



NSMBA Committee Meeting 4th March 2026

Minutes

Attendees

Sue Gunter, John Fox, Nicola Frost, Janice Fox, Adam Hawkins, Dave Ekins, Mike Edwards, Chris Weston

Apologies; Paul D'Inverno, Wendy Kean.

SG Welcome

1. Constitution. DE presented proposal for change. Following general discussion committee agreed the proposed changes to s5 B&C. JF confirmed the proposal will be sent to clubs prior to the AGM.
2. Match play rules. A request to consider amending the rules in relation to clubs cancelling games was received by the committee. It was agreed to defer to the next meeting.(tbc)
3. Treasurer. NF asked if the layout of the accounts was useful all agreed it was. NF requests that all payment requests needs to be

submitted prior to the last Friday of the month. It was agreed that JF as Secretary needs to be on the banking. General discussion then took place regarding late payments which had to be settled as this was not concluded by the previous treasurer. NF we do have a new auditor in place.

4. Update on leagues and County ICC competition. DE day 5`s playoff is between Old Stratford and Pytchley. This is scheduled 3.15 18th March at Harpole. Evening 5`s will be between Old Stratford and Bletchley date and time tbc. 8`s are coming to a conclusion. CW the ICC match against Hereford resulted in Hereford beating Northants.

AOB.

SG Harrold have requested dates for next seasons. CW will contact Harrold.

NF Harpole charge £20 per committee meeting. Day 5`s will be £25 + £1 pp for tea/coffee.

AGM £35 including tea/coffee.

SG website setting up needs logo.

JF having seen the video`s on Facebook some people were not asked if they were happy being on video on Facebook. JF not happy being on the platform and others may not be either. This was supported by NF, ME and Jan F. General discussion on how to deal with the situation and that the match against Hereford would be taken down JF stressed support for the idea on filming etc .

AH Great Houghton need a safeguarder by 2028. General discussion on the issue of safeguarding.

SG suggestion of having an open forum coaching day. All agreed in principle.

Next Meeting: TBC

