

Committee met at 9.0pm 22 Nov 1921

Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by  
Mr Cooper & the following members -  
W Ashley J Howlett W Cunningham  
E Parker L Slater A Sims  
T Hayes E Cowcher J Turrell  
J Carter & C Chroat

Minutes of previous meeting were  
read approved & signed.

House Competitions Shove Halfpenny  
results Doubles G Ho 4 pts R Ho 2 pts  
Singles B - 2. R - 1 -

House Boxing to take place on  
Dec 10<sup>th</sup> Entries close 3 Dec.

Girling appeared & was requested to  
arrange with Selwyn re his affairs  
with that club.

Indoor Games. Teams were selected to  
play Webbe at Eton on Thursday next.

Return match with Hosston  
Manor at Hosston was fixed for  
Dec 6<sup>th</sup>.

Billiard Championship. The draw

was made. & a list was to be posted  
on Notice Board

S Lambeth appeared after suspension  
& gave assurances of good behaviour  
in the future

Decided to close the club on  
Saturday next the occasion of the  
Camp Ball

Decided to hold a high jump  
competition in the Hall during  
December.

Others fines J.C. Green A Passmore  
Torkington & Hawnton had paid  
their others fines since last meeting  
Inter Club games v Old Boys. The  
Chairman regretted that he had forgotten  
to mention this matter at the o.b.  
C'tu meeting but would do so at  
the first opportunity

The meeting closed with a hearty vote  
of thanks to the Chairman for presiding

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29.11.21.

The Committee met at 9.0pm 29 XI 21  
 Mr Waggoner the chair supported by  
 Messrs Swift, Cooper & the following  
 members A Smyrk E Woods J Howlett  
 W Cunningham C Parker J Hayes  
 A Goodyear C Cowcher J Turrell  
~~A Bates~~ J Foole C Choat.

The minutes of previous meeting were read  
 confirmed & signed

It was decided to postpone the date of  
 House Competition Boxing. Mr Cooper to  
 arrange date with Boxing Committee.

The Chairman spoke of the great loss the  
 Club had sustained by the death of  
 Mr Graves. The Committee & members  
 would, he knew, tender their sincere  
 sympathy with Mrs Graves & family  
 on their bereavement. It was resolved  
 that a letter of condolence & sympathy on  
 behalf of the boys Club should be sent  
 to Mrs Graves & that the club should  
 be closed on Thursday next the day of  
 the funeral.

Committee duties for ensuing week were

allotted.

Others fines. The following members who  
 had not paid their others fines, & who  
 had failed to respond to the  
 request to appear before this Committee  
 with regard to this matter were ordered  
 to be 'struck off' the list of Club  
 Members - A Boardman <sup>1</sup>Jordan  
<sup>2</sup>J Stratton ~~J Jameson~~ G Jones  
 J Jones W Whellams & G Lines.

The following were written to stating  
 that if their fine was not paid  
 by Tuesday next they would be  
 "struck off" A Woollams <sup>1</sup>J Turner  
 E Bryan <sup>1</sup>D Levy  
 A Johnson & F Leathers were transferred to  
 Supernumerary List

"Struck off" "Arrears of subscriptions" D Angus,  
 A Bates (?) A Boardman, J. Boswell, A. Brown,  
 B. W. Clarke, L. T. Clarke, W. Collins <sup>2</sup>, A Davis, ~~E Elms~~<sup>2</sup>,  
 G. Everness, C. A. Gipp, A. W. Hartman, C. Henbury,  
 S. Hobbs, T. J. Hatchen, <sup>2</sup>A Jacobs, F. T. Jameson,  
~~A Johnson~~<sup>2</sup>, F Jones, G. Jones, J. Jones, S. G. Jordan,  
 C. Kirby, D. Knight, H. Lyons, G. H. Petts,

Phillpotts C, T.W.P. Polaire, J. Power, G. Rayment,  
G.A. Reynolds, G.A. Bolt, C.J. Poole, A. Scatcherd,  
L. Skipper, G. Steel, N. Stone<sup>(2)</sup>, F.W. Shattock  
A. Summerfield, F. Sweeting, H. Saunders,  
J.J.A. Taylor, A. Thornton, J. Traister, C. Warren,  
A.T. Watson, G. Westcott.

The meeting closed with a hearty  
vote of thanks to the Chairman  
for presiding

6.12.21.

M.Wagg

The Committee met at Q. Open 6.12.21  
Mr Wagg in the chair supported by  
Messrs Gilley Cooper, & the following  
members W. Ashby W. Bunnigham  
E. Parker L. Slater A. Sims J. Hayes  
H. Goodey L. Stockbury J. later  
& J. Poole

Minutes of previous meeting were  
read approved & signed  
Committee duties for ensuing week  
were allotted  
a letter of thanks & appreciation

from Mrs Graves thanking the Managers  
& members for their sympathy & condolences,  
& for material aid, in her bereavement  
was read by the Chairman.

Others Fine. J. Turner who is out of work  
was to pay his fine as soon as he  
was in work.

Scouts Membership of this club.

Jennings G. Pittock H. Goodman  
are ~~and~~ members of Scouts club.

They <sup>were</sup> were elected members of this  
club conditionally till the question  
was settled

Inter House Boxing was fixed for  
Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> Dec Entries closing 17<sup>th</sup>  
Inter Club games v Webbe (away)  
fixed for Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec &  
for Bow R<sup>d</sup> home Thursday 12 Jan

Probationers Admitted L. J. Morrison, A. Childs  
J. A. Kilby, E. Stokes, A. H. Poole, J. Harrington,  
T. Nelson, G. Johnson, R. Mansfield, L. A. Smith,  
C. E. Eldon, E. Elbridge, L. W. Rogers, S. G. Knape,  
R. Williamson, J. E. Collins, D. T. Burleton, A. D. Hayes,  
W. S. Bishop, L. Wilks, F. E. Gay, F. Larkey, S. Cameron,

H. Ward, G. Sadler, E. Chandler, J. Burcham.  
 W. J. Fiąge, A. A. Sampson.  
New members elected :- D. Angles, A. Macklin,  
 T. W. Eddicott, H. Clark, E. C. Julian, C. Parish,  
 C. H. Stapley, B. Barr, E. Newland, G. J. Gadeke  
 A. Parker, J. A. Godfrey, P. Norwood, W. H. Gibson,  
 E. G. Stevens, G. Pittock, A. Stolder, J. C. Brooks,  
 A. E. Jarvis, W. Longhurst, F. Keen, A. Unduhill,  
 S. J. French, W. Paixie, T. Aldridge, G. T. Gurney,  
 A. Davies, D. J. Edwards, E. H. Pope, T. Bonacott,  
 L. Lewinstein, J. R. Tucker, H. Goodman, V. Sampson.

The meeting closed with a hearty vote  
 of thanks to the chairman for presiding

Webbe  
B. 1. 21

The Committee met at 9.0pm 13 Dec 21  
 Mr Webbe in the chair supported by  
 Messrs Villiers Waggs Bennison Cooper,  
 & the following members E. Woods  
 W. Cunningham E. Parker L. Slates  
 J. Hayes H. Goodyear G. Stickbury  
 G. Bowker J. Turrell & later J. Poole  
 G. Choat.

Minutes of previous meeting were read  
 approved & signed.  
 The question of Scouts being admitted  
 to membership was discussed. It  
 was pointed out that some  
 troops were affiliated to the F.L.W.B.C.  
 & that if we admitted members of  
 these clubs to membership of this  
 club the question might arise as  
 to which club they could represent  
 in competitions etc. It was  
 decided that they could be  
 admitted to membership, subject to  
 their managers approving that this  
 club had first claim on them for  
 all athletic sports etc in which  
 this club competed, & also that they have  
no social club connected with their group.  
Indoor games. Teams to meet  
 Bow Rd were selected.

The date for meeting Webbe away  
 was altered from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> Dec  
Barber It was announced that  
 the Barber would commence operations  
 on Monday next. He would use

as a Barber's shop, the lavatory in the Hall, nearer the Boys' Billiard room. Numbered tickets could be obtained at the bar - Haircut & wash up 4<sup>d</sup>. Shampoo 4<sup>d</sup>. No payment of any description to be made to the Barber.

Put & Take. It was observed that this game might easily cloak gambling. Clemen were requested to watch closely with a view to forbidding the game in the club if gambling was detected.

The medal competition for High jump was postponed on account of insufficient entries.

