

Reigate and District Snooker League
Minutes of the 2006 AGM held on the 17th September
Reigate Ex-Servicemen's Club

1. Chairman Keith Robinson opened the meeting at 7.45pm
2. Minutes of the 2005 meeting were distributed and approved unanimously.
3. There were no matters arising.
4. The Secretary's report was distributed and approved unanimously.
5. The Treasurers report was read and approved.

The Chairman thanked Ian Bouttell for his help in organising the trophies for finals day and for keeping the costs down. The opening account balance stands at £327.93 which is healthy.

6. The election of officers saw the following appointments:

Position	Person Elected
President	Tim Mander
Chairman	Keith Robinson
Secretary	Stan Longhurst
Asst Secretary	Vacant
Treasurer	Keith Robinson

It was agreed that the role of Assistant Secretary was not essential and if not filled, it would not present a huge problem.

7. Honorariums to remain the same as last season (Treasurer £100, Secretary £150).
8. Despite the efforts of Darren Aldous, there were no new entries into the League. Victoria Club informed the meeting that they would not be able to field a B team for the forthcoming season.
9. The following changes were made to the League rules following the request at last years AGM to include some wording around the Anniversary Shield. The following is an extract of the words that will be added. These were proposed by Keith Streeter and seconded by Howard Salmen.

39. At the end of the League season, a competition will be held between the two highest individual points scorers from divisions one and two. This competition is known as the Anniversary Shield.

40. Where there is a tie on points for qualification into the Anniversary Shield, the player(s) who has won the most number of frames during the season will qualify.

41. The League Secretary will inform the qualifying players of the date and venue of the "final". This will normally be a Wednesday night immediately following the close of the league season and preferably at a neutral venue to all players involved.

42. The format of the competition is as follows:

Semi Final A	Winner Division One plays Runner Up Division Two
Semi Final B	Runner Up Division One plays Winner Division Two
Final	Winner Semi Final A plays Winner Semi Final B

43. All matches will be played over three frames. A match cannot be conceded until after the start of the third frame. The winner shall be the player who has accumulated the most points including the handicap over the three frames.

44. Starting scores will be based on the net individual points accrued during the League season. Therefore if the Winner of Division One has 130 points from the season and the Runner Up of Division Two has 90 points for example, then the Division Two player will start with a 40-point lead over the three frames.

45. The Final shall have the same format as the Semi-Finals.

46. The Winners total number of points scored during the three frames of the Final will be added to their individual points scored during the League season, and this will be the total that appears along side their name on the Anniversary Shield.

10. As there are now 19 teams in the League, it was agreed that Division Two would have 9 teams and Division One, ten teams.

Division One	Division Two
Coulsdon Comrades A	Frames B
Coulsdon Comrades B	Frenches B
South Park A	Reigate Ex Servicemen's B
Merstham Village Club B	Frames A
Reigate Ex Servicemen's A	Holmwood Village Club
Victoria A	Merstham Village Club A
Rileys Redhill	Burgh Heath Comrades
South Park B	Double Seven A
Limpsfield RBL	Victoria A
Frenches A	Double Seven B

11. It was agreed that the start date for the new season would be the 18th October 2006.
12. Ralph Chapman proposed a vote of thanks to Chris Allen (outgoing Secretary) for his efforts over the past three years.

Howard Salmen said that as no Secretary had been elected from the meeting to replace Chris, he had agreed with Stan Longhurst (Coulsdon Comrades) that as a last resort, Stan would be prepared to take over as Secretary. This was very much welcomed by the Meeting and it was agreed that Chris would make contact with Stan to discuss handover and duties etc. Tim Mander asked if he could attend the handover meeting so that he could support Stan if required.

Darren Aldous said that Frames in Coulsdon would be prepared to Sponsor the League to the sum of £200.00. Keith Robinson said he would get in touch with the Manager at Frames to discuss ideas around how this money could be put to best use.

Bob Payne reminded the meeting that matches played at Limpsfield need to start sharp at 7.30pm to avoid over-running.

13. The meeting closed at 8.10pm.