

Buxton Cricket, Bowls and Tennis Overall Main Club Committee  
Monday Oct 14<sup>th</sup> 2024. 7pm in the Pavilion. Minutes

Apologies from Allan Ramsey and Will Annison

1. Finance The Treasurer reported that the club now had a new two year contract and tariff with Eon. The balance in the account was £8,700 with one section's payment still to come. He asked that after the AGM, when the payment is decided, it was the responsibility of each section's representative to ensure that it was paid. He did not wish to send out reminders.

2. Trees The Chairman commented on the loss of the tree by the tennis courts. A tree survey had been conducted and Paul Storer was due to do the resulting work. A diseased lime at the back of the coppice below the top car park is to be felled and several broken or dangerous branches on other trees removed. He had made clear that the council were responsible in the light of any delay in doing this work. He recommended that nobody park in the top car park when there is a strong wind.

Action: Bob M to ask tree officer about pollarding the Horse Chestnut by the tennis courts.

3. Electrical Review The Chairman reported that the cricket club had experienced regular tripping out during the season. He had asked an electrician to do a review of all the electrics in the pavilion with recommendations for any remedial work.

Action: Bob M to report back

4. Pavilion Extension Will A reported by email on the progress of the cricket club's plan to extend the pavilion to make it fit for purpose. The club had recently submitted a pre-planning application to the council and were moving forward with fundraising. Carol T told the committee about the tennis section's plan to re-surface the courts and renew the fencing expressed her concern about both sections applying for the same grants. It was agreed that there was transparency and communication between sections about grant application.

Action: Bob M to send the Preplanning App to Peter and Carol. He asked that it did not go further than each section's committee at this stage.

5. Fireworks Bob M reported that there will be more lighting outside the pavilion. The Bowls toilet at the back of the pavilion would need to be used. Cricket Club would run the bar and kitchen refreshments with profit to overall club.

Action: Bob M and Carol T to find out if tennis might be able to provide mulled wine as an additional income stream.

6. The AGM will be on Monday January 27<sup>th</sup> 2025 in the pavilion.

7. The next committee meeting will be on Monday April 7<sup>th</sup> 2025 in the pavilion