



**SWANSEA LAWN TENNIS AND SQUASH RACKETS CLUB**  
**TENNIS COMMITTEE**

**MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 19/09/11 AT 6.00PM**

Present: Tony Cuff, Robin Chen, Louie Davies, Jeff Gleave, Tony Ridout, Cliff Sarfas

**1. Previous minutes were approved**

**2. Courts/Grounds/Facilities**

- a) An electrical fault was to blame for the failure of the water system for Courts 7~9. The system is now OK. The electrical control board has been relayed. A photograph of the board will be taken and used to prepare instructions.
- b) Following recent strong winds wind breaks need to be tidied. W/c 02/10 has been earmarked.
- c) The stops on the double gates of Courts 1~3 need repairing
- d) Bev & Irene have taken over the club's food catering

**3. Coaching**

- a) JG and LD held a review meeting with the club coaches. The coaches agreed the following points:
  - i) All coached juniors should be club members.
  - ii) 20~30 new junior members in next month or so
  - iii) They will endeavour to come to the Tennis Committee meeting at least quarterly. It was recognised that the normal meeting time clashes with coaching activity.

**4. Teams /Tennis Activities**

- a) Courtstall summer leagues performance:
  - i) Mens 1 finished 3<sup>rd</sup> in Premier 1
  - ii) Mens 2 finished 2<sup>nd</sup> in Div 1 West
  - iii) Mens 3 finished 3<sup>rd</sup> in Div 1 West Central
  - iv) Ladies 1 demoted 2 divisions from Premier 1 due to failure to play 2 matches.
  - v) Ladies 2 promoted to Div 1 West.
  - vi) Ladies 3 3<sup>rd</sup> in Div 2 West
- b) Two junior teams won their divisions. Mixed U9s won Div 1 and Mixed U8s won Div 2
- c) Vets winter league – We will run 1 mens team, 2 ladies and 1 mixed
- d) Cymru Kitchens winter league - We will run 1 Mens team



- e) Club Tournament – All matches completed except Boys Doubles and Mixed Doubles
- f) Bath friendly was won by us!
- g) Tennis Wales plans by to promote community tennis. This could be an opportunity for us.
- h) Tennis Wales requires us to alter the wording of the club's constitution
- i) Tennis Wales will be holding an open evening on the 12/11/11
- j) Tennis Wales award evening will be held on the 7/10/11

### **5. Treasurers Report**

Tennis account balance is £1063. A sum of £500 will be transferred to the club accounts

### **6. AOB**

- a) Mark Lewis will hold a Child Protection Act training session at the club on the 21/09/11 at 6.00pm
- b) The club now has 106 Facebook members.
- c) It is proposed to amend the club's bye laws to allow nominated juniors to play on Tuesday social tennis evenings

Next Meeting: Monday 17<sup>th</sup> October @ 2.00 pm.

**Tony cuff**