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Minutes of the Victoria University Badminton Club: Committee Meeting

Held at Chris Buehler's flat: Kelburn, Wellington

Thursday 8th January 2009 at 7.30pm

Meeting opened at 7.35pm

▪ **Present**

Executives: Chris Buehler (President), Mei Khoo (Treasurer), Darroch Ward (Vice President/Secretary)

Committee Members: Ashvin, Colin Chew, Steather Soo

▪ **Apologies**

Carlton Downey, Jian Wu

Presented by Chris Buehler

▪ **Review Tracksuits**

A tracksuit was reviewed by the committee; current estimation of the cost for a tracksuit is about \$65.

Chris to ask JJ if he is aware of any other suppliers, whether the jacket and pants can be purchased separately, and if there will be a discount for large volumes.

Colour of tracksuit still to be decided.

Committee decided to wait until the start of club before confirming sale price and total order to judge interest.

▪ **Confirmation of club times**

Club times have been confirmed for 2009, Wednesday 8 - 10 pm, Saturday 10 am - 1 pm

▪ **Laptop purchase**

Chris to get in touch with Linh Mai to enquire laptop specifications and purchase if satisfied.



▪ **Usage of VUWSA grant for Haitaitai court hire:**

A grant totaling \$2,540 has been confirmed by VUWSA, \$1,440 will be for court hire, \$1,100 is for shuttles.

Committee agreed on allowing no casual membership for Trimester 1 in 2009.

Committee decided to use the VUWSA grant to run a separate Sunday session in Haitaitai, between 2:30 – 4:30 pm if possible. Players would pay a casual fee to play each session and have to register (possibly via email) each week to play.

Mei to do a budget to determine suggested fee per person.

Chris to ask JJ about getting a club light card.

▪ **Training sessions**

Committee confirmed having fortnightly training sessions about an hour in length, starting at 10:30 pm. Darroch to think about expanding to include A grade in training sessions.

▪ **General Business:**

It was decided by the committee that a Team manager for Interclub/Business House teams would not bring any benefits to the club; the responsibility for looking after these teams will still belong to the team captains.

Special membership price for players just wanting to be affiliated to our club was discussed. A price of \$80 was agreed upon by the committee, and these players would not be able to play during regular Wednesday and Saturday club times.

▪ **Date of next meeting**

The date of the next meeting will be announced on the website or via email.

Meeting closed at 9.15pm

There are no details scheduled for another meeting