



BERKSHIRE VOLLEYBALL ASSOCIATION

BVA AGM 2019/2020

August 19<sup>th</sup> 2020

Hosted by Andy Bickle (BVA Chair)



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## **Attendees**

- Andy Bickle – Chair (Newbury)
- James Murphy – Treasurer (Maidenhead)
- Dave Fox – Competitions Secretary (Reading Aces)
- Sue Sayers (Newbury)
- Khusro Habib – Spikeopaths
- Lauren Tucker – South Bucks
- Sam Yip – Maidenhead
- Piers Walters – Spikeopaths

- Magda Caley – Basingstoke
- Jon Williams – Oxford
- Emmanuelle – Reading Uni
- Eva – Farnborough

## **Apologies**

- Lisa Mitchell – Social Secretary (Maidenhead)
- Natalie Barker – Reading Aces

## **Non Attendees**

- Oxford Uni



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## **AGENDA**

- Welcome
- Apologies for Absence
- Summary of the Season (Andy)
- League Results & MVP's (Dave)
- Youth Development (Sue)
- Finance (James)
- Social (Lisa)
- COVID-19 & Matchday / Officiating amendments
- BVA Committee
- AOB



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## **Summary of the Season**

- 10 clubs across 4 counties
- 34 Adult Teams across 5 leagues / divisions
- 5 Junior Teams
- 3 x Committee Meetings
- Season ended Prematurely due to COVID-19
- 2 x Virtual Meetings
- Closer ties and interaction with Volleyball England



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**League Results & MVP's  
(Dave Fox – Competitions Secretary)**



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## **BVA League Results**

- Men's Div 1 - Winners - Spikeopaths Men's 1 - Relegated - Reading Uni Men
- Men's Div 2 - Winners & Promoted - Basingstoke Lions
- Ladies Div 1 - Winners - Basingstoke Lionesses - Relegated Spikeopaths Ladies 1
- Ladies Div 2 - Winners & Promoted - Oxford Uni Women
- Mixed - Basingstoke Mixed
  
- Medals will be distributed at the start of 2020/2021 season



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- **BVA MVP's**

- Men's Div 1 – S Huster (Maidenhead Men's 1)
- Men's Div 2 – Jordan Ayres (Newbury)
- Ladies Div 1 – Magda Caley (Basingstoke) U Vidoni (Oxford Falcons) P Saenlun (Newbury)
- Ladies Div 2 – C Taubman (Reading Uni)
- Mixed – U Vidoni (Oxford Globetrotters)
  
- Certificates will be distributed at the start of the 2020 / 2021 Season (please send a mailing address to BVA Chair [andrew.bickle1@ntlworld.com](mailto:andrew.bickle1@ntlworld.com) in order for them to be sent)
  
- **Note to All – when completing the MVP section, please use an initial and surname. (A number is of no use to us and the entry will be void)**



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**Junior Season & Youth Development  
(Sue Sayers – Youth Development Officer)**





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Junior League Winners - Spikeopaths Juniors

Junior League MVP – D Furness (South Bucks 2)

Regional Activity & Interaction with SEVA and potential link with HVA

- **Junior report**

- **Spikeos**

- We had about 25 juniors regularly turning up for our training session.
- All during the pandemic they have been eager to re start but our venue is not yet confirmed for September.
- The earliest we can hope to start is in October, provided the venue is available.

- **South Bucks**

- We had 52 juniors last year in our club (U16's). Unfortunately we now have no venue available (we had 3 before) so we are not sure when we can resume our development efforts. Our priority will be to advance the juniors who have been with us for 3-4 years already as they have shown such dedication already.
- Right now we are hoping to start our advanced juniors in September and with any luck, resuming the beginner and intermediate juniors after Oct half term. If that timing is off, we will try again for Jan start after the holiday break.

- **Newbury**

- We will be starting back Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September for older juniors and Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> September for all other juniors



