Durham Colleges Staff Cricket Club

Minutes of the Annual General Meeting held on Tuesday, 10th March, 1992, at 1.00 p.m. in Room CM103.

Present: B.R. Lander (Chairman), P. Collins, J. White, E. Fuller, J. Anstee and D. Parker.

1. Apologies. Apologies were received from J. Barber.

2. Minutes of the last Meeting

The minutes of the 1991 A.G.M. were approved.

3. Matters Arising

Concern was expressed again about the new mat in the Indoor Net at Maiden Castle. It was considered to be less than adequate and the Secretary agreed to write to the Physical Recreation Officer to express these feelings. The wall-ladder had finally been moved, thanks to efficient lobbying undertaken by the previous Secretary.

The disappointment about the current lack of fixtures at the Racecourse, notwithstanding its frugal usage, had been expressed to Mr. Stoker.

4. Election of Officers

The following Officers were elected:

President J. Barber
Chairman B.R. Lander
Secretary D. Parker
Treasurer J. White

The Secretary undertook to seek the appointment of a Captain and Vice-captain, following nominations received.

5. Chairman's Report

Despite consternation about the lack of fixtures at the Racecourse, 1991 had been a successful and enjoyable season with the emergence of a more stable squad of keen players. The Captain was thanked for his excellent and efficient service in the past 2 years.

6. Captain's Report

Details of last year's results were presented which showed that of the 8 games played, two were not lost although there had been very close finishes in 5 of the games. Meritorious performances from Lander and Tomlin (batting) and Anstee and Hughes (Jr.) (bowling) were noted. The team had secured a great deal of pleasure from playing in 1991.

7. Treasurer's Report

The audited accounts were presented showing a healthy balance of £226.09. The previous Treasurer was thanked again for leaving such a considerable inheritance. Expenditure had been limited to the purchase of a scorebook and a new ball had been used, on one occasion. The Treasurer agreed to consider the purchase of new wicket-keeping gloves and promised to investigate methods of insuring the kit against theft or damage.

8. Secretary's Report

A fixture list of 15 games was presented, beginning on 23rd April, with a mixed range of opponents. A fixture against the Mayor's XI was being organised and the possibility of the match being hosted by the University was discussed. The availability of outdoor nets at either Maiden Castle or the Racecourse was to be investigated. Indoor nets were booked from March 16th onwards (Mondays).

Any Other Business

None was raised and the meeting closed at 1.48 p.m.