



# Minutes of the AGM of CCUSA

**Date:** Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2022 at 19:45

**Venue:** Cambridge Joint Ex Services & Royal Mail Social Club

**Attendees:** Ben Whyall, Chris Wilson, Peter Hinstridge, Peter Laughlin, Rob Benson, Andrew Lowin, Brian Howard, Duncan Morgan, John Wallis, Ian Liversedge, Roy Fountain, Ted Voss, Peter Lemon, Simon Smith, Keith Coburn, Simon Seabrook, Cindy (Tai Lam), Clara Chang, Dave Pimblett, Chris Dean, Ian Reid, Niall Taylor, Anthony Hyde, Helen Hyde, Mark Webster, Steve Ross, Alistair Hazel, John Gothard, Alan Lamb

**Apologies:** Peter Howard, Linda Hobbs, Mick Hoy, Andrew Hayward, Andrew McLean

## Item

### 1. **Chairman's Welcome**

Chris Wilson welcomed members in his capacity as Interim chair and remarked on the difficult times we have faced.

### 2. **Minutes of Previous AGM 25/03/2021**

The minutes were proposed as an accurate record by Peter Laughlin and seconded by Ian Reid.

**Passed unanimously**

### 3. **Matters Arising**

None

### 4. **Proposals**

#### 4.1 **Membership Fees**

Ben Whyall, proposed the membership fees remained constant (at £3 for Cambs ACO members and £7 for others.) in light of the current funding arrangements and the associations financial position.

Ian Reid asked the question as to whether the membership rebate from the centre would continue.

Ben Whyall invited Peter Hinstridge to confirm that this would indeed be the case for this year and Ben confirmed the money had been received

Proposed by Ben Whyall seconded by Rob Benson

**Passed unanimously**



## 5 Business Notified in Advance of the AGM

### 5.1 Election of Officers

Ben Whyall informed the meeting of the fact that Frank Appleyard had stepped down as president.

We had received notice of the decision, too late for us to nominate a new president, as such the committee asked for membership to offer suggestions and a nomination would be brought back to the members

Additionally, Ben Whyall explained that he was stepping in to cover treasurer as Andrew McLean had resigned. The intention being that a new treasurer would be appointed and that Cindy had kindly accepted. However as this was too late, we couldn't amend the officers.

Simon Seabrook asked was it possible to change it on the night and unfortunately, it would appear not, due to the way the constitution is worded.

The proposed officers were as follows

President	Vacant
Chairman	Alan Lamb
Vice Chairman	Chris Wilson (interim)
Secretary	Andrew McLean
Treasurer	Ben Whyall (interim)
Appointments Officer	Keith Coburn
Education	Ben Whyall
Development	Peter Laughlin
Scorers	Helen Hyde
Safeguarding Officer	Rob Benson
Cambridgeshire and Huntingdonshire	Chris Wilson
Premier League Representative	
Cambridgeshire Cricket Association	Ian Reid
Representative	

Proposed Chris Dean and Seconded by Peter Hinstridge

**For 27, Against 0, Abstentions 2**

Alan Lamb spoke in acceptance of his election. He had previously been Chairman in 2014 for 4 years and is independent of any other organisation or club connected to cricket in Cambridgeshire to ensure that there were no conflicts of interest

He thanked the outgoing Chair and all Committee members for their hard work and perseverance through the very difficult times over the last 2 years.



## 5.2 Constitution Changes

Alan Lamb went through the constitution changes which had been circulated.  
See Appendix A.

He made further comment around the use of co-opting members to the committee and promised members clarity over the reasons for it.

Proposed by Andrew McLean and Seconded by Ben Whyall

**For 27, Against 0, Abstentions 2**

## 5.3 Merger Proposal

Alan Lamb spoke on the fact that we had previously attempted to merge and the merger committee and its composition and purpose.

It being composed of Peter Hintridge (Eastern Region ACO Chair), Peter Laughlin, Chris Wilson, Helen Hyde, Steve Ross, Andrew Lowin, and Mark Webster

Rob Benson spoke of the need to pool resources from both organisations and the benefits that it would provide to both organisations and local cricket.

Ian Reid asked on what the view of the Hunts members had been.

Steve Ross spoke explaining the meeting that Hunts had in December 2021, and that the Hunts committee had decided to require a 2/3 majority to pass their merger resolution and that this had been achieved.

Steve also explained his views on why it was necessary as Hunts had declined from 73 to 43 members over the last 5 years and they were struggling to fill committee positions. In addition, the membership was aging with an average age of 69.