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# **Financial Statement**

## **(James Murphy – Treasurer)**

BVA Finances as at 19-Aug-2020

<b>BVA Balance Brought Forward</b>	<b>£6,997</b>				
		Last Year		Last Year	
<u>Income</u>	<u>£2,210</u>	<u>£2,140</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>	<u>-£1,200</u>	<u>-£519</u>
League entry Fees	£2,120		Deposit refund	£0	
Good Will deposits	£20		Trophies 2018/19	£0	
Fines	£70		SEVA Costs 2018/19	-£180	
			BVA Plate costs 18/19	-£880	
			BVA Play-off costs 18/19	-£140	
<u>Outstanding Income</u>	<u>£0</u>	<u>£300</u>	<u>Outstanding Expenditure (commitments)</u>	<u>-£1,650</u>	<u>-£4,460</u>
SEVA entry Fees	£0		Good Will Deposits	-£820	
Sponsorship	£0		Play off costs 2017/18	-£560	
			BVA Plate costs 2019/20	£0	
			SEVA entry Fees 2019/20	£0	
			Play off costs 2019/20	£0	
			Trophy Costs	-£270	
			Individual Plaques	£0	
Total In/out actual	<u>£2,210</u>			<u>-£1,200</u>	
Total in/Out (inc. debts & commitments)	<u>£2,210</u>	<u>£2,440</u>		<u>-£2,850</u>	<u>-£4,979</u>
Current Account Balance				<u>£8,238</u>	<u>£8,688</u>
Year End prediction (current account + outstanding income - Commitments)				<u>£6,587</u>	<u>£2,837</u>



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**Social Update**  
**(Lisa Mitchell – Social Secretary)**



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- 2019 / 2020 BVA Plate – Due to the maximum numbers allowed at any one time it will not be possible to hold the competition this season.
- BVA Ball – planned for end of 2020 / 2021 Season
- Potential of other Social activities



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## **COVID-19 & 2020/2021 Season**

- Government Guidance, VE Guidance, Venue Guidance, Club Plan & Risk Assessment.
- Club RA / Plan (link to website) to be submitted to the BVA with Team Entry
- Venue Availability – Please communicate availability / issues, some clubs maybe able to assist with extra capacity (Trinity @ Newbury for example)
- Due to COVID-19 Expenditure and the BVA not being to hold the annual Plate tournament the BVA will not be charging Team entry fees for 2020/2021 (one season only Goodwill gesture)
- Team Entry Closing Date TBA however please submit at the earliest opportunity.
- BVA Leagues planned Start TBA, will depend on venue availability.

# Officiating Guidance 2020/2021 Season

Before the Game	The Game Itself	After the Game
Symptoms – if you are experiencing Symptoms or have been in contact with someone who has COVID-19 Do not Participate or Travel to a Volleyball Venue.	Line Judges – As we play triangular fixtures our line judges are part of our 30 maximum numbers therefore we can continue with Line Judges	Only visual agreement of the Scoresheet from team captains Required.
Arrive Ready to play / Officiate (reduce use of changing rooms)	Participants requiring pens to bring their and not share	Only the scorers signature required on the Scoresheet
Avoid spending unnecessary time in the Venue	Scoresheets – Each Team / Scorer to provide the match scoresheet,	MVP – to be given verbally to the scorer to complete the Scoresheet
Provide Team Sheets with Names & Contact Details for Track & Trace (to be kept securely by home team for 21 days)	Scoreboard – if using a separate person to operate the scoreboard, this must be distanced from the scorer (separate table)	Verbal agreement of Scoresheet by referee, any amendments to be entered by the Scorer
Maximum of 10 per team (including coaches, spectators) Due to the guidance maximum group of 30 attendees	Line up Sheets / Rotation Slips – Each Team to provide their own	Shower at home instead of at venue to reduce changing room usage
Home Team responsible for Guidance	Social distancing for non playing participants to be maintained including team benches / chairs	Exit of Venue as promptly as possible
Sanitize Hands & Balls before starting	Time Outs – the court area can be used for time outs (whether Tactical or Referee)	
Non playing Participants to wear face coverings as per indoor guidance (not including players, officials or coaches)	Sanitize Hands & Balls after every break of play (15 points of play or 20 minutes)	
No Blown Whistles (Squeezy / Electric)		
Traveling Teams responsible for their own Warm up Balls – Sanitize / Clean before use.		

- Referees are empowered to ensure measures are adhered to through appropriate interventions (Verbal Warnings / Cards), Your Judgement & Common Sense to be used if you feel the environment is not safe to proceed.



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## **BVA Committee – Officer Elections**

- BVA Chair – Andy Bickle
- BVA Secretary – **Vacant** – Admin & Communication role, if interested please contact a committee member
- BVA Treasurer – James Murphy
- Competitions Secretary – Dave Fox
- Youth Development Officer – Sue Sayers
- Webmaster – Piers Lawson
- Social Secretary – Lisa Mitchell
- Referee & Coach Coordinator - **Vacant** – Admin & Communication role, if interested please contact a committee member





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- AOB
- Promotion / Relegation 2020 /21 – to be discussed and confirmed at the next Committee meeting
- Start date / entry date – TBA however please get your entry's in if you can
- Face coverings for non participants, this does not include players, officials or coaches.
- Venues / Sharing – other clubs may be able to assist with training or match venues (Newbury as an example)
- BVA website page for Policies & Risk Assessments / links