



Cheshire Association of Groundsmen

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Minutes of CAG meeting 3/June/19

Present Richard Cragg, Dave Twiney, Paul Agar, John Bygate, Patrick Hutchinson, Gareth Moorhouse

Apologies Ian Schora, Andy Horsfield

Last Meeting Minutes – accepted

Richard led us through the published agenda –

1. Training – Autumn Renovation – DT explained how our previous arrangement with the IOG was not working very well. We have 6 candidates for the Autumn course. Paul Agar is happy to run it. He will advise DT on place and time so this can be circulated.
2. Pitch Inspectors – DT summarised his understanding of the procedure to appoint a replacement Pitch Inspector. Gareth Moorhouse will contact Ian Mather-Brewster to get this going. Paul Agar will call Alex Kegg to encourage him to apply..
3. AGS renovation demo. Andy Horsfield is leading this project – no update available.
4. UKFast ground Inspections- Patrick Hutchinson described his inspection team and the kind of reports they do. He went into some detail on problems at Wirral, Maritime and Port Sunlight. DT and RC would like to join in with his team.
5. County League – John Bygate produced the pitch mark table for the current season. Some comments on the state of Brooklands and Bollington.
6. Gareth Moorgate described an Under 19 event to be held in July including a contribution on Groundsmanship to be given by Paul Agar.
7. DT wondered if we could arrange a Groundsman's cricket game.
8. RC still has no access to the CAG bank account. DT to chase NatWest.

Next Meeting:- to be announced.

Date

Signed