Hunts committee was positive in recommending a merger with Cambridgeshire after looking at the options including a merger with Beds. However, given the way the cricket flowed through the county into the combined Cambridgeshire and Huntingdonshire premier league and other competitions it was felt unsuitable.

Alan Lamb spoke further about the pathway for officials and that he felt that cricket flows through Hunts and Cambs into the joint premier league.

He spoke about his thought about the loss of independence and heritage of the two strong associations. However, he stressed that he felt the time had come to join together and merge our resources for the good of the members and cricket.



He further stressed that we were asking for permission to seek an agreement that we would be able to bring back to the membership for approval of all changes to the constitution.

He further suggested a name for the new organisation of the Cambridgeshire and Huntingdonshire ACO but this was to be decided by the membership

Brian Howard asked a question about the planned meeting venues and would they move.

Ben Whyall replied to say that the meetings would be open to suggestion from members but would not be wholesale moving. In addition, education and other services would be provided where needed.

Proposed by Peter Laughlin and seconded by Ben Whyall  
**Passed Unanimously**

## 6 **Officers Reports**

### 6.1 **Chairman – Peter Laughlin** Outgoing chairman's Report

A status quo year as far as I was concerned, some disappointments in that many proposals within the committee that we did not manage to achieve. Reason's often relating to the ongoing difficulties that we still had to endure from the extension of the Covid Pandemic.

On the positive side we did see a few new faces on the umpiring front. The ECB ACO I think is starting to identify that we have retention and recruitment issues and is restructuring at the top of the association. I also managed to complete my tutor training.

One area that prior to my resignation, during the winter, I was heavily involved with is the Merger between Cambs and Hunts. I feel that this is an essential requirement for both associations, with dwindling numbers, that by combining we can rebuild and continue to play an important role in our local Cricket to officiate matches to the expected standards and needs.

I will not as you see be totally leaving the committee and have agreed to cover the Development position an area which has always been important to me as a Coach and Coach developer.

My resignation as Chair was for personal reasons and I feel that Alan is better suited to help restructure our association for the better of our membership. I felt that due to my other activities within Cambs Cricket I was involved in too many areas creating a conflict of interests.



Thanks for the support and look forward's to being in the background for what I hope is a successful future for all umpires and scorers within our local area.

#### 6.2 **Secretary – Andrew McLean**

Thank you once again to all our members for your efforts over the last year. Another year dominated by Covid and restrictions which didn't make our lives any easier. Hopefully this year will be better, with teas back at some clubs, and most if not, all restrictions lifted. Still a need to be cautious, but hopefully a return to the type of cricket we all love and are all accustomed to.

Finding new umpires continues to be a struggle, and this shortage means that there are a large number of games that cannot be covered. This is both a frustration for those appointing officials but also for the players affected. The Committee are determined to improve this situation and we will continue working hard to achieve this.

I wish you all the best for a great season ahead! These sad and uncertain times deserve something to look forward and let's hope the season can go some way to helping do that.

#### 6.3 **Treasurer – Ben Whyall**

The accounts as provided in Appendix B were presented along with the independent examiners report in Appendix C.

Ben briefly explained the limited number of transactions that had occurred in the last year.

#### 6.4 **Appointments Officer – Keith Coburn**

As I have been highlighting for the past 18 months, we are at a desperation level for the number of active umpires. Between us and Hunts we have lost 21 umpires since the start of the pandemic from those that finished the 2019 season.

It's everyone's responsibility to try and attract new members, and not just the Club's most of whom are struggling themselves to get 11 out to play week in week out.

As for last season we made 821 appointments with just 28 regular umpires. Looking back even as recently as 2015 we had 62. A number of theories are floating about, but the main reason is quite simple and is one of their age profile. 294 changes were made from the original appointments throughout the season, with 27 changes coming in the first two weeks. 46 umpires came from the 1 required posting on the website. 52 Whiting League games took place with only one umpire officiating of which I can only apologise to those left standing



alone, I umpired two of those and yes, it's hard work! All that is before we even start talking about the CCA, where matches even in the Senior League continually go ahead uncovered.

Finally, hopefully the merger with Hunts will provide us with more active umpires, but I doubt it. It seems a national problem that the Governing Body needs to address urgently as they seem to be doing with other minority sectors of the game.

Finally, I would like to thank everyone who stood last year, some at very late notice and one I must highlight in particular is Rupert Bull, who is the Appointment Secretary's Umpire for 2021.

