



YEOVIL TOWN SUPPORTERS SOCIETY LTD (Glovers Trust)

Date of Meeting: 22/02/21

Present:

- Brendon Owen (Chair)
- John Oakes (Vice Chair)
- Ian Perkins (Comms)
- Adam Skinner
- Roger Pipe
- Barrie David
- Mike Vallis
- Steve Seaby
- Terri Burt
- Vernon Edmunds
- Ross McKendrick
- Stuart Tilley. (Secretary)

Announcements

No official announcements.

Minutes from last meeting were agreed correct.

No apologies as all board members present.

Discussion

SAG minutes.

Letter to members.

A.O.B.

SAG meeting.

A discussion of the minutes of the SAG meeting developed between all members where by John suggested that we put our own true version of events together as both Adam & John who had attended the meeting agreed that they were incorrect. It was also pointed out that the minutes had been put out without firstly going to the various supporter's groups first for their accuracy. Therefore, they hadn't been agreed to be correct. Also, within the minutes the Trust had not been put in a fair light & had been more or less condemned.

Brendon then suggested we should e-mail Kirsty at the club over it to give us the chance to put a correct version of events of the meeting. Brendon had also had a phone call from Mark Kelly who likewise thought the minutes were incorrect. He had gone on to say that he wanted to be singing from the same sheet as us with a correct version of the events of the meeting.

John continued that we should contact the club saying we don't agree with their account of the meeting that took place and we will send them our version which we are prepared to stand by.

Adam thought that the other groups would agree to it after we put it out.

After further discussion of the board, it was agreed to e-mail Kirsty at the club with our version. If the club agrees they will publish it if they don't, we then put our version out to our members keeping it all at a professional level.

Moving on, Brendon is going to phone Robert Orrett at SSDC to clarify some points about the sale between them and SP.

A.O.B.

Vernon spoke first saying he still hadn't had a reply from the club from the letter he had sent asking certain questions as a shareholder.

Barrie had also sent or about to, asking the same questions with some slight changes to Vernon's original letter.

Terri continued by asking if Ian had sorted the PayPal issue to which he replied that he will have to contact Dean over it as not received the information back to date. Terri continued that she had delivered the trust merchandise to Brendon who was going to do a stock take on it all.

Brendon then spoke about the change of address with the Co-op Bank who had insisted on signatures on original paper work and would be sending it the secretary for his signature.

Steve then asked if the trust were still going to use his home address for communications for official letters etc. To which Brendon replied yes but it doesn't happen over night as the case with official bodies.

Roger then explained he had been in touch with someone at Bath City with reference to share ownership of the club at Bath. He had said he would be happy to come in on a zoom meeting with us and share some information on community share ownership. Roger continued, dependant on what happens with our membership vote should we be looking at what happens next.

Barrie then spoke, that he had looked at the valuation of YTFC which is put at 1.5 to 2.5 Million pounds on the company's house web site. This meaning that we have an official idea of value rather than what some one had suggested or just a figure plucked out of thin air.

Ian had spoken to Heather McGinley from the Charlton trust who had been their chair person for several years. She had pointed Ian in the direction of the podcast about Bury and what had happened there and certain individuals who should never be allowed any where near the dealings of football clubs. Heather had also stated that she and Charlton trust would be happy to support YTFC trust in any way they could.

Ross then spoke about a Zine he was writing and was wondering if the trust could help out with some costings for it to be put to print. It was agreed he would get some quotes first for a print run and then the trust would consider it. Mike then gave some advice that his Father was in the print industry where several of his work colleagues were YTFC fans and may be able to do the print run at cost. Mike was going to talk to his father about the possibilities.

Adam and Steve had been tidying up the membership and how many actual members owed membership costs. Brendon had replied that some of those members were on a fee holiday because of a decision made by the former trust board not to charge due to the restraints of covid 19.

There was then a short discussion on membership cards. Should we be looking in upgrading and investing in an up-market type more like a credit/debit card which would look more professional.

Adam going to look into it and get some quotes for going down this route.

Ian then commented on a friend who works for Albert Goodman who had contacted him whilst our meeting was taking place. Ian was going to set up a meeting with him on a possible share scheme. Information to follow at a later date.

Next Meeting. 4/3/21 @19.00hrs.