HORSMONDEN SOCIAL CLUB COMMITTEE

Minutes of meeting Tuesday, 3rd October, 2023 19.45pm

Present: Lindsey Chave (Chair), Bridgette Walsh, (Secretary) Richard Edmed, Jan Botten, David Watson, Lawrence Arscott, Jimmy Webb, Sydney Cornish, Anthony Hacker

Apologies Nick Belton, Alison Scott, Nick Miller, (Treasurer) Paul Fleury, Tim Coyne, Jordan de Saa September Minutes agreed.

CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT: Ray Wood has ordered three internal doors (two are fire doors) with 11 keys, which he is fitting for free, £801.00. A key pad with a fob will be fitted at a later date to the cellar door. The renovation of the front door is still outstanding, quotes needed.

Christmas lights and tree to be set up on Saturday 25th November, volunteers needed.

Events: Saturday 21st October NASHVILLE NIGHT, a ticketed event, to be collected from Club.

Wednesday 25th October PUMPKIN CARVING.

Saturday 28th October Hovec HALLOWEEN EVENT.

Saturday 11th November, TENNIS CLUB QUIZ

Saturday 18th November WINE TASTING, ticketed event.

Saturday 25th November PRIMARY SCHOOL QUIZ.

Friday 1st - 3rd December Hovec WINTER FESTIVAL.

Saturday 23rd December, CHRISTMAS DRAW, will commence at 5pm, to encourage families, contacting choir, money prizes using different format. Selling to commence 17th October.

It was agreed that the Drag Night was a huge success but, because of a slight problem, it was agreed that these events should now be ticketed, with people collecting their tickets from the Club. PC requested weeds to be cleared from paths. Lindsey and David to arrange a meeting to increase bar prices. Bottled bitters to be bought. Guinness surger needs replacing. Carlsberg rep said not enough of their products are being bought, so prices could be increased.

TREASURERS REPORT: Bank Balance at end of September £15,801.38 because of additional payments: £2280 Snooker table maintenance, £750 donation to Kindy. £673 oil. £360 Hilden Park Accountants. £1700 transferred to Savings Account.

SECRETARYS REPORT: No extra bookings received.

MEMBERSHIP 13 New Members. PayPal to be set up for renewals but new members must apply in person. From second week in October New Member applications will be dated until end of December 2024.

AOB: TREASURE CHEST to be operated on three Fridays and one Saturday per month.

New CARD READER faster to use, a slight problem when busy on Saturday night.

Sidney Cornish to step down from Committee because of work commitments, he was thanked for his input over the years and hopefully he will still be able to help out on occasions.

Meeting ended 9.15pm

Next Meeting 31st October, 2023.