

CREWE & NANTWICH
KORFBALL CLUB



Crewe and Nantwich Korfball Club [CaNKorf]

**Minutes of the Executive Committee meeting
held on Tuesday 28th January, 2020**

1. APOLOGIES AND ATTENDANCE LIST

✓	Lizzie Harling	Chair
✓	Rob Barlow	Treasurer
✓	Eleanor Hopkins	Head Coach
✓	Ed McCauley	Secretary
✓	Andrew Smith	Safeguarding Officer (joint)
A	Jason Bridges	Safeguarding Officer (joint)
A	Liz Dawes	Development Officer (joint)
✓	Sarah Wharton	Development Officer (joint)
✓	Andy Stubbs	Social Secretary
A	Matt Gough	Team Manager (joint)
✓	Marc Ziegler	Team Manager (joint)

2. Potential visit from the local MP

The local MP, Kieran Mullen, had contacted England Korfball about a series of activities he was planning whereby he and his rugby mates tried new sports. The Committee was supportive of the idea of a visit and it was suggested that rugby players in general were a potential source for recruitment. The Secretary was following-up on the enquiry. **[ACTION: Secretary]**

3. Recruitment and retention

The beginners sessions held in January, advertised on Facebook groups, had been successful with 11 attending who were new to korfball. New players would be added to circulation lists and other communication tools once they had provided their details on the membership form, as this showed a level of commitment.

Next Tuesday, a post-training visit to the pub was planned so as to help with retention by welcoming new players to the club. This would be announced at training and promoted on the Whatsapp group. **[ACTION: Andy Stubbs]**

4. Refereeing course

There was sufficient interest to run a course and the Development Officer had been in contact with England Korfball to make arrangements. It was agreed to open the course up to other clubs in the area once a date had been set. Reaseheath College would be investigated as a potential venue **[ACTION: Andy Smith]** and Heja would be used to arrange the date. Eleanor was in possession of a projector.

5. Competitions

After the remaining league matches there were no further matches scheduled. Options for arranging friendlies were discussed, including via contacts at Cambridge City and Nottingham Uni. The Committee was keen on entering summer tournaments this year.

6. Any other business

The finances were said to be in good shape with potential to invest in new korfs.

7. Date of next meeting

This season regular catch-up meetings are held before training on the last Tuesday of every month.