



Firesport UK

Firesquash UK Section

Annual General Meeting 2019

Held at Nottingham Squash Club on the 4th May 2019

Notes

The meeting opened at 18.05

In absence of Wayne Bowcock Paul Drakes took the Chair

Paul welcomed everyone present and thanked them for attending.

Attendance: as per the register.

Apologies: received from Wayne Bowcock, Martin Nash, Paul Gascoigne, Ron Hownsell, Pete O'Hara, Dave Parsons, Dave Martell and Ian Williams

Previous AGM Notes: The notes from Annual General Meeting held in 2018 had been circulated prior to the meeting.

Matters arising:

The Quadrangular would be in Nottingham again this year.

Chairs report: see separate document.

Treasurers report: The treasurer's financial report had been circulated prior to the meeting and he proposed it as a true record of the financial position of the section which was agreed unanimously.

Paul highlighted the issues with regard Quadrangle expenses and income being delayed.

Paul reported that the Committee expenses would be higher this year if he went to the National AGM as it was to be held in Scotland.

He reiterated that it was essential for someone from the section to attend the Fire Sport UK Annual General Meeting to support our grant application, and he would attend if Wayne Bowcock could not.

There being no other nominations the 2019/20 committee were re-elected unanimously on block except for the Tournament Secretary, which would remain vacant for the time being.

Any Other Business:

Some suggestions as to how the registration and draw process could be improved were discussed and it was agreed we trial a pay in a advance, system next year possibly with an electronic draw.

The introduction of an Over 60's competition was discussed, and it was agreed we gauge interest next year.

It was agreed we should resurrect the Regional Competition.

Paul updated the meeting on national issues.

Karl Mullins asked whether consideration had been given to markers and it was agreed semi finals and finals would be marked next year.

Nottingham Squash Club had been booked for the 1st to the 3rd May 2020 [May Bank Holiday weekend again] for next year's national championships.

The meeting ended at 18.39hrs.

Paul Drakes
On behalf of the Hon Secretary