Footballers Use of Hall. It was agreed that regular members of the football team should be allowed to use the Hall for skipping etc on Tuesday evenings from 7.30 till 8.45 pm.

Gymnastic or Boxing gear was not to be used - as also all members of Athletic Society.

Dances Resolved that a recommendation

should be made from this Committee to Dance Committees, that the numbers of tickets issued for dancing should be limited, to prevent overcrowding. Beef & Pudding Handicap. Entries to close by 9 pm Tuesday next.

Concert Decided that the concert arranged by Col. Whitfeld for Saturday next, should be open, free, to members, & admission by ticket only, to be obtained from House Whips. Senior members would also have one ticket issued to them for a guest.

Bank Holiday Decided to close the club on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> Dec (Official Boxing Day)

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding

Gloster

20. XII. 21

The Committee met at 9.0pm 20.12.21  
 Mr. Wellerly in the Chair supported by Messrs  
 Swift Cadogan Cooper & the following  
 members - W Ashley W Cunningham  
 E Parker L Slater J Hayes H Goodyear  
 C Boat C Bowcher J Turrell.

Minutes of previous meeting were read, & with slight additions, confirmed & signed

Barber. Decided that the charge for shaving should be 2<sup>d</sup>.

Decided that the Committee meeting next week should be held on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> Dec at 8.30pm.

Indoor Games Teams to represent the Club against "Webb" on 29<sup>th</sup> inst (away) were selected.

A Stolle J Stroud A Childs & L Edwards appeared for rowdyism. All were suspended for a fortnight & ordered to appear before the Committee on Jan'y 3<sup>rd</sup> 1922.

1<sup>st</sup> aid The Chairman pointed out that there had been a marked falling off in the attendance at the 1<sup>st</sup> aid class. It was very necessary if we were

to hold the Cup we won last year that members should "stick to it." Decided to post a notice to this effect, & also asking for new members.

Beef & Pudding Handicap. A Sub. (tee consisting of Messrs Coopers Cunningham, Slater, Hoblett & Turrell were appointed to make the handicap etc. The games would start at 7.30pm sharp. Any one absent when their names were called would be scratched.

C Wooder to be written to attend next committee meeting for representing another club at Football

A.A. Atwood to appear next committee meeting for rowdyism

J Webb & Webb to be summoned for similar offences

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding

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8.30pm

The Committee met at 9.00pm 28/12/21  
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by  
 Messrs Badgian Cooper & the following  
 members of the committee W Ashley  
 J Howlett L Parker A Sims J Hayes  
 A Goodyear G Stockbury & Cowcher  
 J Turrell J Poole & C Boat

Minutes of previous meeting were read  
 approved & signed

J Webb to be written to informing him  
 that he is not to use the club until  
 he has appeared before the committee  
 with respect to a charge of rowdy conduct  
 Webb (probationer) to the W Longhurst to  
 be requested to attend next Ctee meeting  
 Desborough Unis. Decided to provisionally  
 fix the date for Sat Feb 4<sup>th</sup>

#### House Competition Boxing Results -

White Hs 12 points Green Hs 9 pts Blues Hs 7 pts Red Hs 4 pts  
C. Wooders appeared for playing football  
for another club. His explanation was  
 accepted

A. Attwood appeared for rowdy  
 behaviour at the concert 17<sup>th</sup> inst. He

had previously been suspended for a similar  
 offence. He was suspended for 3 weeks  
 & warned to appear before the Ctee on  
 17<sup>th</sup> Jan

The meeting closed with a hearty vote  
 of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

M. W. 3/1/22.

The Committee met at 9.00pm 3 Jan 1922  
 Mr Waggs in the chair supported by Mr Cooper  
 & the following members of the Committee  
 E Woods, W Ashley, J Howlett, W Cunningham  
 L Parker, L Slater, A Sims, J Hayes.  
 A Goodyear, & Cowcher J Turrell & Cates  
 J Poole & C Boat

Minutes of previous meeting were read  
 approved & signed.

Committee duties for ensuing week  
 were allotted

Cinema Lecture on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> inst.  
 Decided to close the club at 8.15pm.

One ticket for a member & one for a friend  
 to be issued. Any tickets remaining unissued

after Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> not to be issued to any member requiring them. E. Wood, J. Poole & Parker & W. Cunningham volunteered to act as stewards. Decided that children under 14 should not be admitted unless accompanied by parents or adults.

J. Webb who had twice been summoned to appear before the Committee for rowdyism was "struck off" for non appearance.

W. Longhurst to be summoned to attend next Committee meeting or be dealt with in his absence.

A. Childs & J. Strong appeared after a fortnight's suspension & were cautioned as to their future conduct.

A. Stolle to be written, to appear when better  
L. Edwards to be written that he is not to use the club until he has appeared before the C'tee

J. Gray, M. Rais & Barrett were cautioned for "rowdyism".

Probationers elected Percy Mallin,  
Percy Cockrell, A.C. Butterley, H.A. Killaway,  
R. Levy

New Members elected J. J. Dennis,  
A. Childs, J. H. Kilbey, A. H. Poole,  
J. Warington, G. Johnson, J. A. Smith,  
C. E. Eldon, G. A. Knope, G. Wellesley,  
L. G. Collins, W. J. Burleton, H. D. Hughes,  
W. S. Bishop, L. Wilks, E. Larbey, H. Ward,  
K. Chandler, A. Hellier, A. Simpson,  
C. Stokes.

Ping Pong C. Boat raised the question of ping pong tables for the Boys Club.

The Chairman said that he was sure Mr. Wellesley would appreciate discussion on this point - when he returned.

House Competition Cadet competition to be played by Friday 13<sup>th</sup> January. Rules for this competition were adopted & placed on the notice Board. Heedia has the Essay Writing, Serious & Comic Recitation, Reading, Freehand & Map Drawing should be held in last week of January - if possible. Mr. Cooper to make arrangements.

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairmen for presiding. Councillors were asked to "gongit up" members of their Houses for Harriers, Gymnasium & Physical Drill.

The Committee met at 9.0pm 10 Jan 22  
 Mr Wagg in the chair supported by Messrs  
 Swift, Cooper, & the following members of  
 the Committee - W Ashley <sup>I Howlett</sup>  
 W Cunningham E Parker I Hayes  
 H Goodyear E Cowcher J Turrell  
 & later J Poole L Boat.

Minutes of previous meeting were read  
 approved & signed

W Longhurst, who had twice been summoned  
 to appear for rowdyism, did not appear.  
 Decided that he be "struck off" membership.  
 T Gray & P McNamee were suspended for a  
 fortnight & Kean was cautioned for  
 rowdyism. Sergeant Newland to appear at next meeting.  
 Teams to represent this Club v Bow Rd (home)  
 on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> inst were selected.

Whist Drive. Decided that a Whist Drive  
 should be held on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> January  
 provided there were sufficient entries.

Cinema Lecture 14<sup>th</sup> inst. Messrs Goodyear  
 Boat Turrell Ashley & Cowcher volunteered  
 as additional stewards.

Scouts Goodwin (37<sup>th</sup> Hackney Troop) &

Pittock (of 23 Hackney Troop) appeared  
 & informed the Cte that there was no  
 no social or athletic club attached to  
 their troop. Their membership of this  
 Club was confirmed.

Jennings (10<sup>th</sup> Hackney Scouts) wrote saying  
 he was down with 'flu. Confirmation  
 of his membership was postponed till  
 his appearance before the Cte.

Inter Club games with B.B. Mr Badogon  
 undertook to get a date fixed  
 for this.

House Competitions Mr Badogon  
 had promised to arrange for &  
 judge the Essays & Reading.  
 any further particulars would be  
 placed on the Notice Board.

Barber The Chairman pointed out  
 that the Barber was not being  
 sufficiently patronized. Unless there  
 was improvement in the numbers  
 availing themselves of his services, his  
 engagement would have to be terminated.  
 The meeting closed with a hearty vote of  
 thanks to the Chairman for presiding

The Committee met at 9. p.m. on Tuesday Jan. 17 -  
 W. Hellebush in the Chair, supported by W. Bagg  
 W. H. Kimberley, & the following members of the  
 Committee - T. Hayes, J. Poole, J. Water, W. Ashley,  
 A. Lewis, E. Wood, C. Choate, E. Parker, F. Crocker,  
 J. Turrell, G. Sherkley, T. Howlett, H. Goodyear.  
Minutes of the previous meeting were read,

Conferred, and signed.

