

Minutes of a General Committee Meeting held at the Club on May 17th 1956.

The Captain Mr W O Bolt presided.

Present: Messrs Cawthron, Lees, Haselden, Buckley, Harrop, Cooper, Butlin, Hobson, Wood, Battersby and Whitfield.

Apologies: Mr H Firth (Holidays)

Minutes of Handicap Committee were read and accepted as a true record.
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The secretary was requested to apply for an extension of the License to ~~40~~ 11.30 p.m. for June 2nd and June 30th.

Mr Butlin gave his statement of accounts.
Accounts to the value of £382-16-4 were passed for payment.

It was decided to obtain a Report from N W Gas Board on fuel consumption for heating of the Club premises.
Mr J Buckley promised to get particulars of same.

It was decided that in future a charge of 1/6 would be made for the replacement of lost Locker Keys.

The Secretary was informed to write to Duncans of Oldham respecting the smashed Electric Clock and inform them that this was their affair and to get the matter put in hand.

Matches with Oldham Golf Club were arranged for Sunday 17th June at Oldham and 29th July at Ashton.

It was decided that we send a letter to the A P C and inform them that we are prepared to waive Entrance Fees but subscriptions to be paid in Full. Their difficulties are appreciated and we are prepared to refund any Subscription in case of removal, the remission to be in Twelveths as from the date of membership. Suggested that a Donation of £1-1-0 per member be made in lieu of Entrance Fees, same to apply to this year only. Moved by Mr R Wood and seconded by Mr J Buckley.

It was decided that the Gentlemens Smoke Room be opened to the Ladies on June 2nd.

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Minutes of a Special Committee Meeting held at the Club on Thursday May 31st 1956.

Present: Mr W O Bolt (Captain) and Messrs Haselden, Wood, Buckley, Butlin, Harrop, and Whitfield. S Battersby & F Cooper.

Apologies: R Lees, H Firth, H Cawthron, Hobson.

The Captain presided and informed the Committee that the meeting had been called owing to the Steward, Mr Cowan, having handed in his resignation, through illness.

It was decided to advertise for a new Steward in the following Newspapers. Reporter Group, Oldham Chronicle, (weekly edition) Manchester Evening News, Manchester Guardian, and Stockport Gazette.

Agreed that the Captain, Treasurer and Secretary vet all the applications and that the Committee to be notified for date of interviews of selected applicants.

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