

#### **MSB Minutes**

Meeting held on 12 November 2022 at the Red Lion in Lindfield

#### **Present:**

Iain MacLean (Chair), Rod Cummins (Treasurer), Daryn Buckley (Committee member), Jonathan Chandley, Saul Chandley, James Kilmartin, Ian Hinley, Liz Bennett

## **Apologies:**

Julie Joyce, Colin Oliver, Mark O'Hara, Asha Hinley, Dave Ewing, Pete Simpson, Lisa Lurring, Ollie Lurring, Kirst Bennett, James Cullen, Ray Gilera-Rooke, Phil Grabsky, Mark Schofield, Mike Wilmott, Steve Chappels, Paul Green, Trevor Wharton, Mike McGreish, Pete Dutson, Shelley Dutson

## **Actions from last meeting:**

All actions complete

## **Chairman's Update:**

- Well done to the Hand of Rod team who won the MSB Quiz by half a point in October and to Daryn for writing the quiz.
- lain added that he usually comes to the Red Lion to watch City fans and any other MSBs who want to go along are welcome to do so.

# **Treasurer's Update:**

We have paid our first tranche of subs to the Official Supporter's Club (£278). We declared 91 members for the season so far, which is the same number as were members at the end of last season. Since that submission, however, we have had 5 new members taking us to 96 with another enquiry received this week. Let's hope we can get to that magical 100 mark by the end of the year.

We have received a Certificate of Recognition from the OSC to recognise us as a branch and a new flag (pictures below)



Rod also has membership cards and pens for all members which he will send out with tickets etc to try to save on postage etc.

#### **Ticket allocations:**

Leeds United (a) – We have applied for 10 tickets and are waiting to hear back

Chelsea (a) – 21 tickets requested – waiting to hear

Leipzig (a) – 11 requested and waiting to hear

Nothing for Everton or Leipzig (h) yet.

# **Social Update:**

Thank thanked everyone who came to the quiz (13 people) and, whilst we'd have liked more attendees, we agreed we would do it again and would pay for dinner again!

The next social 'event' is a World Cup Sweepstake, the details of which will go out with the meeting minutes.

# **Any Other Business:**

The MSBs sends its best wishes to Dave Ewing and his wife, who has not been so well of late. Let's hope we see you back at the Red Lion by the end of the season.

# Date of next meeting:

With he World Cup, fixtures don't start again until the end of the year and the January fixtures haven't yet been announced. We are aiming for the Spurs away game, which is scheduled for the weekend of the 4<sup>th</sup> February and is likely to be televised.

**ACTION**: Julie to confirm next meeting once the fixture times are announced.