Business arising out of the Minutes. It was decided to  
 write to the Scutsmasters.

W. Sargent & R. Newland, who had been reported of  
 rowdyish, appeared before the Committee.

Sargent who had been summoned before, was  
 suspended for a fortnight, and Newland was  
 cautioned.

W. Attwood appeared after suspension.  
 The result of the match against Bow Road was  
 reported - he won - 6-4.

It was decided to put up a notice stating  
 that the best dive would start next Saturday  
 at 8. o.c.

The Chairman called attention to the choice  
 at the Lecture on the previous Saturday.  
Barber. The Chairman reported, last week, a

loss of 10/- on the week. A notice was then put  
 up calling members attention to the Barber.  
 Committee duties for the week were allotted.  
Chin Wag. Members were invited to contribute  
 to the Magazine.

Boxing, v. Webb will take place on Saturday  
 Jan. 28<sup>th</sup> at Webb Club.

Ping Pong in the Boys Club. After some discussion  
 the Committee decided that it would be inadvisable  
 to attempt to organise this in the ordinary  
 rooms, but the Chairman promised to see if it  
 would be possible to play certain times during  
 the week in the Rifle Range.

Inter games, between the Boys and Old Boys was  
 fixed for January 26<sup>th</sup>.

Athletic Society. Defaulters to be summoned for  
 next week.

The question of A. Smythe's inability to carry out  
 the duties as Captain of Red House owing this  
 working overtime was considered, and the  
 Chairman undertook to ask Smythe whether  
 he would be able to attend this in future.

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the  
 Chairman for presiding.

The Committee met at 9.0 p.m. 24.11.22  
 Mr Wellesley in the chair, supported by  
 Mrs Swift, Cooper, & the following members  
 H Smyrk, C Woods, W Ashley, W Cunningham  
 E Parker, L Slater, A Sims, T Hayes  
 A Goodyear, G Stockbury, J Turrell Fletcher,  
 C Boat. (A Sims appeared at 9.p.m &  
 requested to leave for private reasons).

Minutes of previous meeting were read  
 approved & signed.

Barber Attention was again called to the fact  
 that the Barber's shop was not paying its  
 way. Gentlemen were asked to remind  
 members, especially when the barber was  
 "slack", that the retention of his services  
 depended on the support of the members.

Ping-Pong. The Chairman stated that  
 there appeared to be no objection to  
 the Rifle Range being used for Ping Pong  
 when not required for shooting, except  
 on Fridays, when as a temporary  
 measure, the range was used by the  
 first aid class. Two tables would  
 be supplied & members could purchase

balls from the bat.  
Inter Club games v Old Boys. Teams to  
 represent the Boys Club & Old Boys, on  
 Thursday next in Old Boys Club, at  
 Codem to have Draughts Whist &  
 Shoe-happenny were selected  
H Smyrk. The Chairman announced that  
 H Smyrk was now able to carry on  
 his duties as Captain of Red House  
 Athletic subscription arrears. Notices had  
 been sent to all in arrears that the  
 Club Committee would consider each case  
 next week.

Basket Making. The Chairman advised  
 that two expert basket makers were  
 willing to attend on two or three evenings  
 per week to give instruction to  
 members, who were out of work, it was decided to post  
 a notice asking for volunteers  
 for this class. Applicants to be over 15 yrs of age  
Boxes for Chess & Draughts. Decided to  
 obtain stronger boxes for these games  
 & to purchase an additional set of  
 Chess men.

E Kelleway appeared for refusing to obey a Commissioner when requested to cease swinging on the ropes in the Hall. Decided to suspend him for a fortnight & that he attend before the Ctee on 7<sup>th</sup> Feb. T. Gray & P. Mc Neir appeared after suspension & gave assurances of good behaviour in the future.

Boys Football Dance. The Boys Club Football C'tee asked permission to hold a dance in the Hall in aid of their football club fund. The Chairman pointed out that the Managers had allocated the Hall for the remainder of the season, for as many dances as they deemed desirable. The boys Club football was not run on the same financial lines as the Old Boys. He would however, consult the other Managers on the subject & would communicate their decision to the Committee.

Washing Bowls Decided to place notices in the Washing place

requesting members to leave the bowls clean after use.

Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted.

House Competitions bad'm results -

White Ho & Green Ho 5 points each, Red & Blue 1 point each

The Essay competition was provisionally fixed for Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> Feb, the Reading competition to take place on the same evening.

The freehand drawing competition was fixed for Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb.

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding

g. m.  
31.1.22.

The Committee met at 9.0 pm 31-1-22  
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by  
 Mr Cooper & the following members of the  
 Committee - Messrs Ashley Howlett Cunningham  
 Parker Hayes Goodyear Stockbury Cowcher  
 Turrell Baker Poole & Ghast.  
 Minutes of previous meeting were read  
 approved & signed

Business arising out of minutes —

(a) Boys Club Football Dance — The  
 Management had decided that a  
 dance for this purpose was not  
 feasible this season. It might be  
 considered more satisfactory if a joint  
 football dance was held next year.

(b) House Competition decided that the  
 Reading & Essay competitions should  
 commence at 8.15 pm on  
 Saturday next & that the Drawing  
 competition should start at 8.0 pm on  
 Sunday next.

(c) Arrears of Athletic Subscriptions. Decided  
 to summon those members in arrear to  
 attend before the Committee at 9.30 pm next week

Club Badges A list <sup>for</sup> of members, duly  
 qualified, who wished to purchase a  
 Club Badge to be placed on the Board.  
Ctee duties for ensuring week were allotted  
 The Bestborough Dinner, for members  
 who actually scored points or took  
 part in an team event which secured  
 a point or points, was fixed for  
 Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> Feb. It was decided to  
 arrange for a concert to follow the  
 dinner, the ~~attendee~~ admission to  
 be by ticket only, & those admitted  
 to be the guests of members attending  
 the dinner, who would issue the  
 invitations.

Billiards W. Cunningham reported  
 having torn a billiard table. The  
 Ctee after hearing the circumstances  
 decided that it was purely accidental.  
 The Committee recommended that  
 screw tips should again be tried  
 & that the C'teman on duty be  
 responsible that the tips are not  
 unscrewed, by examining them at

the end of each game, & at the end of the evening.

Baths. Decided that no member be allowed more than  $\frac{1}{2}$  of an hour in the Baths on Tuesday evenings.

Push doors G. Boat reported that he had been hurt by the door leading from bar to C'tee room passage.

Other members ~~complained of the~~ ~~for~~ having made similar complaints it was decided to place a notice "Push" on the right door from the bar & the right door leading from the passage.

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding

Weller

The Committee met at 9.15pm 7.2.22  
Mr Weller in the chair supported by Mr Coopers & the following members W. Ashley, J. Howlett, W. Birmingham, G. Parker L. Slater, A. Smith, J. Hayes H. Goodyear G. Stickbury E. Bowcher, J. Turrell J. Poole & G. Boat  
Min<sup>ts</sup> of previous meeting were read approved & signed

Gargano appeared to state his case for readmission to the Club after being struck off. It was decided that no case had been made out, for departing from the rule of the club on this point, & Gargano was informed that he could not be re-instated.

Kellaway appeared after suspension & was cautioned as to his future behaviour.  
Dobro's Dinner & Concert. Decided to close the Club on the 11<sup>th</sup>. & to have photo taken before the dinner. 200 Tickets for the concert would be issued to club members through House whips & the other 200 would be distributed among

point winners for guests of either sex over 14 years of age.

Athletic Society arrears of subscriptions.

The Committee dealt with a number of cases of these arrears & fixed time for payment in some cases. Members who had taken no notice of the letter asking them to appear before the Committee with reference to their arrears, to be written to informing them that they could not use the club until their arrears were paid up or had appeared before the committee with reference to them.

H Smyrk to be requested to attend next Committee meeting with reference to non attendance at Cte.

H Howard appeared for using bad language in the club. He was suspended for 1 month & cautioned that if he appeared before the Committee again he would be struck off the Club members list.