Keith Coburn  
3.3.2022

#### 6.5 **Education – Ben Whyall**

Ben gave an update on last year's education which was an on-line stage 2 and a number of umpires who had taken the stage 1 online.

This year we will be running a stage 2 face to face in April with additional CPD be provided.

Ben thanked all of the tutors and others that had helped with the education activities.

#### 6.6 **Scorers Officer – Helen Hyde**

Again, the pandemic disrupted the delivery of face-to-face courses. However, there was a lot of effort behind the scenes at the ACO to provide online education and courses. As the very small light at the end of the pandemic tunnel started to grow in size, we decided to start arranging courses on a regional level. I have organised an electronic scoring workshop on 6th March and I am pleased to say that this workshop will run at capacity. Working with CSOs of neighbouring counties we decided that going forward, it would be better to organise regional based courses rather than county-based courses. This would result in increased numbers of attendees – teaching a course to a dozen or more candidates are much more efficient than teaching to 2 or 3.

There is an ongoing issue with CSOs receiving accurate information from ACO Head Office about scorers who have completed online courses. I contact anyone on a list who has completed an online course in the hope that further engagement and contact will result in membership of ACO, continuation of scoring activity and further training. Unfortunately, there have been situations where people on my list are either not connected with Cambridgeshire or are not even in the East Region or are actually people who have completed online umpire courses rather than scoring courses. These issues have been reported to



the ACO and hopefully will settle down as staffing issues are sorted out at Edgbaston. Implementation of recommendations of Officiating Review should alleviate staffing issues. However, it does not help with our difficult task of recruiting and engaging with scorers.

Officiating Review – awaiting implications for scorers. There does seem to be acknowledgement of role of scorers and there will be a part time post of Scorers' Manager appointed in due course.

Gender Neutrality – all course material is to be amended to include term “batter” rather than “batsman”. Scorebooks etc all to be amended too.

Play Cricket – updates have been ongoing during the winter. Videoing and streaming of matches is now very popular. Protocols – currently there is guidance on videoing and streaming on the ECB website, under both safeguarding and the ACO section. There is currently discussion and concern about proposed limits on number of devices that you can sign in on- awaiting further updates. The proposed charge for live-streaming will not come in to force this season. Discussions are ongoing but it is likely that a charge for live-streaming will be levied in the future.

The 2021 season was obviously much easier for scorers than the 2020 season. Guidance from the ECB helped clubs put measures in to place to ensure a safe environment. Everyone was much more used to and prepared for restrictions. As more scoring is carried out electronically, clubs should try to improve the provision of power for laptops and WiFi.

CSOs were asked to look at scorer remuneration. Although each county had relatively few responses, there was enough as a region to indicate a big disparity between remuneration for scorers. A similar scenario is seen throughout the country. Attracting young scorers is difficult for many reasons not least because they can earn an awful lot more on a Saturday by working in supermarkets or cafes. It would be helpful if the ACO would issue some guidelines on scorer payments and expenses. This issue was discussed at the recent Regional ACO Conference. Heather Vernon is to further the discussion on behalf of scorers and attempt to secure guidance for scorers.

It appears that Cambridgeshire is no different to other counties in that it is an uphill struggle to get scorers interested in joining the ACO. There is not much incentive to join – many scorers are club-based and are not very interested in grades or further training. Membership of the ACO does indicate that a scorer has a valid DBS certificate. Clubs need to be mindful of the DBS status of their scorers.

Heather Vernon (National Scoring Officer) had looked at the RSO role and considered that in line with the way the similar umpire role is fulfilled then



appointing two people to the RSO role should be considered. With the resignation of Mike Arnold as Regional Scoring Officer, Allison Bradnock and I were asked if we would consider applying jointly for the role of RSO. WE both duly applied and were appointed joint RSOs for the Eastern region. I understand that as other RSOs need replacing then a dual appointment where possible is to be applied.

I have attended a refresher course for Development Observers and continue to be a fully accredited DO who can access scorers at level 1, level 2 and level 3.

On this note, I carried out a Level 3 Development Observation for Ian Rippington and supported his application for level 3. I am pleased to report that Ian is now a level 3 scorer.

I have attended the following meetings;

Online meetings –  
Scorers Sub-Committee -6th October 2021  
Regional Scoring Officers – 13th December 2021  
Scorers Sub-Committee - 19th January 2022  
ECB ACO AGM – 12th February 2022

Actual meetings  
East Region ACO, Duxford – 27th February

#### 6.7 **Safeguarding Officer – Rob Benson**

From the point of view of officials, the main focus has been that all regular umpires & scorers must have a valid ECB DBS. This is now quite easy to action and to continue as the process now has an automatic renewal system in place.

