

Studley Wood Seniors Committee

Minutes of the Meeting held on 2 June 2025

The meeting opened at 17.00 hrs
By TEAMS

In attendance: Jonathan Perks (Chair), Gerry Prickett, Tim Mustill, David Hughes, Russel Matthews, and Christopher Perks.

Action

1. **Apologies** - Richard Ilett, Chris Fill and Paul Smith
2. **Minutes of the previous meeting.**

The minutes of the SCM held on 10 April 2025 were accepted in full.

Matters Arising

2.1 The new competition (11.2) will be held on the first week of August: Tuesday 5 August for the medal round and Thursday 7 August for the Stableford round. Players will be able to enter either or both rounds with the usual roll-up prize allocation for each round. The winner with the best combined score (Twist rules) for both rounds will be 'the Seniors Master' will receive a trophy.

2.2 We agreed at previous meetings that Silverware medal competitions are drawn in handicap order (lowest first); Silverware Stableford competitions are drawn randomly but stratified by divisions ((12.1).

All other matters arising were either completed or addressed later in the meeting.

3. **Feedback from General Committee meetings**

There was no feedback from these meetings.

4. **Treasurer's Report**

The handover to the new Treasurer is almost complete – PS is just awaiting a debit card.

The latest accounts to 31st May 2025 show the bank balance currently stands at £2,829.74 and the Income & Expenditure account £1,297.75, in surplus.

5. **Fixture Secretary's Report**

The Fixture Secretary reported (via email):

5.1 The Springs Home fixture has been changed from 22/7/25 to 21/7/25 to accommodate the Jeremy Potter Memorial event on 22/7.

5.2 Oxford City are amenable to fixtures in 2026, especially as they will lose their North Oxford fixture. I am trying to find mutually acceptable dates.

5.3 RI has begun to send enquiries regarding the 2026 fixtures, early days yet, but of 3 sent, Burford have confirmed.

6. Awaydays / Tour reports

The tour to Breadsall Park and Little Aston was very successful. CP has prepared a summary of this.

The June awayday at Kings Norton is all set with 23 people participating.

Spare places for the Autumn Tour to Bournemouth are still available. CP is exploring whether the Ladies Section might take up some places. This will need to be settled 13 July before the final payment is due. CP

The Autumn Awayday on xxxxxx has been booked at Calcot Park. CP is finalising the flyer which the captain will circulate. CP

7. Proposed roll-up programme for July

The proposed playing programme for July was discussed and would be resent to all committee members before publication following minor updates. JP

It was agreed that July will be a heavy month with silverware competitions, and the Pairs competition on Thursday 3 July would provide light relief.

8. Roll-up & Results Rota

Richard Ilett was not listed for the ClubV1 set ups, so he has replaced Tim in November.

9. Competitions Update

Round 1 of the Seniors Singles competition is underway. There had been some issues setting this up on Clubv1 and so GP is running independently of Club V1. There had been some adjustment of the dates for each round due to some confusion over the deadlines. Since there are a significant number of byes in Round 1 the draw for round two will be circulated to participants to help them arrange their matches.

There are only 24 participants in the Senior Pairs Knock-out competition. It seems that the low number is due to the difficulty finding times for 4 people to hold the match. We agreed to review this at the next committee, considering whether we could facilitate the arrangement of matches by using identifying roll-up days. CF to add to next agenda. CF

DH has set up the Eclectic competition in Club v1. 32 seniors have entered this event. RM has set up a spreadsheet for the Order of Merit. The rolling results of both competitions will be regularly updated on the Seniors website and noticeboard.

10. Results – May 2025 - matches and roll-ups

May 2025 Friendly Matches

15 May Frilford (away) Won 4 to 2
27 May Wychwood (home) Won 4½ to 1½

May Roll-Ups

There were five individual competitions in May, four of which were qualifiers.

1 May – Singles Bogey – won by
Geoff Gaskins (4) Div 1 and Bryan Sanders (1) Div 2

8 May – Roy Holland Trophy – won by
Bob Clarke (37pts) Div 1 and **Gerry Collins** (40pts) Div 2

13 May – Twist – won by
Richard Hayward (14pts) Div 1 and Alan Booth (17pts) Div 2

22 May – Club Mid-Week Stableford - won by
Chris Fill (39pts) Div 1 and Ian McIntyre (39pts) Div2

29 May – Seniors Stableford - won by
Colin Macgregor (36pts) Div 1 and Kingi Sharma (34pts) Div 2

Four team competitions were held.

6 May - Alliance - won by
Bob Clarke, David Scott and Alan Booth (91pts)

15 May – Pairs: Texas Scramble - won by
Bob Jones and Roy Fulton (net 68)

20 May – Pairs: Aggregate - won by
V. Start and D. Hughes (69pts)

27 May - Waltz - won by
Hans Menzel, Craig Whitworth, Colin Macgregor, Malcolm Wilson (91pts)

11. Captain's Charity Day

A separate discussion was held after the meeting with JP, TM, and RM

12. AOB

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A number of twos sweep have not been won recently and have been retained in the Seniors funds. GP suggested we should discuss, at the next committee meeting, whether a proportion of this fund should be transferred to the Seniors Captain's Charity account. CF to add an agenda item, for the next committee.

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The meeting closed at 17.45rs.

The date of the next meeting will be Tuesday 1 July at SWGC following the roll-up.

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9 June 2025