

**Minutes of the Lode Tennis Club Committee held on 30 September 2009
at Lode & District Social Club at 8.30pm**

Present: Jeff Kempster Arthur Tomlinson Ann Tomlinson
 Sally Jaggard Will Jaggard John Lince
 Duncan Taylor (observer)

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1. Apologies were received from Nick Whitehead.
2. The minutes of the Committee Meeting held on 18 June 2009 were accepted as a true record without amendment.
3. Arrangements for the Curry Evening on 21 November at Jeff & Sue's House were discussed and details finalised. Sally volunteered to prepare a Lamb Rogan Josh and a Rice, Will the Naan Bread, Anne a Bombay Potato dish, Jeff a Thai Green Curry, and Sue a dish to be arranged, and a Rice. Papadoms would be acquired by Jeff from the local restaurant. SJ / WJ / AT / JK
4. It was decided that a Quiz Night should be held in September 2010, and that at the next meeting a Social event for February should be considered. All
5. An application for membership had been received from Nathalie Chaplin who had recently moved into Tunbridge Hall in Bottisham. John Lince said that he had suggested to her that she should apply to join and that he was very happy to sponsor the application. It was decided to accept the application.
6. The Chairman had received a request from Charlie Platten to consider whether Lode Tennis Club members may be prepared to share in some way the booking of Astro turf courts under floodlights at Bottisham for 'Club Nights' on Mondays and Fridays from April to September. If the cost were shared between the two clubs it would amount to £500 for each club.
7. After some discussion of how this might be implemented, it was decided that it would not be appropriate for the committee to spend Lode Tennis Club Funds in this way, and that any Lode Tennis Club members who would like to take part in 'Club Nights' at the Bottisham Courts could do so by joining the Bottisham Tennis Club. It was agreed that an appropriate message could be posted to all Lode Tennis Club members on and via the Website and an item could be put in the next Lode Star to encourage any members who might like to take part to contact Charlie about membership etc. JK
8. The next meeting was scheduled to be held at John Lince's House at 47 Mill Road at 7.30pm on Wednesday 25 November 2009.
9. The meeting closed at approx. 9pm with thanks to the members for their attendance.