

## Minutes of the CKA committee meeting held on Tuesday 17th May 1994.

Present: Jon Gregory, Rebecca Elliott, Robert Nudds, Steve Watts, Jenny Winn.  
Apologies: Andy Neely.

(1) League Report. There are only a few outstanding fixtures still to be played and these should take place asap. Also outstanding results should be sent in. The City I vs. Addenbrookes II fixture has been awarded as a walkover to City. It would be helpful if all fixtures for next year which involve travel between Cambridge and Bedford could be arranged for times later than 7pm.

Addenbrookes, in particular, are very short of referees and are relying too much on Jon Gregory to fulfill their commitments. They should use the summer league to train some refs. and ask Jon if they need help with the finer points of the rules. The league officer will enforce restrictions on clubs entering the 1994/1995 winter league if they fail to provide refs.

Summer league entries must be confirmed in writing with Rebecca and venues must also be provided for outdoor matches.

A City Sport team has been entered for the CKA tournament and a Dutch team organised by Jan and Ada (formerly with City) will also enter.

An end of league social was suggested and thought to be a good idea. There might be up to about 100 people and so the Frank Lee centre at Addenbrookes was suggested as the venue. This will be organised by Rebecca in collaboration with the social secretaries of City and Addenbrookes clubs.

(2) Treasurer's report. Jon will contact Max to order 2 sets of pitch tapes and 6 balls will be brought by the City club for the CKA whilst they are in Holland.

The development loan could be used to make some business cards carrying the names and contacts for all Cambridge clubs that could be handed out by players to interested people. Steve offered to look into the cost of this.

It was suggested that the CKA might book a 1hr. slot indoors for the following year which could be used by any member of the CKA for extra practice. The practicalities of this were not discussed at this point.

(3) Refereeing exams were returned to those who took them and everyone achieved the required passmark of over 75%. Mark apologised for the ambiguity of a few of the questions.

(4) Development report. 2 members of City want to teach Korfbal in their primary schools so they will be allocated the 2 sets of junior posts. Max will deliver 2 sets of senior posts before the CKA tournament (2nd July).

7 people turned up for the city Sport course (5 women and 2 men) unfortunately a further 5 were lost because of the changes in time and venue. The first session went well.

Some concern was expressed over the county squad and the plans to attend some of the summer tournaments; this might take players away from their clubs. It was confirmed that the intention of the county squad is not to take players from the clubs but just to provide extra playing experience. Thus the first commitment of a player is to their club unless permission has been sought and granted from the club captain.

The presence of the county squad at the CKA tournament was considered to be possibly contrary to the developmental nature of the event but Justin wanted an opportunity, when all the players were around, to trial for the final squad of 12 and pick the best combinations of players. Again players' first commitment is to their clubs. The county squad will also play an exhibition match against the Dutch during the lunch break. It would be good if the local press could be present to help publicise the expansion of the sport in Cambridgeshire.

(5) Next meeting 21st June, 6.30pm.