

Caldecott Seniors AGM 11th November 2022

Senior Captain's Report

First of all, I would like to thank all our Caldecott seniors for all their help this season. It has been very much appreciated; I have enjoyed my time as captain even though at times

It was a very tough job but it was worthwhile. I would also like to thank my vice-captain John who has given me a lot of support throughout the year running most of the senior club comps and I know he will do a great job next year with his vice-captain. John has asked Jess Steele to be his vice-captain but I was reminded that last year we said we will ask for any other nominations, so can I ask if there is any other nominations? There were no nominations so congratulations to Jess on becoming our vice-captain for next year. I am continuing to run the winter league until it ends in January. We do seem to come around the bottom of the league and my aim is to get us up at least half way this time. We have met some great friends in our friendly matches. The results this year are at Home 7 wins 5 draws 1 lost and Away 2 wins 4 draws and 7 lost so the total after 26 matches was that we won 9, drew 9 and lost 8 so well done all who took part. The meals have been an issue this year. I have been informed that there will be a menu for John to choose from. Prices will vary so let's hope this is the answer to better and more choice in 2023.

My charity has been the East Anglia Air Ambulance and so far we have raised £532.35 with all your help and I hope for a little bit more after our Xmas Fayre. As you know this will be a Texas scramble with drawn teams of four. Hopefully a shotgun start around 8am with a Christmas carvery and pudding at around 1pm. The cost for the meal is £15 plus £2 for comp entry, subsidised by our funds by £5 a head so cost will be £12. If anybody has any donations for a raffle on that day please pass it on to me or John.

Treasurers Report by John Plaskett

Funds, at the end of October 2022, for the seniors' section was £837.44 compared to last year's £1082.86

This year we have 58 senior members, compared to 62 last year.

Our annual income of £580 was made up entirely from the 58 membership fees.

Entry fees for the SSAFA competition were taken by Allan Schoenherr and £125 was paid out to SSAFA which included an additional personal contribution by Allan.

Total expenditure was £789.42 (last year it was 203.60) we have not made any charitable donations now for the past 3 years and this includes the planned donation in respect of the death of Phil Lowe discussed at the 2019 AGM.

A BREAKDOWN OF THE EXPENDITURE

1) Seniors Captain's expenses for 2021	£55.88
2) Seniors Captain's expenses for 2022	£42.00
3) Vouchers for Alex Knapton Cup	£50.00
4) Purchase of Alex Knapton Cup 50%	£58.50
5) Vouchers for 2020	£45.00
6) Voucher for May medal	£10.00
7) Vouchers for March, April stableford	£20.00
8) Vouchers for seniors captains day	£60.00
9) Vouchers for Phil Lowe Cup	£35.00
10) Vouchers for MJ Fiddy Cup	£35.00
11) Voucher for August stableford	£10.00
12) Cost for website (3 years)	£158.04
13) Vouchers for senior singles 1st-2 nd	£35.00 (2021)
14) Vouchers for senior singles 1st-2 nd	£35.00 (2022)
15) Vouchers for senior doubles 1st-2 nd	£35.00 (2021)
16) Vouchers for Ian Cumby 1st-2 nd	£35.00
17) Vouchers for eclectic 1st-2nd-3 rd	£70.00
TOTAL	£789.42

John Plaskett

He also had a bill for 4 years of engraving all our trophies to come of which is £510.00 which now leaves us with a total asset of **£363.44**

Seniors Captain

The main reason for such a high expenditure is that we have had to catch up with a lot of cost over the last 3 years due to covid and because the funds are heading in the wrong way, I propose we raise the entry fee for the seniors from £10 to £15 per year. Seconded by John Castel and put to the vote and passed unanimously.

Derek Crow

He thought the prize money was a bit to high for the eclectic and should be lower. A vote was taken and agreed 1st prize of £25 2nd prize £15 3rd prize £10

Trevor Bacon

Can we do what the club does for our stableford and medal and charge a entry fee of a £1 to help with cost. This was put to the vote and passed unanimously

Seniors Captain

Asked if there was any questions from the floor

Mick Robertson

Is the donation to the Phil Lowe going ahead? John Plaskett replied no not at present as funds are so low.

Mick Robertson

When we play our friendly matches can we not have a meal as this money does not go to the club anymore. Trevor Bacon said it is not the right thing to do as all other clubs have meals

It was put to the vote and not passed.

Mick Robertson

Some competitions don't have prize money and why not, this was talked about by all. It came down to two comps where we have a cup only prize. We had a vote and it was passed that there will be a prize money for 1st and 2nd prize as usual in vouchers for those two comps. It will be down to next years captain to sort out the value of the prize.

Mick Robertson

In future can we have all the info on entry forms for competitions like format, prize money, etc.

This was agreed and John will sort this out for next year.

David Hanson

He would like to step down from the committee. With this the captain sad is there anybody here that would like to be interested to be on the committee? Mick Robertson put his name forward and was seconded by David Cooper. I said as a committee we must try to have two or three meetings a year to sort out any business.

Seniors Captain

It has been said that when you play for the club you must have a club polo shirt, Mick Robertson said that they can't get his size in that make. It was talked about and the result was he can wear a polo shirt of his own but in the correct colour. We also talked about the help of £10 refund for shirt if you play for the club. I said that's good but the £10 should come out of the club funds not from seniors fund as we can't afford that payout. Mick Turner said he thinks that the club has said that's the way it was going to be, but we will put this to the club committee next time we meet.

Seniors Captain

I have been running a order of merit with our friendly matches with 2pts for a win 1pt for a draw and a extra 1/2 pts if it was a away win. You must have at least played eight matches and the winner this year is Barry Needham so a £10 voucher is to be paid to him. Well done, Barry,
And thanks again to everybody for a great year.

John Castel

He would like to thank rusty for everything he has done this year. There has been a lot done and it has all worked out well.

SENIORS CAPTAIN

So as a result of our AGM

- Entry to the seniors will go up to £15
- Entry for stableford/medal will be £1
- Prize money for all comps
- Prize money for eclectic to be 1st prize £25 2nd prize £15 3rd prize £10
- Mick Robertson is on the committee
- Club tee shirts to be worn for club comps

Thank you all again

Rusty

Seniors Captain 2022