

The Somerset Cricket League Sponsored By World Class Willow



Minutes of EGM held on 22nd February 2023 At 7.30pm held by zoom

All Clubs were represented with the exception of Beaminster, Ilminster, Bridgwater, Broadway and Horton, North Newton, Crewkerne, North Petherton, Curry Rivel, Frome, Taunton Indian, Minehead, Harptree Villages, Shapwick and Polden, Wincanton, Yeovil

These clubs will be fined £40 as per league rules.

The Chair, Edward Martin welcomed everyone to the meeting.

It was explained to the meeting that the league had been looking at its governance and have found that currently we are an unincorporated association. We have been taking advice and propose to change the governance of the league to a Company Limited by Guarantee.

Edward introduced John Carter MBE to the meeting. John is a chartered accountant who specialises in governance and taxation matters, he is also Chair of Bear Flat CC.

John explained to the meeting the difference between the different types of governance and the implications of each. He also confirmed that the league will need to be registered as a corporation under section 1121 of the 2010 Corporation Tax Act.

The clubs voted on the motion "To change the Somerset Cricket League from an unincorporated association to become a Company limited by Guarantee". 96% of the clubs voted for the proposal and 4% abstained.

The Committee will continue to work with John to complete the necessary paperwork over the next few months.

Meeting closed 7.55pm