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Committee Meeting Minutes, Thursday 11th December 2025, 7PM

(Held at The Victoria Inn, Peckham)

Meeting started at 19:11

1. **Attendance:** Adam, Chris, Alex, Ollie, Laurent
2. **Apologies:** Randy, Mel, Becca
3. **Minutes of previous committee meeting (24.xi.25)**
 - a. Noted that the minutes should have referred to cheese straws rather than cheese sticks. Other than that the minutes of the previous meeting are approved.
4. **Matters arising from previous committee meeting (24.xi.25)**
 - a. Logo almost ready. Despite some protestations.
 - b. The committee has listened to feedback on access to the middle bar key and agreed that this will remain with the bar.
5. **Perennials**
 - a. Site inspection.
 - i. Delayed but to come from Mel.
 - ii. Chris and Alex have also checked and everything looks OK.
 - iii. Laurent has confirmed that the outer boundaries are satisfactory while searching for balls.
6. **Finances (CS)**

Balance 10 December: Old current account	£9,342
Balance 10 December 2025: New current account	£3,128
Balance 10 December 2025: Savings account	£120,177
Balance total 10 December 2025	£132,647
Balance at last committee meeting (23 November 2025)	£133,716
Balance one year ago, approx	£94,250

Notable transactions since last committee meeting:

Outflows

- Court 3 maintenance £738

Inflows

- none

Commentary

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Only a short period since the last Committee, and nothing really to report. Everything seems to be ticking over OK.

We have monitored the VAT situation carefully and confirmed that we will be short of the VAT registration threshold.

7. Membership update (OM)

- a. Ollie confirmed that we do indeed still have members and a healthy waiting list.

8. Inside the clubhouse:

- a. Chris mentioned he has bought some new bulbs for the lights. To be tried on Christmas club play.

9. Outside the clubhouse:

- a. All fine, nothing of note.

10. Social update (AF)

- a. Christmas club play happening on Thursday 18th December.
- b. American tournament scheduled for New Years Day.
- c. Burns night coming on Saturday 24th January.
- d. Ollie is at the darts next Thursday in case anyone wanted to know.

11. Bar report (CM)

- a. Alex standing in for Colin for this meeting.
- b. Some dispute around the exact amount the cricket club brought in in bar profits but there was a consensus we did OK from this.
- c. Since the cricket club has left the work involved in stocking the bar has reduced. Easy job now and stock levels are at all time highs.
- d. New barrel of stout is on. Rave reviews from the local members.
- e. J2O due to go out of date. Suggestion to offer a discount for Charlie's son's 3rd birthday party on the 10th Jan. But determined short life offers are not needed given the admin.
- f. Suggestion to put the J2Os in the Mulled Wine for Christmas clubplay. Agreed to check for a recipe with ChatGPT.

12. Tennis (RS / RB)

- a. In absence of the captains there was limited details to report but it was noted that:
 - i. The Men's 4th team is doing well.
 - ii. There are 2 mixed teams in the winter knockout
 - iii. Court 3 is playing nice. Even better than usual. Maintenance is clearly a bargain.

13. AOB

- a. Stairs to the cricket club
 - i. Next time the weather is agreeable we agreed we will try and return the concrete slabs to their previous spot.
- b. Court 3 Maintenance
 - i. Observed that they left early this time.
 - ii. It was commented that next time maybe someone needs to be down at the club for this to check that they are doing the maintenance properly.

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14. DONM

- a. Poll for the next meeting because most of the committee aren't here.
 - i. Subsequently agreed via this that the next meeting will be held on Monday 26th January at 7pm in the clubhouse.

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