No umpire can be appointed unless they hold a DBS. The ACO membership requires this certification & is logged centrally at the ECB.

There have been no umpire reports of any safeguarding issues that have come to the attention of the ACO safeguarding officer. However, there have been other reports received by the county (from clubs/players/parents) and some of these reports are where appointed umpires have been present.

Safeguarding is everybody's responsibility, especially those who are in a position of authority & are there to apply the ECB laws, rules & regulations.

Going forward there is a "County Partnership Agreement" that involves the County Board, the ECB & various cricketing organisations. This includes the local ACO branches, their officers & their members. It states the level of requirement for Safeguarding so that an organisation is ECB compliant.



In due course there may be an online Safeguarding course that officials will need to complete; more details to follow later this year. This is due to the fact that umpires may see & hear issues such as on-field bullying and scorers may have a young scorer with them who may say something that could be deemed as a disclosure.

Safeguarding covers any young adults and vulnerable people within the game, not just under 18s, so this is a very important area which must be compliant with all the ECB requirements.

#### 7 **Any other Business**

Peter Hinstridge provided an overview of the officiating review.  
Highlighting the creation of the officiating department

Head of Officiating to be appointed who will have the following reports

Head of Recreational Officiating –  
Head of Pathway – Hamish Grant  
Head of 1<sup>st</sup> Class Umpires – Chris Kelly  
Head of Scorers (Part time) -- tbc  
Education manager – tbc – They will have responsibility for the management of courses and resources.

#### 8 **Closing statement**

In closing the meeting, Alan Lamb acknowledged the internal disagreements and problems with communication that had been experienced over the past few years going back to before his previous time as Chair and that there was much work required to move the Association forward  
Meeting Closed at 21:25



## Appendix A – Constitution Proposals

Current Position	New Position	Explanation
CONSTITUTION FOR CAMBRIDGESHIRE CRICKET UMPIRES AND SCORERS ASSOCIATION	<b>Change to</b>  Constitution of Cambridgeshire Cricket Umpires and Scorers Association	To neaten up the wording
	<b>Insert at the beginning of the document</b>  Where used in this document the term “in writing” is deemed to include, but not be limited to email, publication on the website of the association and notification by post.	To reflect the updates to the ways in which the business of the association can be communicated to the membership.
<b>Section 1.1</b>  The title shall be “Cambridgeshire Cricket Umpires and Scorers Association”	<b>Change to</b>  The association shall be called “Cambridgeshire Cricket Umpires and Scorers Association”	To ensure consistency with section 1.2 and to improve clarity.
	<b>Insert as section 5 then renumber future sections</b>  The association does not and shall not discriminate on the basis of race, colour, religion (creed), gender, gender expression, age, national origin (ancestry), disability, marital status, sexual orientation, or military status, in any of its activities or operations.	To put on record the associations position on non-discrimination.



Current Position	New Position	Explanation
<p><b>Section 5 – The association shall be governed</b></p> <p>The association shall be governed by an executive committee consisting of the following officers: Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary/Treasurer, Education Officer, Umpires Pathway Officer and Welfare Officer</p>	<p><b>Change to</b></p> <p>The association shall be governed by an executive committee made up of the following officers.</p> <p>Chairman  Vice Chairman  Secretary  Treasurer  Education Officer  Development Officer  Safeguarding Officer  Scorers Officer  Appointments Officer</p> <p>And the representatives to</p> <p>Cambridgeshire Cricket Association  Cambridgeshire and Huntingdonshire Premier League</p> <p>In addition, the officers shall have the ability to co-opt such other members as deemed necessary and fulfil any gaps that may occur during the year.</p>	<p>To accurately represent the titles of the officers and representatives.</p>



Current Position	New Position	Explanation
<p><b>Section 6 Business of the AGM</b></p> <p>To receive the chairman's report            To receive the secretary's report            To receive the Treasurer's report            To receive the appointments officers report</p>	<p><b>Change to</b></p> <p>The business of the AGM shall be: -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To receive reports from:</li> </ul> <p>The officers and representatives from the committee.</p>	<p>To simplify the list and to ensure all members of the committee are allowed to provide a report to the meeting.</p>
<p><b>Section 6 Business of the AGM</b></p> <p>Under the business of the AGM shall be:</p> <p>To appoint an Auditor (who shall not be a member of the Executive Committee).</p>	<p><b>Change to</b></p> <p>To appoint an Independent Examiner (who shall not be a member of the Executive Committee)</p>	<p>Under legislation and accounting practice, it is difficult if not impossible to have accounts audited for an association. We should instead have our accounts independently examined instead.</p>



