

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE STADIUM COMMUNITY COMMITTEE (SCC),
HELD ON TUESDAY, 23 APRIL 2019**

ATTENDANCE

DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL: Mr Brian Hanney (BH)
Cllr Dermot Lacey (DL)

LOCAL COMMUNITY: Mr Joe McCann (JMcC)

LRSDC: Mr Martin Murphy (MM)
Mr Roddy Guiney (RG)

VENUE: Aviva Stadium Management Building

1. APOLOGIES:

Apologies were received from Cllr Mannix Flynn, Alf Guinevan, Mick Davoren and Daniel Wynne.

2. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING:

It was agreed that the minutes of the last meeting of 29 January were an accurate record of that meeting. Same to be put on the stadium website as per policy.

3. MATTERS ARISING:

RG apologised that he had not set up a meeting with Mr Paul Meany of Marian College in relation to the sports hall.

He said that same will be done asap and will include both JMcC and AG.

4. OPERATIONS UPDATE:

MM outlined upcoming fixtures as follows: -

- 11 May: FAI Junior and Intermediate Cup Finals
- 10 June: Ireland v Gibraltar (Euro 2020)
- 10 August: Ireland v Italy (rugby)
- 5 September: Ireland v Switzerland (Euro 2020)
- 7 September: Ireland v Wales (rugby)
- 10 September: Ireland v Bulgaria (soccer friendly)

MM noted that following 10 June fixture that there will be total renovation of the pitch. He also noted that new LED lighting was being installed in the floodlights. This will result in the use of less power.

MM also noted that the Stadium Tour and Museum have been updated and relaunched.

MM also noted that work in relation to Euro 2020 was continuing.

COMMUNITY FUND:

RG updated the meeting about same. He noted that 55 applications for funding had been received. He said that Mr Philip Land would begin meeting with the various projects at the end of April. Mr Land confirmed that he hoped to have his report by mid May which would enable the projects to be notified of the funding situation asap.

There followed a discussion in relation to the importance of all bodies receiving funding to be GDPR compliant and also that there should be no issues in relation to the bodies in question. RG assured all that Mr Land teased out all issues when meeting with the various bodies. All were in agreement that Mr Land does an excellent job for the fund.

RG to remind Mr Land that all projects should be looked at in relation to their overall benefit to the community around the stadium.

5. ANY OTHER BUSINESS:

- MM noted the boxing camp which is held annually at the stadium in conjunction with Dublin City Council. He said that same would go ahead this year in late May/early June.
- JMcC noted a complaint from Malone Gardens in relation to stewarding. This was in conjunction with the recent Sean Cox benefit match. MM said that MD would look into same.

6. NEXT MEETING:

It was agreed that the next meeting would be set up once RG had received report from Mr Land. Report will be circulated and meeting will be focused on discussing Mr Land's report and the allocation of funds.

RODDY GUINEY

Hon Sec
Stadium Community Committee

3 May, 2019

Circulation

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