

To: Scott Cooke, Duncan Franklin, Lyn Gadd, Lou Hopkins, Adrian Jobling, Warren Kennedy,

Chris Munton, Steve Scott, Robert Steers, Emma Stewart, Geoff Sykes

From: Lyn Gadd

## Summary Quinssa Committee Meeting Minutes

Date and Time: November 27th 2016 @ 11.00

Location: The Wakefield Room

Agenda Item		Resp.
	Apologies Duncan Franklin, Adrian Jobling, Warren Kennedy, Rob Steers, Emma Stewart Rob Steers has resigned from the committee. The committee wish him good luck for the future	
2.	Minutes of last meeting (8/10/16) Agreed	
3.	MDS 3.1 Update The organic growth of the supporter support to date is excellent. This is recognised by the club and noted in the Debenture newsletter. Club to be encouraged to include these comments in the weekly email that they send out and not just the Debenture newsletter. CM to pursue the issue of support and the bears at the Big Match	СМ
	<b>3.2 Shirts for Timisoara and Stade</b> Shirts purchased, CM to purchase 3 flags to accompany the shirts	СМ
	3.3 Recognition for Seb CM to pursue	СМ
4.	Communications with the Club 4.1. Meeting with David Ellis – outstanding items Quins 5 year plan and Stoop Development plans – DE to present at the next meeting	SC
	4.2. Quins 150th Anniversary SS attended a review meeting called by Bob Hiller. Club were very happy with the dinner/dance and the support for the Maori game.	SS
5.	Events Update 5.1 Nigel Owens Contact made via twitter, DF to pursue.	DF
	<ul><li>5.2 Blues Smokehouse</li><li>65 to date. Wrist bands to be given out at today's and Timisoara games.</li></ul>	SC
	<b>5.3 Technical event at Guildford</b> Arranged for 29 <sup>th</sup> December. Advertised on mailer. Responses to ES.	ES
	<b>5.4 Other Events</b> LG to join social sub group with GS and AJ. Meeting to be held soon to arrange events for the rest of the season taking into account comments from survey.	e GS, AJ, LG

6.	Finance	
	6.1 Overall Position – current and deposit	
	Current £11021.05	
	Call £16,915.54	
7.	Merchandising	
	7.1 Drinks Carriers	
	New stands and carriers with 150 <sup>th</sup> logo are selling well	
	7.2 Pens/Car Stickers	
	Selling slowly	
	7.3 Badges and Buttons	
	Selling well – 10 sets of silver and 10 sets of gold acquired	
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	7.4 150 <sup>th</sup> Membership Badges	
	SC has design that will work on a badge – to order for new year.	SC
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	7.4 Other Quinssa Merchandise	
	WK investigating Quinssa Bam-bams	WK
1	ES has two potential types of Quins bins – costing being sought	ES
8.	Membership	
	8.1 Current Membership/Renewals	
	Current Membership 1315	
	Paid up 1270 members with 45 still to renew.	
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	Approximate reduction of 600 – SS to approach club for a plug in the weekly email	SS
	8.2 New Membership System	
	SS to bring laptop to next few home games	SS
9.	Communications with Members	
	9.1 Website Update	
	Needs to be updated – all to send required changes to DF & SC.	All
	9.2 Mailer Update	
	The length of the mailers was discussed together with the comments from the	SC, DF
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	9.3 Social Media Update	
	SC to continue to manage Facebook. GS to take over twitter. SC to discuss with	GS
	RS.	
10	). Coaches/ Travel/Overseas tickets	
	10.1 Coaches/Travel	
	Leicester coach ran at a loss. Next coach Worcester away for LV cup – will only run	LH,
1	if sufficient demand	WK
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	10.2 Timisoara	
		SC
	219 currently signed up for tickets. The tickets are free	
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1	10.3 Overseas Tickets	
	The tickets for the Stade game have not been released yet – expected next week.	LG
11	AoB	
1	11.1 Membership survey	
1	The committee thanked GS for his excellent analysis of the survey.	
	GS to produce a list of recommendations.	GS
1	GS to produce a note for the mailer thanking everyone who contributed and stating	GS
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	the action to date	
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	11.2 Display Cabinets	
1	Cabinets have been refurbished. SC to change Committee posters.	SC
1	11.3 Use of Quinssa funds & Beneficiary of donations in 2016/7	
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SS to set up a sub-committee to propose the use of current funds and the beneficiarie(s) of raffles and donations this year. The recommendations from the survey to be taken into account.	SS
11.4 Shooting Star appeal Presents being collected but not as prolific as previous years. Shooting Star to be asked for feedback and photos so we can publish these to our members	ES
11.5 Nick Duncombe Memorial appeal LG to purchase flowers	LG
11.6 High Wycombe Rugby Club This club is currently allied to Wasps but would like to change their allegiance to Quins. They would like a signed shirt to raffle which they will pay for.	SS
11.8 Timisoara Home game SS to purchase Mince pies or similar to give out at the stand on this last game before Xmas	SS
<b>12. Date and Venue of next meeting</b> 7 <sup>th</sup> January at 11.00 before the Sale game in the Wakefield room. CM to organise room.	СМ