

AFC Executive – 19th March 2019 – Secretary's Report

Items for Information

- Rep Team play Herts County League @ Potters Bar FC ko 7.45pm on Wednesday 20th March 2019.
- All Exec papers are now published on web site and will no longer be sent via email (as requested at last Exec meeting).
- Old Meadonians have reached AFA Senior Final (Centenary Final) to be played at Bank of England on 13th April ko 3pm. Also AFC teams have made it to all but three AFA finals, our best season for many years, just need to win them now.
- Referees promotion marks have been sent to all counties and currently we have recruited a number of new referees in the past month and so our numbers have swelled to 200 with 60 of those promotion candidates. Our current list of registrations is made up of AFA (45), LONDON (98) SURREY (38) & OTHERS (5).
- Pitch Survey request received from Bob Leeds @ AFA with just 3 days to complete (deadline 15/3)
- Clubs continue to get suspended for non-payment of County Fines causing me so much added work, London Lawyers, Lea Valley (every month), Clapham OX & Old Challoners in 2019. All club have received emails with help guides on discipline but seem to not read what is sent.
- Mayfield still have not returned cup to Mick Kelly and he is in further contact with them.
- Spring Cup has been organised as so many teams have or will have finished games by end of March.
Twelve divisions of 5/6 teams and some SAL & ART clubs have entered.

Items for Consideration

- What is happening regarding the move to WGS player registration in 19/20 – JW to update and this needs urgent attention
- Referees Fees for 2019/20, The AFA look likely to set the Referees fee at £37 and AR fee at £30 (both a £3 increase from 18/19) .We need to be competitive and so a decision needs to be made regarding our proposal to increase Refs fees to £40 for AFC organised matches..

Ian Andrews– 13th March 2019