP agreed to discuss catering options in time for the next home match. He also agreed to discuss the fixture list with JF & RM before next year's diary is submitted by DS to Dir Golf.</p>	<p>DS</p> <p>WP</p>	<p>31 Jul</p> <p>31 Jul</p>
6	Seniors News Round	There were items in addition to the newsletter's standing entries.	DS	31 Jul
7	AOB	Nil		
8	Date of next meeting	The next Cttee Meeting will be held on Mon 11th Aug.	All	11 Aug

Original signed

D STIFF

Section Secretary