

## **Summary Minutes of Canton Liberal Club Committee Meeting 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2022**

Meeting Started: 19:03 hrs Length: 32 mins.

The Chairman opened the meeting and the Secretary read the previous minutes which were from the 23<sup>rd</sup> of December 2021. The minutes were accepted as a true record

The Chairman then outlined the consequences of the Welsh Government re-imposing restrictions on the hospitality sector. The Club's footfall and takings declined massively whilst the labour costs effectively doubled. He noted only 67 people attended the New Year's Eve function in the Hall making the issue of tickets a waste of time. In normal times we'd have had 180 present and in the event we came nowhere near our reduced Covid capacity of 114. Even the Bar was way below normal. The restrictions have had a knock-on effect on the Bar sports like skittles, darts, pool and snooker by creating fear, confusion on rules etc. causing many cancellations.

The Acting Treasurer then read out the Treasurer's Report and Accounts for Payment for the two previous weekly periods and these were accepted. The Chairman noted the figures highlighted the poor financial situation caused by the restrictions.

The Chairman allocated duties.

The Chairman then gave brief details on an unfair dismissal case brought against the Club which is on-going. The case goes back 2 years. The Secretary will represent the Club tomorrow in the on-line hearing and the Committee will be given more details after the judgement.

Bookings were discussed. It was stated that the Welsh Government had said weddings and funerals were allowed attendance up to the venue's Covid capacity. The secretary said that he had not seen that in his research on Wales.gov website on the Guidelines/law but would look again.

There was no other business, and the Chairman closed the meeting.