Current Position	New Position	Explanation
<p><b>Section 6 Business of the AGM</b></p> <p>To elect the following officer's chairman, vice chairman, secretary/treasurer, Education Officer, Appointments Officer, Performance Officer, Scorers Officer and Child Welfare officer, each post to be a separate officer.</p>	<p><b>Change to</b></p> <p>To elect the following officers and representatives</p> <p>Chairman Vice Chairman Secretary Treasurer Education Officer Appointments Officer Performance Officer Scorers Officer Safeguarding Officer</p> <p>Representative to the Cambridgeshire Cricket Association</p> <p>Representative to the Cambridgeshire and Huntingdonshire Premier League</p>	<p>To accurately represent the titles of the officers and representatives.</p>
<p><b>Section 8</b></p> <p>All members shall receive fourteen days' notice of a Special General Meeting containing details of the reasons for calling the meeting, together with details of any proposed changes to the Constitution.</p>	<p><b>Change to</b></p> <p>All members shall receive 14 days' notice of a Special General Meeting containing an Agenda and any papers relating to the business of the meeting.</p>	<p>Reword and provide clarity as to what the membership will receive.</p>



Current Position	New Position	Explanation
<p><b>Section 10.</b></p>	<p><b>Insert as section a</b></p> <p>The funds of the Association shall be lodged in a bank account, as determined from time to time by the committee.</p> <p><b>Insert as section a 1</b></p> <p>All cheques, drafts, etc. drawn on the account shall be signed by two of the following Officers: Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer or any other nominated Committee Member as determined from time to time by the Committee.</p> <p><b>Insert as section a 2</b></p> <p>Online transactions shall be authorised by one of the following Officers: Chairman, Vice-chairman, Secretary or Treasurer.</p> <p><b>Change to section b</b></p> <p>The financial year of the Association shall end on 30<sup>th</sup> September and a statement of accounts up to and including that date shall be presented to the succeeding Annual General Meeting. Alongside the report of the independent examiner</p>	<p>To provide clarity on authorisation of transactions and the holding of the bank account.</p>

## Appendix B – Accounts of CCUSA

Created 2 March 2022  
From Date 1 October 2018  
To Date 30 September 2019

**CAMBRIDGESHIRE CRICKET UMPIRES  
AND SCORERS  
Profit & Loss Statement**  
(All values reported in GBP)

### Turnover

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4000	General Sales	316.00
4010	Annual Dinner	1,127.00
4901	Royalties Received	50.00
4906	Subs	237.00
4907	Membership Rebates	230.00
4908	Education Rebate	670.00
	<b>Total Turnover</b>	<b><u>2,630.00</u></b>

### Less Cost of Sales

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<b>Total Cost of Sales</b>	<b><u>0.00</u></b>
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b><u>2,630.00</u></b>

### Less Expenses

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7407	Annual Dinner Ex	(1,339.50)
7603	Professional Fees	(85.00)
7803	Premises Expenses	(120.00)
8206	Education	(392.60)
8207	Observation Expenses	(60.00)
8208	Committee Expenses	(393.79)
	<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b><u>(2,390.89)</u></b>
	<b>Profit Before Tax</b>	<b><u>239.11</u></b>

Created 2 March 2022  
Report Date 30 September 2019

**CAMBRIDGESHIRE CRICKET UMPIRES  
AND SCORERS  
Balance Sheet**  
(All values reported in GBP)

**Fixed Assets**

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**Total Fixed Assets** **0.00**

**Current Assets**

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1200 Current Account 3,636.61  
1230 Petty Cash 142.00  
**Total Current Assets** **3,778.61**

**Current Liabilities**

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1100 Debtors Control Account (316.00)  
**Total Current Liabilities** **(316.00)**

**NET Current Assets** **3,462.61**

**Total Assets less Current Liabilities** **3,462.61**

**Long Term Liabilities**

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**Total Long Term Liabilities** **0.00**

**NET Assets** **3,462.61**

**Capital and Reserves**

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P&L Account 3,462.61  
**Total Capital and Reserves** **3,462.61**

Created 2 March 2022  
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**CAMBRIDGESHIRE CRICKET UMPIRES  
AND SCORERS**