New members elected A.C. Buttersby - S Cameron a Davis & S Mallin

Probationers admitted J Shepherd  
 A. G. Redgewell G Weekly W G Neve.  
 A Dowling J A. Heath J. T. Wright  
 A Dunn W Holt H Richardson J Whinney  
 W. J. Blenshaw W Joselin J Hall,  
 b. W. Brown J. A. Simpson J Graham  
 J Dixie A Parish J. E. Sharp J. F. Hill  
 J Martin J Higgins J A. Heath  
 W H Fletcher C. J. Jacobs A J Watson  
 J G Davie D J Hewitt J Taylor  
 J G Sporne J. Sheppardson G. S. Gilbert  
 A Badgley G. W. Collins W. Watson  
 J J Eastwell J Burgess a Deeth  
 J Paty W M Spargo A W. Scott  
 A Bridges H Turner J. A. Broom  
Club Badges. Decided to let the list remain on board for another week

House Competition Results - Freehand Drawing R Ho 2 pts. G. Ho 1 pt., Essay

G Ho 2 pts W Ho 1 pt - Reading  
 G Ho 3 pts

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding

G. M. M.  
 14. ii. 22.

The Committee met at 9.0pm 14.2.22  
 Mr Wellster in the chair supported by Messrs  
 Cadogan Cooper & the following members  
 E Woods Washley J Howlett W Burnham  
 G Parker L Shakes J Hayes H Goodyear  
 G Stockbury E Cowcher J Turrell F Gates  
 J Poole C Chast S Smyrk  
Club Badges. Decided to issue Badges  
 to W Deane S Gates A Peach &  
 L Ennever. Other members who put  
 their names down were found to be ineligible  
 through not having the qualifying period  
 of membership - 6 months. S Edwards  
 who had been before the committee for  
 offences in the Club was refused the  
 badge on this occasion & notified that  
 he could apply in the future.  
Minutes of previous meeting were read  
 approved & signed.

J. J. Wales to be placed on Supernumerary list  
Athletic Subscriptions H Elliot to be written  
 to informing him that he is to pay  
 his 1/6 this week or not use the Club.  
 The list to be reconsidered next week

H Smyrk stated that he could now  
 attend committee nights & fulfil his  
 Committee duties but could not manage  
 time for Captain of his house. Decided  
 that the Officers of R Ho should arrange  
 for one of themselves to undertake the  
 duty of Captain on behalf of Smyrk  
Subscription Arrears. Final notices to be  
 sent to all members on the list.

W. J. Grange was elected a member of G Ho.  
 (Unable to attend on proper night owing to illness)  
W. Peach to be summoned to attend next  
 meeting for reappointment.

Arthur Sims to attend next Cttee meeting  
 re Cttee duties.

Discouraging talking to lady friends outside  
the Club Premises. Decided to post  
 a notice asking members to refrain  
 from talking to lady friends over the  
 railings or outside the club premises.  
 & also to call attention to the rule  
 that climbing over the railings is forbidden.  
The meeting closed with a hearty vote  
 of thanks to the Chairman for presiding

The Committee met at 9.0pm 21.2.22  
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by  
 Mrs Villiers, Cooper Carson (Erving News) &  
 the following members of the Committee  
 J Howlett W Cunningham J Slater A Sims  
 J Hayes H Goodyear G Stockbury C Bowcher  
 J Farrell & Leader J Poole & C Chant.

Minutes of previous meeting were read  
 approved & signed.

Athlete Society arrears. Decided that N Elliott  
 & Hennessy & Marshall & Morris G Scott  
 & W Ware should be written informing  
 them that if their athlete arrears were  
 not paid by Saturday next or a  
 satisfactory explanation given they would  
 be struck off the Club.

A Sims appeared with reference to  
 slack attendance on Committee. His  
 explanation was accepted  
 Club closed Decided to close the  
 Club on Thursday & Saturday next  
 (Boxing & Harness Ball)

W Peach appeared for rowdyism &  
 was cautioned

Billiards decided that eight cues  
 marked in two for each table should  
 be fitted with screwed cues. The  
 Ctee on duty to be responsible that  
 the tips were not taken away by  
 examining the cues before play, & at  
 the end of each game. A notice  
 notifying members of this arrangement  
 to be posted when the cues were done.

D.J.E. Edwards (Junior) to be summoned to appear  
 with reference to payment for show-hairpins  
 A complaint that the club had  
 been opened late during the past week  
 was made & the Chairman promised to  
 see about it.

Decided that notices should be  
 posted that the Hall would be  
 closed at 8.45pm on Tuesday nights  
 The meeting closed with a hearty  
 vote of thanks to the Chairman  
 for presiding.

Weller  
 28.ii.22.

The Committee met at 9.0pm 28.2.22

Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by  
Mr Cooper & the following members-

E Woods W Ashley J Howlett

W Cunningham E Parker L Slater

G Stockbury E Bowcher J Farrell

J Poole & C Chant

Minutes of previous meeting were read  
approved & signed

Committee duties for ensuing week  
were allotted.

H.F.C Edwards appeared before the Cte with  
reference to 3<sup>d</sup> paid for shooeshopkins  
which had not been returned. Decided that  
his 3<sup>d</sup> should be refunded. W Ashley  
to settle the matter with T Hayes.

Hennessy appeared re Athletic Sub.

Decided that if he has taken no  
part in the Gym or P.T. during the  
season, 6<sup>d</sup> overpaid to be refunded him

Yorkington to be notified that he is  
to appear before the Cte next

Tuesday

W F Carter to be warned to attend

Cte next week

Decided that the Club should be closed at  
10.10pm.

Chess & Draughts. Committeemen requested  
to see that these are returned complete.  
Decided to hold a joint whist drive  
in the Hall on Saturday next.

Parents' night was suggested &  
left over till next week for discussion  
Chin Way. Decided to send a recommendation  
from this Cte to the Editor that a  
member or members be appointed  
to attend all branches of the Clubs  
activities & act as reporters.

Struck off. (non payment of athletic society  
arrears) E Marshall C Morris  
G Scott & W Ware.

for arrears of Club Subscriptions S Allen  
J Bartle A Bowers A Bracken  
H Hitchens A Leigh H Lowe & F Morris  
R Neal G Neill J Thompson C Barnes  
A Blundell H James A Richardson  
A Sandford C Saull J Skingley  
A Slater A Berry L J Dennis

C. G. Eldon J. C. Henderson J. G. Howard  
 & Hughes, to Newland, F. H. Shulver, J. G.  
 Taylor, H. J. Walker B. Warr to Shulver,  
 to F. Barton ~~A. Scott~~<sup>J. A.</sup> C. Parish G. A. Shawell,  
 A. W. Shearman, A. Tidmus & L. Wilks  
 Meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the  
 chairman for presiding H. Swift 7. 3. 1922.

The Committee met at 9.0pm 7. 3. 22  
 Mr Cooper in the chair supported by the  
 following members H. Smyrk & Woods  
 W. Ashley W. Cunningham & Parker A. Sims  
 H. Goodyear G. Stockbury & Cowcher  
 J. Turrell & Carter of Poole & Chroat  
Minutes of previous meeting were read,  
 & after Mr Swift had taken the chair  
 approved & signed

Ctee duties for ensuing week were  
 allotted

A. Yorkington appeared with reference  
 to not having reported as out of work

until his subscription was overdue. He was  
 cautioned

W. F. Carter was cautioned for playing  
 football for another team without obtaining  
 permission. He was granted permission  
 to play for Fernside F.C. unless  
 required by this club.

Parents night Discussion of this was  
 postponed till next meeting  
S. Edwards & A. H. Poole appeared  
 for breaking a cue. Decided that  
 each should be suspended for a  
 fortnight, Poole to pay 1/6 & Edwards  
 1/- towards the cost of cue.

H. Howard appeared after suspension  
 & was warned as to his future conduct  
House Competition. Serious reception  
 to be held on a date arranged by  
 Mr Badogian

A. Davis Jane & J. Brookes to  
 be summoned to attend next meeting  
 (Complaint by Hayes)

Probationers admitted. J. Russell  
 W. Elliott A. Clarke H. Lambert

San Bayin G Pettitt F. G Green  
 C Rayner W & Wells a Dunster  
 W Smith J Dillon H Millward  
 E Ballard C Elson W Witchelso  
 G Coleman

New Members elected W Holt J Bircham  
 G Reine a Redgewell G Weekly  
 J Sampson a Dowling H Richardson  
 J Whainsley W Joselin J Hall  
 J Graham a Parish J F Hill J Martin  
 J Higgs S H Heath J J Wright a Dunn  
 W A Fletcher A J Watson D Hewett  
 J G Taylor & Sporne J Sheppardson  
 G S Gilbert a Edgley C W Collins  
 W Watson J Eastwell & Burgess  
 A Deakth J Petty W Spargo  
 A W Scott a Bridges H Turner  
 J A Broom

The meeting closed with a hearty  
 vote of thanks to the Chairman for  
 presiding

M. N. D.  
14. III. 2.

The Committee met at 9. o'clock 14 Mar 22  
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by  
 Messrs Gilkey Cooper & Swift & the following  
 members A Smyrk C Woods W Atkley<sup>7th</sup>  
 J Howlett W Bunningham C Parker  
 L Slater a Sims J Hayes G Stockbury  
 C Bowcher J Turrell J Poole & C Boat  
 Minutes of previous meeting were read  
 approved & signed.

