



Minutes of the Annual General Meeting of the Cavaliers C. C. held at  
Colchester Rugby Club, 21/11/95 at 8.30 p.m. with the President,  
Mr. R. Paris in the Chair.

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**Those present:** Messrs. T. Berry, P. Braithwaite, B. Clayton, A. Craig, R. Heudebourck, S. Hill, P. Johnson, K. Lines, T. Mayhew, K. Moore, R. Paris, M. Pawsey, P. Rawlings, R. Smith, R. Walton, T. Walton.

**Apologies for absence were received from:** Mrs. C. Pawsey and Messrs. P. Everitt, N. Pawsey and J. Rawlings.

**1. Minutes of the previous A.G.M. and matters arising.** The Secretary apologised for the absence of minutes from the previous meeting.

**2. Treasurer's report.** On behalf of Mr. N. Pawsey, who had previously sent his apologies due to illness, Mr. K. Moore reported that the Income of £3926.94 was balanced by Expenditure of the same amount with £41.24 as cash at the bank and with stock of 'T' shirts and mugs which were accounted for. On behalf of the Treasurer, Mr. Moore stressed that outstanding payments for caps were urgently needed in order to provide a healthier financial position for the Club to start a new season. The report was accepted and thanks for the efforts of Mr. N. Pawsey were recorded. At this point Mr. P. Rawlings (Chairman) joined the meeting.

**3. Subscriptions for 1996.** Proposals from the Committee; that the Annual subscription be £20.00 (£10.00 junior and non-earning Members); that match fees be £4.00 (junior and non-earning Members £2.00); that all day matches be £5.00 plus lunch cost. The President (Chair) explained to the meeting that pitch costs for all day matches were more expensive than for our more normal league or friendly matches. The proposals were Seconded by Mr. R. Heudebourck. Passed none against.

**4. Rule change.** Proposal from the Committee; that the Rules of the Club be altered to include the following "When a match has started; i.e. when the first ball has been bowled; match fees will be paid in full by players." Mr. R. Walton spoke for the motion explaining that once a match has started the Club is responsible for the provision and payment for the match ball, the pitch and the teas that have been provided. The motion was seconded by Mr. M. Pawsey. Passed none against.

**5. Election of Officers.** The following were appointed unopposed:

Chairman	Mr. P. Rawlings.
Secretary	Mr. P. Braithwaite.
Treasurer	Mr. B. Clayton.
Fixture Secretary	Mr. R. Walton.
First XI Captain	Mr. T. Berry
First XI Vice-Captain	Mr. S. Hill.
Second XI Captain	Mr. R. Walton.
Second XI Vice-Captain	Mr. R. Smith.
Social Secretary	Mr. K. Moore.
Auditor	Mr. N. Pawsey.
Scorer	Mrs. C. Pawsey.
League Representative	Mr. N. Pawsey.
Fixture Card Editor	Mr. B. Clayton.

**6. Tour to Derbyshire 1996.** Proposals from Mr. Roy Paris: that next year's tour be charged at £40.00; that reductions will be made at a rate of £5.00 per night subject to a minimum of £30.00; that a deposit of £10.00 will be made, payable as soon as possible; that after previous tourists have been given a reasonable opportunity to pay their deposits Members will be accepted on the tour on a 'first come first served basis'. The President, Mr. Paris, spoke in favour of the motion which had received seconding from the Committee. Passed with none against.

**7. 'Fifty' Club.** Proposals from Mr. R. Walton: that the Club run a draw for the benefit of Club funds and the Membership; that a Secretary be appointed for the running of this draw. Seconded by the Committee. Mr. R. Walton explained the proposal to the Membership recommending this as a financially beneficial scheme. The proposal would be a scheme for Members only and they would pay £5.00 for each number / share purchased. Members would not be limited to one number / share. Draws would be made monthly during the Cricket season (six draws) for a prize of £10.00 per draw. Two special draws would take place for a prize of £50.00 and these would be held at the End of Season Event and the February Dinner. Mr. T. Walton undertook to organise the Club. Passed none against.

**8. Dinner 1996.** Proposal from Mr. K. Moore that the Club hold a dinner for Members in February 1996. Seconded by the Committee. Mr. K. Moore spoke in favour of the proposal saying that he had arranged that the Dinner would be on February 9th at Rumpoles, Colchester meeting at 7.00 p.m. The cost would be £10.00 per head which would include one bottle of wine per couple. In Seconding the motion Mr. R. Walton proposed that Members should pay ahead of the event. Those wishing to attend should contact Mr. T. Berry, 11 Keelers Way, Great Horkeley, Colchester, CO6 4EE (Tel. Col 271818 enclosing / sending £10.00 per person. Passed none against.

**9. Fixture Card advertising.** Proposal from Ron Walton that advertisements taken out in the Fixture Card be charged at the rate of £20.00 per half page and £40.00 per full page. Seconded by the Committee. Mr. R. Walton explained that advertising almost made the fixture card a self-supporting venture. He urged Members to obtain as many adverts as possible and asked for copy to be given to any member of the Committee by January 31st 1996. Passed none against.

**10. Discounts on Fixture Card advertising.** Proposal from Ron Walton that Members obtaining advertisements be credited with one match fee for each advertisement obtained. . Seconded by the Committee. Mr. R. Walton explained the proposal. Passed none against.

**11. Any other business.**

**Day/Night Game.** Mr. K. Moore proposed that the Club play a day / night game against Brantham at the end of March. Selection procedure would be the same as for a friendly game. Passed none against.

**Golf Tournament.** Mr. K. Moore proposed that the Club play a pre-season golf tournament at a venue, date and cost to be advised. any Members interested were advised to contact a Committee member. Passed none against.

**Race Night.** Mr. K. Moore would look into the possibility of a race night. Members would be advised. Mr. K. Moore would again run a bat raffle during the coming season with the proceeds again going to Club funds. Passed none against.