**Profit & Loss Statement**  
(All values reported in GBP)

**Turnover**

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4010	Annual Dinner	800.00
4900	Miscellaneous Income	273.73
4906	Subs	45.77
4907	Membership Rebates	516.00
4908	Education Rebate	890.00
	<b>Total Turnover</b>	<b><u>2,525.50</u></b>

**Less Cost of Sales**

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<b>Total Cost of Sales</b>	<b><u>0.00</u></b>
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b><u>2,525.50</u></b>

**Less Expenses**

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6900	Miscellaneous Expenses	(273.73)
7407	Annual Dinner Ex	(800.00)
7803	Premises Expenses	(60.00)
8206	Education	(420.23)
8208	Committee Expenses	(293.60)
	<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b><u>(1,847.56)</u></b>
	<b>Profit Before Tax</b>	<b><u>677.94</u></b>

Created 2 March 2022  
Report Date 30 September 2020

**CAMBRIDGESHIRE CRICKET UMPIRES  
AND SCORERS  
Balance Sheet**  
(All values reported in GBP)

**Fixed Assets**

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**Total Fixed Assets** **0.00**

**Current Assets**

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1100	Debtors Control Account	33.77
1200	Current Account	4,140.55
	<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<b><u>4,174.32</u></b>

**Current Liabilities**

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1230	Petty Cash	(33.77)
	<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<b><u>(33.77)</u></b>

**NET Current Assets** **4,140.55**

**Total Assets less Current Liabilities** **4,140.55**

**Long Term Liabilities**

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**Total Long Term Liabilities** **0.00**

**NET Assets** **4,140.55**

**Capital and Reserves**

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	P&L Account	4,140.55
	<b>Total Capital and Reserves</b>	<b><u>4,140.55</u></b>

Created 2 March 2022  
From Date 1 October 2020  
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**CAMBRIDGESHIRE CRICKET UMPIRES  
AND SCORERS**  
**Profit & Loss Statement**  
(All values reported in GBP)

**Turnover**

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4906	Subs		6.00
4907	Membership Rebates		284.00
		<b>Total Turnover</b>	<b><u>290.00</u></b>

**Less Cost of Sales**

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		<b>Total Cost of Sales</b>	<b><u>0.00</u></b>
		<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b><u>290.00</u></b>

**Less Expenses**

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6900	Miscellaneous Expenses		(254.14)
7506	Hosting Fees and IT Consumables		(36.00)
		<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b><u>(290.14)</u></b>
		<b>Profit Before Tax</b>	<b><u>(0.14)</u></b>

Created 2 March 2022  
Report Date 30 September 2021

**CAMBRIDGESHIRE CRICKET UMPIRES  
AND SCORERS  
Balance Sheet**  
(All values reported in GBP)

**Fixed Assets**

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**Total Fixed Assets** **0.00**

**Current Assets**

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1200 Current Account

4,140.41

**Total Current Assets** **4,140.41**

**Current Liabilities**

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**Total Current Liabilities** **0.00**

**NET Current Assets** **4,140.41**

**Total Assets less Current Liabilities** **4,140.41**

**Long Term Liabilities**

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**Total Long Term Liabilities** **0.00**

**NET Assets** **4,140.41**

**Capital and Reserves**

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P&L Account

4,140.41

**Total Capital and Reserves** **4,140.41**

## Appendix C -- Independent Examiner's Report

to the Members of the Cambridgeshire Cricket Umpires and Scorers Association (CCUSA)

I report on the accounts of the CCUSA for the year ended 30 September 2021, and those for the comparative year to 30 September 2020.

Respective responsibilities of the Members and the examiner

The members are responsible for ensuring that adequate accounting records are maintained and for ensuring that the annual accounts of the Association are presented and approved by the membership at the Association's Annual General Meeting. Under accounting rules an audit of the accounts is not necessary but the Association has followed good governance practice by having the accounting records and accounts independently examined.

It is my responsibility to:

- to review the accounting records and ensure that these records accord with the annual accounts;
- to review the transactions and make such enquiries as necessary to ascertain that the transactions have been properly recorded;
- to state whether any particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of Independent Examiner's report

An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the Association and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts and seeking explanations for you as Members concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently I do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

Independent Examiner's statement

In connection with my examination, NO matter has come to my attention:

(1) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that, in any material respect, the requirements:

- to keep adequate accounting records, and
- to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records

have not been met; or

(2) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Paul Tibble

ACMA, CGMA

7 January 2022