

Silkmen Supporters' Trust

Minutes of the meeting held on Monday 19th February 2024 at the Pack Horse Bowling Club.

Present:

Caroline Harrop (CH)	Chairperson & Communications
John Abbott (JA)	Finance
Patrick Birch (PB)	
Mike Clark (MiC)	
Myra Clark (MC)	Treasurer
Mike Hutchison (MH)	
Bernie Rickman (BR)	Membership
Jon Smart (JS)	
Chrissie Thompson (CT)	
Robert Trafford (RT)	
Robert Wilson (RW)	SST Secretary

Apologies:

Andy Mellor (AM)
Andy Worth (AW)

1 **Welcome by Chairperson.**

CH opened the meeting at 8pm.

2 **Finance.**

JA updated the meeting on the finances:

We currently have £11245.15 in our various accounts.

Silkmen Supporters Trust
Bank Accounts
19th February 2024

Opening balance as at 1st July 2023	SST £
Main	9851.71
Reserve	71.68
Paypal	276.88
	10200.27
Movement in period since 1st July	
	SST
Main	1030.41
Reserve	0.51
Paypal	13.96
	1044.88
Closing Balance	
	SST
Main	10882.12
Reserve	72.19
Paypal	290.84
	11245.15

Silkmen Supporters Trust
Main Bank Account
19th February 2024

Activity since 1st July 2023

Receipts	Main Account
	£
Membership	78.00
SilkPledge	216.80
50/50 Game Receipts	6949.00
50/50 Online	336.00
Pin Badges	35.00
EasyFund	137.90
Lotto	
Donation	97.98
	7850.68

Payments

I & I	243.54
50 50 Costs	456.72
50 50 MFC - 23/24 (Boost the Budget)	3835.00
Licence Fees	
Walkie Talkie etc	209.48
MFC Pitchside and Programme Advertising	1387.67
MFC - Mascot Ktis	388.00
MFC - Away Shirt - Henry Moores	47.96
Remembrance Day Wreath	27.50
Postcards	224.40
	6820.27

Net Surplus/ (Deficit) **1030.41**

Paypal

Memberships	15.00
Pledge	
Paypal Costs	(1.04)
	13.96

3 **Membership.**

BR gave an update on the current membership. We have 1 new member.

4 **Fan Engagement.**

Police Meeting.

RW updated the Board on the Police Meeting.

Silk Museum.

RW and PB gave an update regarding the Silk Museum.

Player of the Year.

The Board is awaiting guidance from the club regarding the Player of the Year awards.

5 **Communications.**

CH continues to generate SST matters on Facebook, Instagram and X (formerly Twitter).

Numbers viewing are increasing.

6 **Website.**

BR continues to update the website and is expanding it. A Silk Pledge page with names of those participating is now in the design stage.

7 **Fundraising.**

50:50 tickets.

The online 50:50 needs pushing more.

More 50:50 sellers are required for next season.

8 **Any Other Business.**

There was no other business to discuss.

The next meeting on 11th March 2024.

