

# Shaftesbury Cricket Club

Minutes of a Meeting of the Executive Committee held at the Guy's House  
at 7.30pm 10<sup>th</sup> April 2002

## PRESENT

Chairman - Guy Lowton

Dave Toogood, Terry Warder,  
Graham Glaze, Steve Milton,  
Duncan Weir

1. **Minutes:**  
The minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

2. **New Ground:**  
Guy gave an update on progress at the new ground.

The Committee was delighted to note substantial progress. Planning consent had been granted, the square was growing well and the artificial looked impressive. The temporary pavilion and loo buildings were in place and the lock up was on site. The access track had been constructed allowing heavy plant to access the site. The Committee agreed to meet on site at the weekend to carry out some levelling work.

The Committee discussed various aspects of the scheme in detail.

3. **2002 Season:**  
Captains - Mark Cooper, Dave Toogood and Steve Milton - had made some headway in recruiting players, although the pinch may come on Saturdays where the squad was quite small. Nets had gone well, although the cost of hiring the nets was expensive and it was considered that if possible in 2003 nets should be held at the ground on the artificial wicket immediately prior to the start of the season. This was agreed.

The Committee reviewed the fixture list.

4. **Budget:**  
The Committee noted Graham's report on finances and recognised that the subscriptions would have to rise over then next couple of years to enable the Club to meet its running costs in the future. The Committee discussed a number of fundraising ideas and agreed that this would be best launched with the completion of the new pavilion.
5. **2002 Newsletter:**  
The Committee thanked Steve for the Annual Newsletter. It had been well received by the players and supporters and helped to generate interest in the Club. Steve said he was happy to do an annual newsletter and hoped to launch a website for the Club before the end of the year.

Meeting Closed at 9.20pm.