Parents Night It was decided  
 to post a notice that it was  
 decided to hold a Parents night  
 on Friday April 1<sup>st</sup>, & requesting  
 members whose parents would attend  
 to put their names down. If  
 successful the 'nights' would be  
 held monthly. It was suggested  
 that parents could play billiards  
 draughts chess etc with the  
 members, in addition to being  
 shewn round the club also that  
 the Camp film might be shewn.  
 The list would be considered on  
 a fortnightly time.

House Competition Serious recitation would be held on Friday next if possible.

A Davis & W Payne appeared before the Ctee for climbing over the stacks of forms in the Hall. Both were cautioned.

J Brookes who was written to requesting him to appear before the Committee, did not appear. Decided that he be written to informing him that he is suspended from the club till Tuesday next when he is to appear before the Ctee.

Ping Pong Decided that play on the new tables in the shooting gallery should be on Mondays Wednesdays Thursdays & Saturdays Games to be of twenty minutes duration & start at 7.45pm last game finishing at 10.0pm

The Ctee man in Billiard Room would change over the players The Cteeman on Games Room

would issue the tickets for the games. A Ping Pong book to be issued. Players could purchase balls from behind the bar price 2<sup>d</sup>. No one but the players, or Cteemen would be allowed in the Gallery & the Billiard <sup>Room</sup> man would be responsible for reporting members who damaged bats, etc. Single games only to be played.

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding

M. M. N.  
T. - 11. iii. 22.

The Committee met at 9.0pm 21-3-22  
Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Messrs Waggo, Cooper & the following members of the Committee. W Ashley  
J Howlett W Bunningsham E Parker  
L Slater J Hayes H Goodyear  
J Stickbury G Bowker J Turrell  
J Carter J Poole C Chant.

Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed  
Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted

J Brookes & S Edwards to be written informing them that they may not use the Club until they have appeared before the Committee.

A H Poole appeared before the C'tee after suspension. He was cautioned as to his future behaviour & ordered to pay his fine for breaking billiard cue, at the rate of 6<sup>d</sup> per week commencing Saturday next.

Congratulations from the Old Boys C'tee were received on our Boscing & P T successes.

The O.B. C'tee volunteered to send three of their members to teach ping pong. Decided to thank them for their offer & to ask that one should attend for a week or two on Ping Pong evenings.

The Chairman mentioned that a

new caretaker had been appointed & asked the Cleaners to assist him as far as possible

Mr Wagg called attention to the few members wearing their House Badges. He thought it would be a great help to the younger members if they could distinguish their House officials etc by their badges. There were only two badges visible in the C'tee room at the moment & they were ~~were~~ Green Ho. He hoped Cleaners would not only wear their badges but would endeavour to get their House members to do the same. (It was now observed that a Red House badge had mysteriously appeared during the discussion)

Decided to send a Chen Way report to the Federation Draughts match on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> inst.

A & Hoy & J Davey to appear before C'tee next Tuesday.

House Competition Serious Recitation

Decided that this postponed fixture should be decided on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March  
The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding

H. B. Swift

28. III. 1922.

The Committee met at 9.0 p.m. 28.3.22  
Dr Swift in the chair supported by Mr Cooper & the following members of the C'tee. W. Ashley J. Howlett W. Cunningham  
G. Parker J. Hayes A. Goodyear  
J. Turrell G. Bates C. Chastell  
Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed

Parents night. The list of parents who would attend was considered & it was decided to hold the night on lines<sup>& date</sup> already suggested. Games etc to be issued as usual.

The Club would be closed on Saturday evening next (Boscombe Dance)

G. Hoy & S. Davie appeared for rowdyism. Hoy was cautioned &

Davie was ordered not to use the Club for 1 month & then to appear before this C'tee & resume his period of probation if desirable

✓ Mr Badogau said he would like to meet all members going up to the O.B. next month, on Friday next at 9.0 p.m. <sup>in O.B. Club Room</sup> A notice to this effect to be posted.

✓ Vacancies on C'tee. Consequent on a number of C'tee men "going up" to O.B. next month it was decided to hold House meetings as under, for the purpose of electing their successors. Notices to be placed calling attention to this -

Blue House - Monday next	9.0 (J. Hayes)
Red ..	Friday . 8.30 (J. Howlett)
White ..	Monday - 9.15 W. Cunningham

✓ Showers Baths a notice to be placed <sup>in Bath Room</sup> that the showers baths were not to be used on Tuesdays.

✓ House Badges It was decided to post a notice that the C'tee

Considered it desirable that all members should wear their House Badges, colour to the front, when in the club  
It was decided to summon the following members to appear before the C'te on next Tuesday

W Peach A E. Peach E Barnett  
A Butterfield a attwood W Elliott  
A Clarke L F Polaine

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding

*Approved*  
J. IV. 22

The Committee met at 9.0pm 4 April 22  
Mr Wellesley in the Chair supported by Mr  
Cusack & Coopers & the following  
members of the Committee C. Storey:  
A. White W Cunningham J. Kane

A. Law C. Chant P. Carter J. Poole  
G. Manser S. Bayin A. Bass J. Turrell A. Sims  
J. Slater

The Chairman welcomed the new

members of the C'te on their taking  
their seats for the first time.  
Minutes of previous meeting were read  
approved & signed

The following were recommended for  
transfer to the Old Boys.

E Pettitt, S Simpson J Howlett  
N Smyth G Steer. W F Carter  
E Parker E Butts A Johnson  
H Goodyear J Hayes E Crocker  
J Tillett J Blatworthy G Stickbury  
W Witts J Cockrell G Bartle.

Not recommended - A attwood &  
A Woollams, who are to remain in  
boys clut for another six months &  
may then come up for recommendation.  
to Hennisey to be written to attend  
next meeting as his name had  
not been included in those  
recommended. (owing to absence)

W Newman to be written  
& that he has not appeared or applied for the O.B.  
that owing to age <sup>of</sup> he ceases to  
be a member of the Boys Club.  
Also

W Tilyard did not appear. Fitztrans to B.B.  
W Peach A Peach A Atwood & R  
Butterfield were cautioned for rowdyism  
E Barrett who was had been summoned  
for rowdyism did not appear. Decided that  
he be written to informing him he cannot  
use club until he has appeared before  
the Committee

Lolani appeared for not paying Athleke  
subs. Promised to pay <sup>3/6</sup> by Saturday next.  
W Elliott & A Clark appeared for rowdyism.  
They are not to use club for one  
month & may attend on first Tuesday  
in May for election.

House Competition Serious Recitation  
It was decided, after considerable  
discussion, to let the judges first  
award, stand, viz Blue 2 pts White 1 pt  
E Parkes was reported for breaking  
a lamp shade at Ping Pong.

It was decided that it was surely an  
accident. It was decided to hold V. Dohm  
<sup>following</sup> 1st Aid. Decided to inform the Ping Pong  
<sup>1st</sup> Aid instructor that the class must

not use the Ping Pong tables for 1<sup>st</sup> aid  
demonstrations

Parents night Decided to keep one  
Billiard table open for parents. Also that  
one or two tables might be used for  
whist etc.

Criquet. A General meeting was fixed for  
Monday next 10<sup>th</sup> April at 9.0 pm. A  
notice to be posted.

Ping Pong. Decided that no members  
should play more than one game  
during the evening if others were  
waiting to play.

The following had been elected by their  
Houses to fill vacancies on the committee  
due to members going up to Old Boys

Red Ho C. Storey & A Baas  
White " J. Kane

Blue " A White <sup>2nd</sup> J Bayn <sup>3rd</sup> Law. G. Manser

Probationers admitted. F. Hay, A. J. Caiger.

L. Atkins, A. Sáver, W. T. Minton, G. Bunting,  
J. H. Parish, W. Storey, T. Lovallip, A. H. Toseland,  
H. W. Neighbour, E. Chapman, L. Tilson, J. Dance.  
S. Scott, E. Ulmer.

