### **REPORTS FOR THURSDAYS MEETING**

PRESIDENTS REPORT-nothing to report.

SECRETARY REPORT-everyone seems ok with new meeting set up.

1. TREASURER REPORT-Account approx £12,200

#### 2. Grand Draw

Most teams have received their first batch of tickets to sell. Can someone from the Seniors take some.

I have told teams they will get to keep 45% of the proceeds. The U7s have sold all 20 of their books already and are asking for more.

### 3. Newsletter

Shall Jamie and I do another newsletter

## 4. Easy Fundraising

I have set up an Easy Fundraising account for Royston rugby club, if we can share this as widely as possible.

## 5. Subs/registration

See attached sheet.

Please can this be followed up with those not paying at all and those paying £18. This is only going to work if we chase people

### 6. FCA form submitted.

2<sup>nd</sup> part of Treasurer reportSeniors paying £20 per month:

Jazz Hands!!

Jamie Green

Sam Tarbuck

Joe Fiabane

Dan Carter

Chris Ellis

Tim Illsley
Ollie Brook
Michael Robertson
Jack Binge
Jake Steele
Simon Gladwell
A Eusden

## Seniors paying £18 per month

Billy Richardson Scott Easy Christopher Gordon Nick Alford Jonathan Whittingham Ben Ritsema Sam Morris Will Dacey

## Students at £7

Dominic Dunklin Ben Cullen Cameron Bonfield

#### Occasional £10

Lee Gilbert Matthew Muirhead Tim Boyce Alex Hiom

### VPs

Jason Turkington Kate Berry Den Bavister Ian Mills Erika Bosman Hugh Murfitt

# **REGISTRATION REPORT**

Not much to report. I have updated list below to show how many players I believe have paid.

Vicky, do I email list to head coaches? or what is the clubs policy for chasing subs for me to follow.

Under 6's 40 players registered, 25 Paid

Under 7's 29 Players registered, 15 Paid.

Under 8's 42 Players registered, 25 Paid.

Under 9's 51 Players registered, 26 Paid.

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Under 10's 34 Players registered, 27 Paid.

Under 11's 28 Players registered, 27 Paid.

Under 12's 15 Players registered, 11 Paid, 1 Paid in part

Under 13's 31 Players registered, Godfrey you took the list, can I now delate these players?

Under 15's 35 Players registered, 16 Paid.

Under 16's 1 Player registered (Playing down in Under 15's)

Under 17's 23 Players registered, 9 Paid
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# SPONSORSHIP REPORT Overview and Key Activities

# **Sponsorship Secured:**

- ≅ Johnson Matthey (£500)
- Marshalls (£1000)
- ≅ Prism (£2000)

# Established Sponsors Approached/Awaiting Decision:

- ≅ NHST
- ≅ Royston Vets
- ≅ T and B
- ≅ Cranes
- ≅ Ellgia

# Sponsorship Contact information still needed:

- ≅ David Bedwell
- ≅ Bar 11
- ≅ Breheny

# New Sponsors Approached/Awaiting Decision:

- ≅ Sage Blinds
- ≅ Rigby Taylor
- ≅ Origen Fertilisers
- ≅ JM Finn and Co
- ≅ Archers

- Division One
- ≅ Clarke Phillips

## Website Details and Packages:

All ready to go, just waiting for word from Heath Bar re free hire for Gold package.

### **Other Areas**

# Fundraising:

#### **Auction**

I am meeting with Albert this week to discuss running an auction. It would be good to get the committee's views on both timing (I suggest end of February) and allocation of funds raised.

### Santa Run

I am helping Lee with the *Santa Run* this Sunday afternoon/evening; please do try and spread the word as the more people we have collecting the more money we get!

### Saracens CEO

I have been introduced to Heath Harvey and have asked if they can assist in anyway with the minis tour.

### **Fundraising Group for Tour**

I am establishing a small fundraising group for the minis tour; please feel free to volunteer your services!

## **Supermarkets**

It would be good to get some bag packing organised in Tesco and Morrisons; who leads on this?

# North Herts Pitch Strategy:

Our views have been fed in and the Council will alert the RFU (who in turn will inform us) when the final approved document is in the public domain.

# **FIXTURES**

Results to date

1st P13 W5 D0 L8 225-284

2nd P8 W2 D0 L6 80-304

U13 P5 W0 D0 L5 43 - 196

U15 P7 W6 D0 L1 222-109 with one result missing

U17 P3 W1 D0 L2 31-36 with 1 missing

U13 numbers rising and are playing 15s by borrowing players

U17 a problem with league game as club are abandoning U17 teams in favour of mixed U17/18 colts and therefore are not in the league but we have entered the Eastern Counties Plate as an u18 to give us at least 5 more games. We can play our u18s in these.

League positions

1st 10/12 2nd 8/10 U15 2/6 U13 and U17 N/A as no games played to daste.

President's Report - nothing above what I will briefly say at the meeting.

COACHING CO-ORDINATOR Ben Carpenter and Neil Tulloch added as U5 Coaches – Need TAG Course and DBS as a starter. Current Coaching Group Summary We currently have approx. 53 active coaches on our database. Need to review against RFU GMS System as not the same. 37 Have now completed the Rugby Ready Course. 21 Have completed a safeguarding course, 21 Have completed TAG Course, 5 are recorded as Level 1, 4 as RFU Preliminary Award, 2 as Level 2 and 1 as RFU Intermediate Award. Level 1 Coaching Andy Smith (U12 Coach) is booked on a level 1 course. We need more in reality. UPDATE Niall Tallis booked on Level 1 in February Level 2 Coaching UPDATE Ashley Eusden needs to be booked on Level 2 Course in February at Herts Coaching Week There are a few coaches interested in a level 2 course over the next 12 months so I am going to investigate the possibility of hosting one at Royston. We are in need of more Level 2's as my records show we only have 3 (Jamie Johnson, Aussie and Rob). This may not be correct but it's what I have at this stage within the current coaching group. There may be others but not currently coaching?

<u>DIRECTOR OF RUGBY</u> This Month has been a good month for the 1st team with 3 good wins. 2nd team have had a couple of hard fixtures and have struggled. The new line up on the selection committee is working well and we are working together to get out 2 sides out every week. An issue raised on Saturday was some 2nd team players didn't know the training dates and times, this has now been sorted for the people at Saturdays game. I have also approached the under17s coaches for a gradual integration into senior training.

Charlie hodgson session on Tuesday, will report on success. Have been asked to put on one for the forwards in the new year.

AOB
Changing room Cleaning.
Quick Storage solutions.
Diesel for generators.

Ladies Rugby