



Huddersfield Town Supporters Association

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Meeting Minutes

HTSA Steering Group Meeting

Turnbridge WMC Tuesday 24th June 2008

Present: Sean Jarvis KSDL (SJ)
 Sian Patrick (SP) Stuart Webster (SW) Marcus Middleton (MM)
 Carlton Midgley (CM) Michael Scott (MS) Stan Frontczak (SF)
 Robert Goward (RG) John Collins (JC)

Some people seem to have fallen by the wayside but also a few people were unavailable (B. Pepper (BP) & G. Bould (GB) apologies for absence, with no other apologies).

The meeting was mainly concerned with the status of a number of projects plus it generated a few new subjects. Assess individual projects and their status, what & where needed further work or help. Overall decided the Steering Group (SG) would act as "Interim Committee" in the short term until all fans have chance to go in for committee, hopefully by end September 2008.

No.	Detail	Action By	Completion Date	Comments
1	HTSA Website, a small blip early in the month but now up & running so Andrew needs input & hopefully ongoing help from other supporters	Operated by Andrew Firth	On line & working	Thank you Andrew, let's help him
2	Facebook group has in excess of 100 members	S. Patrick	On line	Thanks Sian
3	Myspace will be up & running in next week or so	S. Frontczak	1 st July	Thanks Stan
4	Fanzine is a little luxury via another Andrew, Details of its future to be confirmed with hopes of a contribution in the future?	J. Collins	1 st July	JC to establish contact
5	Match Travel after the excellent work last month by Robert, Browns were fixed as preferred operator. M. Scott has done a lot of work (using his past experience) may need alternative operator for first few games	Robert Gower & Michael Scott	Ongoing	Thanks to both guys. SG happy for MS to continue
6	Travel Insurance, this is linked to FSF so once they confirm cost then levels will be fixed	Await FSF	ASAP	To check on <16 yrs fans

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7	Travel, things such weekends off to be investigated, dialogue with Travel club to be established to avoid cost issues etc	All	Travel line 07926165863	We need to support the trips
8	HT Supporters club has formally decided to Join HTSA, in with trust organisation	June/July 2008	Their last meet August	Funds to be decided
9	Supporters club cabin, discussions with club show possible issues with planning permission to move it so to be done up & new sign		Ongoing	Stan to cost new sign
10	Match day travel MM & SJ are meeting with First Direct on 25 th June report to follow, SG agreed match day travel would be excellent Do buses get preferential egress after games?	MM/SJ	Meet 25.06.08	Positive feed back details later
11	Possible match day travel on "park & ride" type idea, especially from different locations	Ditto	Ditto	No report back yet
12	Catering: MM/SJ met G. Hardcastle to discuss catering & present both club& supporters thoughts & ideas. HTSA to confirm/reiterate their views & requests via letter	MM to continue his work J. Collins	Ongoing 30.06.08	Address to confirm, with letter ready
13	Same letter to be sent from HTSA as an open letter to Examiner (Mr Ray Wright)	J. Collins	30.06.08	Address to confirm,
14	HTSA & the club, SJ stated the club are keen to work with the group so regular meets & contact to continue & so build relationships	All	ongoing	
15	MM has had meetings with various aspects & people so SG happy to see him continue & build, maybe get others involved but feed back from Marcus is regular no need to change	MM & SG if he needs it	ongoing	Thanks to SJ for his help & commitment
16	Robert mentioned a space in the programme for an article so he is to progress with his contacts but SJ said he thought it would be ok	RG		RG to compile first article?
17	HTSA committee needs to be set up formally, with elected membership. SG agreed in principle to continue as interim committee	all	ASAP but use of internet is important	Committee by late Sept?
18	CM mentioned about the Supporters Trust & their membership costs especially the life members. These costs may require a "free" spell in HTSA			Supporters Trust needs to confirm its stance

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19	CM also raised the point that formal rules & regulations will have to be worked out soon. Various options, new, combine all groups etc	All	Ongoing but date should be fixed	All to make contributions
20	BP had left comments about a treasurer being needed so after discussion CM is to approach Marcus Garside to see if he would do it at least in short term, if not need one soon	CM	ASAP	Can HTSA canvas for a treasurer?
21	Subject of a bank account was discussed for HTSA funds, CM to ask MG for guidance	All	ASAP	Fees there if required
22	SJ gave guidance & help, showing him & the club are very positive on HTSA. Commented on use of individual expertise the way forwards but HTSA needs a leader	All		Need elected committee. Very soon
23	SJ mentioned the Open Day which is probably sooner than we thought (11.07.08) Will allow HTSA to give out leaflets		On day	SP/SF/RG/SW thanks
24	MM doing routine Examiner article in BP absence any input welcome. SJ said Examiner (back page) should be the first to lead the story. Possible HTSA can use Web, Internet etc	All		HTSA to spread the word on open day
25	The various newsgroups in the area are to be approached to see if we can promote the HTSA		Ongoing	Various people
26	SG thanked SJ for coming & his positive input & look forwards to continued involvement	All		From club & supporters

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