New members, W.W. Whitchell, J. Dellow, A.S. Dunster,  
F.E. Green, H.T. Millward, T.E. Sharp, G. Pettit,  
T. Russell, S. Saggs, A. Laubert, E. Ballard,  
C. Elson.

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks  
to the Chairman for presiding.

Present  
11. IV. 22

The Committee met at 9.0pm 11<sup>th</sup> April 22  
Mr. Wellbury in the chair supported by Mr. Cooper  
& the following members of the Ctee  
W. Bunningham a Law J. Poole & Storey  
F. Baker G. Kane L. Slates a Bass  
S. Bayin E. Woods C. Choot J. Turrell  
A. White W. Ashley

Minutes of previous meeting were read &  
with a slight addition, confirmed & signed  
Decided to hold a Whist Drive on Sat 22<sup>nd</sup>.

C. Hennessey & W. Tilyard who had been  
written to attend before the Ctee with  
reference to transfer to G.B. did not  
appear.

S. Edwards & Barrett & Lovett appeared

for rowdyism & were cautioned.  
a Hoy to be written that he may not use  
club until he appears before the Committee.  
Parents night was thought to be a success.  
Decided to hold the next on Sat 22<sup>nd</sup> April.  
Arrangements to be made at next meeting  
Club would be closed on Friday Sat &  
Monday next.

Congratulations were received from the O.B.S.  
Ctee on our boxing successes.

House competition Football. Decided  
that all matches should be played  
on April 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Sunday football to finish at end of  
April.

S.A. & Sampson to be written to appear  
before the Ctee next Tuesday & not  
use club meanwhile

C. Choot suggested a 7 up billiard  
tournament "the same as the Old Boys".  
The Chairman thought it was an excellent  
suggestion —

A. Adams appeared with reference to a broken cue.  
Decided that he was in no way to blame.

W Sargent to be written to attend next meeting for rowdyism. Reported by W Ashley  
A buster is to be kept in games cupboard for dusting Ping Pong table. The Committeeman on duty to be responsible for it.

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding.

All debts were paid for previous week.

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18-10-22

The Committee met at 9.0pm 18/10/22 in Wellbury in the chair supported by Mr Cooper & the following members W Ashley A Bass L Storey - W Cunningham L Slater G Kane A White S Bayon A Law G Manser J Turrell F Cates & C Chroat Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed

L Hennessey & W Tilyard to be written to appear before Cttee next week

or be struck off

A Hoy was suspended for a week for rowdyism. J.A. Sampson suspended for three months for rowdyism (till 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday in July)

H Turner appeared with respect to complaint against W Sargent. Sergeant who has been warned to appear did not attend. The matter was adjourned for a week. Sergeant to be written that he is not to use the club during that time.

Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted.

Parents night. Decided that there should be no cinema, a whist drive open to parents' at 8.30 entrance fee 6d, 2 end Billiard tables reserved for parents, at  $\frac{1}{4}$  to ten a "social" till ten minutes past 10.

House Football. Decided that in the event of a draw after full time, during extra time corners would count 1 point goals 5 pts.

7 up Billiards. Decided to hold this game on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> April 3<sup>rd</sup> Entrane fee Prize in kind. G Kane would

get names & entrance fees. Entries close on Tuesday next.

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding.

G. Wellesley  
25. IV. 22.

The Committee met at 9.0pm 25 Apr 1922 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Mr Cooper & the following members W Astley A Bass G Stoney W Birmingham A Sims G Kane A White J Bayne A Law G Manser J Turnell F Baker F Poole C Crook Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed

House Competitions Football result White No 8 points Green No 4 points

House Shooting competition was fixed for Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May 9.0pm.

Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted

W Sergeant & A Turner appeared for rowdiness & were cautioned C Hennerry & W Tilyard were recommended for the Old Boys Club.

Cycling Club. A letter was read suggesting the formation of a Cycling Club. Decided that Tillyard & one other member interested should attend the committee next week with details of the scheme.

Shoe Halfpenny. Agreed that members should could use their own ha'pennies, but were to give up use of board after twenty minutes if it was required for other members

T Howlett was reported for unsportsmanlike behaviour in leaving the House football games without permission from Referee or Captain. Decided to refer the case to the O.B. Committee as T Howlett was now a member of the O.B. (Note O.B. (ie suspended Howlett for 1 month).

7 Up Billiards The draw was made. (28 entries) Two prizes value 5/- & 2/- respectively.

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding

G. Wellesley.

2. V. 22.

The Committee met at 9.0pm. 2<sup>nd</sup> May 22  
 Mr Wellesley in the chair, supported by  
 Mr Girling (Mayor of Shoreditch) Messrs  
 Badgian, Cooper & the following members  
 of the Lee - Le Woods Wesley, A Bass,  
 L Storey W Birmingham L Slater  
 G Kane A White J Bayn A Saw.  
 G Manser J Turrell & Baker C Chooat  
 Minutes of previous meeting were read  
 approved & signed

Business arising - Cycling club  
 Tilley & Bridger appeared to  
 represent the views of members desirous  
 of forming a cycling section of the club.  
 It was agreed that a general  
 meeting of members interested in  
 cycling should be held on Friday  
 next at 9.0pm. in the inner  
 games room

Committee duties for ensuing week  
 were allotted

Probationers admitted L Mayers,  
 L C Hayward & L Hayward, a Knapp,  
 G Ransome L Winfield, J. L. Wilkinson

A Vincent R Buttler W R Wilson  
 H C Cockett E Overton A J Cowcher  
 C. V. Woodhouse A Bonnot H Barnes  
 A Baxter

New members elected. L Dancer Yavallin  
 W J Murlow H W Neighbour JW Parish  
 A Saver W Storey, Leonard Wilson,  
 L Raynes A H Goseland, E Ullmed  
 G Bunting A J Baiger W Elliott  
 A Clarke G Scott

A Hoy who should have  
 appeared on last  
 Club night after suspension, appeared  
 on the Wednesday, having been mistaken  
 as to the day. Decided to re-admit  
 him.

Result of the 7 up Billiard Handicap.  
 1<sup>st</sup>. Prize Mr Wellesley 2<sup>nd</sup>. Mr Cooper.  
 The club would be closed on  
 Thursday evenings during the  
 summer (Otters season).

Commencing Monday next, the club  
 would be opened at 8.0pm for  
 remainder of summer.

A hearty welcome was offered given

to Mr Galton (Mayor of Shoreditch) on his appearance in the Committee room.

A Attwood was transferred to the Supernumerary list (joined camp)

The next Parents night was provisionally fixed for Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May

Otters Hut. The Chairman announced that the Otters Hut was at the disposal of Otters on Mondays & Fridays 6.30 pm to 8.0pm & on Sunday Mornings 8.30 to 10

A Camp meeting would be held on Monday next. The Chairman pointed out that although a member gave his name in at that meeting it was not compulsory for him to attend Camp. The idea of the meeting was to enable the management to obtain the approximate numbers of members wishing to be invited so that necessary arrangements could be made.

7 up Billiard Competition Decided to hold another on same conditions as before on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> inst.

### House Competition Team Race.

Decided to hold this on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June Members under suspension. Decided that a member under suspension should not be allowed to attend any function of the club, whether the publics were admitted or not, during his period of suspension.

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding.

Before the members dispersed the Mayor of Shoreditch said he would like to say a few words to them. He would like to congratulate them on their magnificent club. What struck him most was the freedom of the club - by that he meant the free manner in which members were allowed to use the various parts of the club & discuss & manage things themselves. He also congratulated the Committee on the excellent way in which

They had conducted — under the guidance of their Chairman — the business of the evening. As a member of the working class, he thought that the training they received was invaluable, not only at the present time for club work, but later when they might assist on Borough Councils or works of National importance. During his walk round the club he had learned among other things that the House system was in vogue in the Club. In his opinion this was an excellent thing. The House system was a product of the Public & Secondary schools & he hoped it would find a place in the County Council schools as it fostered a healthy spirit of competition in sports etc among the members of a school, & engendered a feeling of "House esprit" which in the end was bound to produce good men

whether at work or play. He hoped we should be successful in getting members <sup>of the club</sup> to represent England at the next Olympiad.

You are fortunate in Hackney Wick to possess such a club. In Hoxton we have a very poor neighbourhood, but we have the Hoxton Manor Club which has done invaluable service among the boys of that neighbourhood. He did not suggest that they were able to run or manage things there, in the way he had seen them run here tonight.

