

LEIGH & DISTRICT ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL REFEREES' SOCIETY

MEETING – THURSDAY 16th April 2009

AGENDA

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD THURSDAY 19th March 2009

MATTERS ARISING

CORRESPONDENCE

MATTERS ARISING

FOOTBALL PARTNERS

LEIGH YOUTH LEAGUE, BOLTON BOYS & GIRLS FEDERATION

REFEREES ASSOCIATION /
LANCASHIRE REFEREES ASSOCIATION

TREASURER'S REPORT

SOCIETY WELFARE OFFICER
KEN BERRY

JUNIOR REFEREE ACADEMY
ALAN BENNETT

TRAINING CLASSES / referee observer / coach including funding

SOCIETY WEBSITE

POINTS OF PLAY

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Minutes of the Leigh & District Association Football Referees Society Meeting held Thursday 19th March 2009

Mr Mort in the chair with the following Officers and members present:
P Barton, A Bennett, C Berry, K Berry, L Berry, L Clarkson, D Harrop, P Haworth,
N Lea, A Percival, C Percival, R Thorpe, J Waterfall and D Wilson.

Guests: none

Apologies accepted from: R Drake, G Halliwell, D Renshaw, D Sims, M Smith
(Atherton) and D Tighe.

Minutes of the meeting held Thursday 19th February 2009 were circulated to members and had been posted on the society website. The minutes were then proposed as a true record by D Wilson and seconded by J Waterfall.

Matters arising: Mr Lea raised discussion about whether or not we were signalling out Howe Bridge regards ambulance access to the pitch should one be required. Mr Mort stated that Howe Bridge was just an example brought up at a previous meeting.

Correspondence: February & March

1. LRA seeking new treasurer & chairman

Matters arising: none

Football Partners

Leigh Youth League: The final of the Leigh Youth League Cup is to be Atherton LR v Winsfield Rovers.

Bolton Boys & Girls Federation: Mr Lea discussed a recent game that he had to abandon.

Referees Association/ Lancashire Referees Association: Nothing.

Treasurer's report: Mr Harrop said that all finances had stayed the same over the last month. The current balance in the TSB was £128.55. The Halifax is £3519.14 and the training account is at £195.33. In addition the books are currently with the auditor and it was decided last season that the books would close at the end of January.

Society Welfare Officer: Nothing to report.

Junior Referee Academy: Mr Bennett said training will take place before the meeting for the rest of the season and that he is very keen to get the mentoring scheme back up and running.

Membership was very healthy at 55

Training classes: Nothing to report.

Referee mentor / Coach scheme: nothing to report.

Society website: Mr Haworth stated that pictures, results and fixtures from the Atherton Charity Cup are now on.

Jack Boardman Quiz: Mr Mort congratulated our quiz winning team of Martin Smith, Danny Sims, Lewis Clarkson and Ross Thorpe.

Points of Play: Paul Barton and Paul Haworth talked openly about their recent personal hearing at the LFA.

Any other business

Mr Mort congratulated Carl Berry and Ken Berry as they have been appointed to officiate on the Goldline Final at the Reebok Stadium on the 6th April with an 8pm Kick-off. The final will be contested between Atherton LR and Stoneclough.

With no other business the meeting was closed at 9 23pm.