

SOUTH WALES LEAGUES  
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2017  
MINUTES

**ATTENDANCE**

Club	Representative
Abercynon	Tudor Young
Abergavenny	Peter Sturgess
Barry Leisure	Brian Evans
Bridgend	Alan Prosser/Tom Smith
Caerphilly	Richard Bailey
Caldicot	Calvin Till
Cardiff	not represented
Cardiff Metropolitan	excused - out of semester
Cardiff University	excused - out of semester
Cowbridge	Nick Guard
David Lloyd	Peter Bridgeman
Llandeilo	Huw Griffiths
Llanelli	Not represented - apologies
Llanishen	James King
Llantrisant	Jason Jones/Adrian Brace
Meads	not represented - apologies
Merthyr	David Cope
Monmouth	Nick Edwards
Neath	not represented
Newport	not represented - apologies
Penyrheol	not represented
Porthcawl	Darren Thomas/Simon Lau
Rhiwbina	Richard Wright
St Mellons	David Evans
Swansea	not represented
The Glamorgan	Matthew Dainton
The Vale	Mike Workman
University of South Wales	not represented

Also attended - David Gobey; Mid Glamorgan League Secretary

**Minutes of AGM 2016**

These had been previously circulated.

**Matters arising**

There were no matters arising that were not agenda items. The League Manager informed the meeting that the suggestion for a ply-off between the team finishing 7<sup>th</sup> in Premier 1 and 2<sup>nd</sup> in Premier 2 had not been followed up.

**League dates for Winter 2017/Spring 2018 seasons**

The meeting was informed that the Winter 2017 season would start week commencing Monday September 11 and the final week would be week commencing Monday December 11.

The Spring 2018 season would start week commencing Monday January 8 and end week commencing Monday April 9.

**Matters for discussion**

1. League feedback – two requests for feedback in relation to the new League Master software and squashlevels ranking system had been sent but there had been no feedback received. The meeting was unanimous that the new League Master software was a great improvement with results entered providing instant update of the tables. It was also commented that squashlevels was providing more movement in the rankings as it responded readily to results, this was highlighted by Adrian Brace who with the League Manager's guidance had used the League Master software to enter results from the recent Llantrisant Open at end of play each day and had monitored players' rankings through the event.
2. Premier 1 play-off. This took place and was a highly successful 'showcase' event and will continue. Whilst the date set will always be the Thursday after completion of the League programme there will be some flexibility, within reason, for teams to have all players available to add to the event.
3. The League manager informed the meeting that there was on going work with squashlevels to improve the ranking system and that Richard Bickers [squashlevels] always welcomed feedback and suggestions to continually it's accuracy.