In conclusion he would congratulate the members of the club in being so fortunate in having as managers, gentlemen who gave so much time, experience, & personal service to them.

Mr Wellesley thanked Mr Goring for his remarks & hoped he would be able to visit the clubs again

The Committee met at 9.0pm 9<sup>th</sup> May 1922  
 Mr Wagg in the chair supported by  
 Mr Cooper & the following  
 members of the Club E Woods A Bass  
 C J Storey W Cunningham G Kane  
 A White S Bayari A Law G Manser  
 J Farrell J Poole C Chooat

Minutes of previous meeting were read  
 approved & signed

Business arising from minutes  
Cycling Club - The rules of the  
 proposed Eton Manor Cycling Club were  
 read over & the minutes of their  
 first general meeting were submitted  
 to the General Committee. The Committee  
 approved of the formation of the club  
 on the lines suggested in the minutes

7 up Billiards Entries would close  
 on Friday next

Parents night was definitely fixed  
 for Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May

The arrears list was considered by  
 the Club

House Competition Shooting. In

order to give Houses opportunities for  
 practising & choosing their teams, the  
 shooting gallery was placed at the disposal  
 of houses as follows -

G Ho Friday next

B .. Monday

W .. Tuesday

R .. Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May

House Competition Team race. On the  
 recommendation of the Harness it was  
 decided to bring this competition  
 forward to Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May  
 The Meeting closed with a hearty vote  
 of thanks to the Chairman for  
 presiding

g. M. L.  
16. v. 22.

The Committee met at 9.0pm. 16 May 22  
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by  
 Mrs Moon, Wagg Badogar Cooper  
 & the following members of the Committee  
 G Woods W Ashley L Storey A Sims  
 G Kane J Bayn A Law G Manser  
 J Turrell & Baker L Choot.

Minutes of previous meeting were read approved  
 & signed

House Competition Team Running. Decided that  
 there could be 6 starters - 4 first home to  
 count.

Parents night, Messrs Woods Storey &  
 Cates undertook to get teams of parents  
 to play the members at Draughts  
 Shovehalfpenny & Coddem. All  
 Billiard Tables would be reserved for  
 parents & members. A concert would  
 be held in the games room

Committee duties for ensuing week were  
 allotted. L Choot / Turrell extra time

Decided to send final notices to members  
 on arrears list

Decided to hold the half yearly general

meeting on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May at 9.0pm.  
 T. Russell, it was reported that this  
 member had shown slackness in  
 turning out to represent his house at  
 running etc. The consideration of the  
 case was deferred till next (the  
 meeting)

W Bishop & Gilbey to be summoned  
 to appear before the (the next Tuesday  
 for rowdyism (reported by L Storey)  
 Barber decided to consider advisability  
 of continuing his services during the  
 summer, at next meeting

The meeting closed with a hearty  
 vote of thanks to the Chairman  
 for presiding

Boeing fines till 30<sup>th</sup> May

G. Wellesley  
 23.V.22.

The Committee met at 9.0pm 23/8/22  
 Mr Wellmey in the chair supported by Mr Coopers & the following members of the Committee to Woods a Bass to Stoney

W Cunningham A White G Kane

S Bayin A Law G Manser J Jarrell  
 F Baker J Poole & C Boat.

Minutes of previous meeting were read  
 approved & signed

Parents night: Friday 26<sup>th</sup> inst

Programme - 8.30 pm Games Parents  
 & Members -

Coddem	<u>M.C. Stoney</u>
Shove $\frac{1}{2}$ "	-" - E Woods
Braughton	-" - C Boat
Billmuds	-" - F Baker

9.15 pm. Bun Eating Contest  
 Mr Whaler v Club representative

9.45 Concert in Hall & Camp  
 Film

House Competition Shooting Results -

Teams. G Ho 6 - W Ho 4 - R Ho 2 pts  
 Individual. Green Ho 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> = 3 pts

Committee Duties. There being a difficulty about obtaining volunteers for certain nights it was decided to draw up a roster for nightly Clea duties. The members gave an assurance that when a Cleeman drew a night for duty on which he would be specially training for a Fed? event one of the members would commence his Clea duties for him & continue them till his arrival. The draw resulted as follows -

1. to start Wed 24 <sup>th</sup> inst	A Sims	G Kane
Fri	E. Stoney	A White
Sat	S Bayin	J Jarrell
Mon	A Law	L Stiles
Tues	F Baker	W Ashley
	E Woods	A Bass
	J Poole	C Boat
	W Cunningham	G Manser

Struck off, Arrears of Subscriptions J J Eastwell  
 A L Edwards C Elson D J Hewett & Miller  
 T Wogan, J F Bates a J Rook  
 S Shepperson A Shulver A Underhill N Ward  
 S G Amos E Ballard J E Collins

b Pers a Hunter W Gibson & Hoskings  
 N E Langham A G Passmore J Alandys  
 H Burke W Burleton & Collins A Dunn  
 & A T Holland B Mc George A Martin  
 & H Pope T Russell J Tucker & Weekly.  
 Rifle Range. It was notified that the  
 Rifle Range would be required by the  
 Rifle Team for practice on Mondays & <sup>Wednesday</sup>  
 till further notice.

A. L. King to be written asking whether  
 he can attend club (observing that his  
 subscription is unpaid for the quarter) or  
 whether he is deserves of being considered  
 for the Supernumerary List.

W. Bishop to be written to attend  
 next Ctee meeting or be "struck off".  
 The Meeting closed with a hearty vote of  
 thanks to the Chairman for presiding.

Gulliver  
 30.V.22.

Minutes of a General Meeting of the  
 Boys Club held at 9.0pm on 29 May 22

In Wellesley in the chair supported by  
 Messrs Villeris Leaside Coopers & about  
 140 members.

The minutes of the last General Meeting  
 were read approved & signed.

The Chairman remarked that the meeting  
 was held so that all members of  
 the Club should have an opportunity  
 of knowing the general progress,  
 & other matters connected with the  
 club also to give them opportunity  
 to put forward for consideration by  
 the Management & Ctee, suggestions for  
 the improvement & welfare of the Club.

Mention had been made in the  
 last minutes of the Desborough Cup,  
 which we won last year for the  
 second time in succession. At  
 the present moment we were well ahead  
 for this years competition having scored  
 20 points to the next bests 11. We had

therefore an excellent chance of winning it this year. With regard to future years I am not so optimistic. The members who had done so much toward winning the Cup would - a large number of them - be going up to the old Boys. Had we the young members who could hold the trophies that the older ones had won? Unless we kept feeding the pot from the bottom, in other words finding new members & developing new talent we should not hold the proud position of champion club of London. Members should look out for new members, who would be good & useful ones & capable of helping to hold in the future what we had won in the past. He congratulated the Harrisons on their successes in the cross country race, also the 1<sup>st</sup> Aid team & their hard working trainers, instructors & Hon Sec Mr J. Joyce <sup>one of our</sup> old member Mr W. Law deserved the thanks of the club for having trained or taught the winner of the

### Freehand Drawing Cup

Chin Wag was rather a difficult subject - owing to the club books being at the auditors, the sales cannot be given accurately, but approximately only half the number was sold now as compared with last year. It would be a thousand pictures to admit defeat & shut our paper down for want of support among our members.

The only way of bringing things to the notice of all members, apart from these general meetings, was by Chin Wag & the notice board. Members should carefully study the notice board on every occasion they come to club.

There had been new departures in the club since last meeting - the Barber & a Boys Club Cycling club.

The Barber had been somewhat of a success on Monday, Wednesday, Friday during the Winter but not quite so good during the summer. The question of retention of his services would be shortly discussed

at the general Committee Meeting.  
In the old days there had been a Cycling club for both clubs. The advantage of the runs taking place on Sunday was that it did not interfere with other activities of Club Members. The Dances had been an unqualified success, wholly due to the Committees who ran them.

Parents night had been a fair success. They would be discontinued for the present, but if an attempt were made to restart them next Winter he hoped members would not be too shy to bring their parents.

Care of club. He would ask members to take care of their club, & help to keep it clean. The senior members could do a lot of good in this direction by giving a tactful & timely hint to young & careless members.

Mr Cooper called the members attention to the large list of members who had

to be written to with regard to their subscriptions. It certainly showed a lack of zeal that over 100 members should have to be reminded - despite a notice on the board - by letter, that their subscription was in arrears. It was the duty of the member to find his House whip & pay his subscription to him not to wait for a written reminder.

