



<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Minutes of a meeting of the Wimborne RFC Mini and Youth Committee Held on 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2009 at 1900</b></p> <p><b>Present: Paul, Fiona, Simon, Margaret</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ACTION</b></p>
<p><b>1. Apologies:</b> Martin, Sandy, Rob, Barry</p> <p><b>2. Minutes approved of previous meeting held on 24<sup>th</sup> September 2009 with the following outstanding issues.</b>            RFU proficiency award needs to be continued this coming season as part of the continued SoA and this will be carried out at the under 8, 10 and 12 age groups <b>Barry</b> to co-ordinate                Seal of Approval list for keeping up to date                Follow up email to parents of children who have left the club                Email to co-ordinators with regard to winter arrangements</p> <p><b>3. Discipline</b>            A letter of complaint has been received following the Salisbury tournament last weekend, following this letter an under 9's parent has been suspended pending a report from the RFU. All coaches and co-ordinators should read the email sent out by the Mini and Youth chairman.</p> <p><b>4. Coaching aid</b>            Some age groups are receiving online training aids with Dan Cottrell being the most commonly used. Each age group is funding this aid themselves, it has been suggested that perhaps this should be co-ordinated by the coaching co-ordinator and sent out to all coaches. Investigations shall be made as to how best to achieve this for the different age groups, Simon will look up the RFU link and costings involved. It is hoped that this could lead to a link being set up on the website.</p> <p><b>5. Social</b>            The clubhouse has been booked for 18<sup>th</sup> December and tickets should be made available as soon as possible. As there is still no social rep this will need to be driven by the committee.</p> <p><b>6. AOB</b></p> <p>a) Katrina from Sport in Schools Partnership attended the meeting as she is trying to help club development within local schools. The aim is to get children at</p>	<p><b>Barry/Sandy Fiona Sandy Sandy</b></p> <p><b>All</b></p> <p><b>Simon/Barry</b></p> <p><b>Rob</b></p>

<p>school playing rugby before they drift off to other sports. Katrina is funded by QE but spends most of her time in the Wimborne Middle Schools. It is a government aim for every child to participate in 5 hours of sport a week; this is not possible at school alone and the support of local clubs is required. Katrina would like to get coaches into the middle schools to help out and it is also suggested that the club hold rugby play days in half terms. The links are already in place for most of this to happen they just need to be reinforced. Katrina will now liaise with Simon and Nick Elborne with the aim of getting a Wednesday one off session running for Allenborne and St Michaels to attend at the club, to reinforce what is happening within the schools already.</p> <p>b) London Irish will spend a Sunday session to coach the under 9's and 11's 7<sup>th</sup> March 2010</p> <p>c) Whole club seal of approval needs to be progressed by the end of the season and this is to be done by both the senior and mini committees.</p> <p>d) If any age group has old sets of shirts that they are no longer using could they contact Fiona so the club can send it to SOS kit which supports the awareness of rugby around the world.</p> <p>e) To date the shop has taken over £3000 in kit sales this is an excellent figure which could not have been achieved without the Nisi family and the committee would offer them the clubs thanks.</p> <p>f) As reported previously Waitrose have sponsored the mini and youth section of the club, some of this money will be spent on large banners for each age group these retail at £300 each. Paul will email the co-ordinators to check who has gazebos and this should highlight how best to spend the rest of the sponsorship money.</p> <p><b>g) Following the Salisbury tournament all Co-ordinators are to ensure that all players are registered prior to playing any form of rugby. If in doubt please contact the membership secretary.</b></p> <p><b>The meeting closed at 20.17 the next meeting has not been arranged and all committee members are requested to let the secretary know what day of the week is best for them before the next date is confirmed</b></p>	<p><b>Simon</b></p> <p><b>Fiona</b></p> <p><b>All</b></p> <p><b>Fiona</b></p> <p><b>All</b></p> <p><b>Paul/Fiona</b></p> <p><b>Margaret</b></p>
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