Football - the season had been moderately successful the senior team having lost only two matches & the junior one. These losses however had been sufficient to knock us out of the London Minor & Federation Cups. The reserve team had done extremely well in finishing as Runners up in Division 10 of the Stoke Newington League. He thought that our defeat in the Federation Senior & London minor cap was due entirely to lack of combination, our members were too inclined to be individualistic, & did not play up to their worth as a team. Hoped that

This deficit would be remedied next season. The Cricket up to date had been successful & there was no reason, provided that the teams would practice hard, why we should not win both Fed Cups this season. We had already beaten both of last years winning teams.

Shooting. About of a dozen of those members who made the best scores in the House Competition had been selected for special training! from these would be selected the team to represent the club. Here again provided members would stick it we ought to repeat our last seasons success.

Draughts & Chess had gone fairly well but we had not been good enough to gain Federation points.

The House Competitions. These had gone much better than the previous year. There was however room for much improvement. It was practically a House Officials show. If they were keen it would result

in representatives of their Houses turning out in all competitions. It should be remembered that the House system provided opportunities for untried members to compete against the better known ones & also helped the various committees to select & train those who were at all promising, for the honours of representing the Club. At the present time the positions of the Houses in this years Competitions were -

Green	No	1 <sup>st</sup>
White	"	2
Red	:	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Blue	:	4 <sup>th</sup>

Green House were the champions last year, & it looked great odds on them being so again this year. They had entered teams or representatives for every event & with the exception of two had scored points in all. This success was entirely due to the energy & zeal of the House officials of Green House, who whipped up their members to try &

gain a point for the honour of their House.

Mr Leadell said with regard to Reading & Serious Recitation Competitions - I have not been able to help nearly as much as I hoped, but next season I hope to be able to help more. A very high standard had been reached in these competitions - but our Club also had a very high standard, & he was sure - with the talents we had in the club, & a few more entries we could reasonably hope for success next year. Mr Murphy speaking of the Harriers said we are now in the thick of training for the fed<sup>n</sup> sports. We ought to have more in training, only about 16 now, we should have at least 36. He would like to mention what W. Villiers said last meeting & that was we wouldn't be content until we had beaten Farbarn Ho at the sports.

He would like to see more punters at the cross country races. He would like to congratulate the junior team especially

Higgins & Deane on their fine running. He asked members who were too old, or infirm, or tired to run, to come & cheer their club representatives at the running events. He hoped all members would train & stick to it.

Mr T Law also addressed the meeting in the same strain.

Mr Villiers who was received with loud cheering said he had listened with pleasure to the very able speech of Mr Murphy. There was one point however on which he disagreed with him & that was when the statement that he, Mr Murphy had never been good enough to win a Federation event. He was sure that everyone would agree that Mr Murphy had actually won more <sup>events</sup> than any other member. By his enthusiasm alone & hard work he had produced our winners & was therefore justly entitled to participate in any honours won by the Harriers. No sport gained more by having a large number of adherents

from which it could pick individuals & teams to represent the club than running. Enthusiasts & plenty of them were urgently wanted. Members should remember that men were very like horses in the running sense. You can never be certain that a brilliant 2 year old is going to be a brilliant 3 years old. enormous improvement may be wrought in a year by training. He would therefore advise those members who thought at 14 they were no good to stick to their training & in one or two years he felt sure they would be pleasantly surprised to find they had developed into really class runners. Therefore don't be discouraged if this year you are not good enough to represent the club - but stick it & you will be surprised at the improvement you make.

The Chairman said they all regretted that that fine all round Sportsman, Mr O Martin Smith was unable to be present

that evening, to speak to them of Gymnastics & Physical Training. The club as a whole owed a vote of congratulation to Mr Martin Smith & his two secretaries for the hard work they had put in in training not only the winning team, but other members in Gymnastics & P.T. Mr J Farmer speaking of Gym & P.T. said that out of the names put down at the commencement of the season only 1/2 the numbers went into training. That was rather discouraging but as Mr Martin Smith said it was better to have a few really keen members than a large number who were not keen. He had noticed that the smaller boys this year had been much keener at Gymnastics than formerly & that the older boys had been keener on P.T. There were however never more than thirty who turned up for training & he hoped with our large number of members we should treble this number next year.

Mr Tilley said that Farmer had spoken about almost everything concerning Gym & P.T. that there was to be spoken about. He would like to put in however that the only reason we failed to win the seniors P.T. cup was through slackness.

The Chairman stated that the 1st and Cup had been won for the second year in succession & congratulated the team & its instructor Mr J Toye who was one of the oldest members of the Club. The freehand drawing Cup had been won due in a great measure to Mr Wallace another of our Old Boys.

He would remind members of the existence of the Club Penny Bank. There was approximately £3000 deposited in it by members. He thought that no General Meeting should be allowed to pass without the attention of younger members being directed to this branch of the Club. They could join the bank & deposits from a penny upward would be received

He expressed the thanks of the Club to the Committee, who get better with each succeeding year. It was by no means a cushy job. He hoped that members would appreciate the work the Committee did. A position on the Committee meant giving up one or two evenings a week - at least - not to taking things easy, but to working hard for the benefit of other members of the club. He was certain that if members bore these things in view they would realize that when a Clemen spoke to or checked one of them, it was not a personal matter, but one for the good of the Club generally, & it was therefore up to members to assist the Clemen in every possible way.

If members were out of work, no subscription was expected of them, but if they failed to report on Tuesdays to the Secretary or if ill did not work then they must pay their subscription  
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The Committee met at 9.0pm 30. May 2<sup>nd</sup>  
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by  
 Messrs Waggs Cooper & the following  
 members of the Ctee & Woods A Bass C Stoney  
 A Sims G Crane A White S Bayari & Law  
 G Manset J Turrell J Poole &  
 C Chroat.

Minutes of previous meeting were read  
 approved & signed

Decided to discontinue Parents night  
 for the present

W Bishop who had been warned to  
 attend the Ctee did not appear. He is  
 to be written that he is not to use  
 club until he appears before the  
 Committee.

A E King "struck off." Arrears of subscriptions  
 Committee duties for ensuing week  
 were allotted. It was decided  
 that the Roster should be followed  
 for every evening on which Cteemen  
 were required for duty.

Decided that the Club should be  
 closed on Saturday & Monday next  
 (Whitsun)

House Competition	Team Running result
Green No 6 points	W 4. B 2.
Track Running	Decided that this should take place on Wednesday June 21 <sup>st</sup>
	Two members from each House may compete in each event. No member to compete in more than one individual event, not including high & long jump.
Hot water	Decided to discontinue the hot water for shower baths for remainder of season.

1<sup>st</sup> Aid House Competition Decided to arrange for this to be held on Friday week, June 9<sup>th</sup> & to ask Mr J Loye to judge

House Competition The question of who should be invited to the winning House dinner was discussed. The matter was deferred till a later date

Boxing fines The following members who had not paid their fines to be written, not to attend club till they had done so. W Allen  
 R Butterfield, J. Clements C Chroat

G Dunn W Dennison A Francis Garris  
 J Gray W Jennings W Massey, T Martin  
 A Morris W Stone E. Barrett, T Hardy,  
 A H Poole H Sayer A Kirk S Cameron  
 Fisker <sup>W.G.O.</sup> A Stolle J Turner W Melrose  
 Loft <sup>W.G.O.</sup>

The meeting closed with a hearty vote  
 of thanks to the Chairman for presiding

quarrelsome  
6.V.22.

Minutes of General Meeting held 29<sup>th</sup> May 1922  
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 Camp. As had been repeatedly stated  
 before, going to Camp was a privilege, &  
 not a right of any member of the Club.  
 We cannot invite all who apply  
 owing to size of Camps ground etc.  
 Camp is first & foremost a Boys Club  
 Holiday.

It had been suggested that there should  
 be an Old Boys Camp. He hoped that  
 they would run a camp of their own  
 if not this year then in some future year.  
 If 100 boys & 100 O.B. had put their  
 names down for Camp the boys would  
 have had preference. The old Boys had  
 their chance to go to Camp whilst members  
 of the Boys Club. Practically all  
 invitations went to boys, but he hoped  
 that as long as we ran a camp some  
 old boys would come & help us.

The Management & Committee were always  
 ready to act on suggestions of members  
 that were for the good of the Club.

The meeting closed with a hearty vote  
 of thanks to the Chairman for presiding