



Arbroath Footers Club Constitution

NAME

The Arbroath Footers (hereinafter referred to as "the Club").

OBJECTIVE

To promote running and jogging and to encourage beginners.

MEMBERSHIP

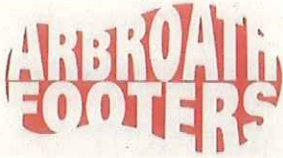
- (a) Application for membership will be made to a member of the Club Committee who will pass on the details and membership fee to the Treasurer
- (b) Each member will pay an annual subscription as agreed by the Club
- (c) Subscriptions will cover the period 1st October to 30th September and will be payable at the end of September
- (d) To resign from the Club a member must inform a member of the Club Committee who will advise the Treasurer
- (e) All Club members shall be amateurs as defined by the SAF, BAF and SHRA
- (f) No person who has refused to be tested by a properly constituted body of the BAAB for the presence of drugs prescribed by the IAAF, or is found on testing by such a body to contain such drug or drugs may remain a member of the club nor may he or she become so, this imposition being without time limit

COMMITTEE

- (a) The Club Committee will consist of a minimum six members with nominated office bearers being President, Secretary, Treasurer, Welfare Officer and at least one of whom must be a female member
- (b) The Club Committee will meet on a regular basis and at least once a quarter
- (c) All decisions will be made by a majority vote with the President having a casting vote in the event of a tie.
- (d) The Club Committee will have the power to co-opt up to three extra members and form sub-committees as and when considered necessary
- (e) An auditor who is not a Club Committee member will be appointed by the Club Committee to inspect the accounts.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM)

- (a) The AGM will be held in September and the following business will be undertaken:
 - i. The President's Report will be presented
 - ii. The audited accounts will be presented
 - iii. Business on the agenda will be discussed
 - iv. The Club Committee will be elected
 - v. The Club Constitution will be endorsed for the upcoming year
- (b) Items for the agenda should be submitted to the Club Secretary at least two weeks prior to the AGM and the agenda for the AGM will be displayed at least one week prior to the meeting.
- (c) An AOCB (any other competent business) item will be included in the AGM agenda
- (d) 15% of all paid up members will constitute a quorum



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- (e) Only fully paid up members will be eligible to vote
- (f) The President will have only a casting vote
- (g) A proxy vote on previously announced items will be allowed

EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING

An EGM may be called after two weeks notice to all members by the Club Committee or by ten members presenting a signed request.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION

- (a) The Club Committee, by a two thirds majority at a quorate Committee Meeting may propose amendment to the Constitution. The Club Committee must then call and Extraordinary General Meeting at which quorum will be 15% of the membership, giving four weeks notice to all members. If the proposed amendment is passed by two thirds of those present it will be adopted.
- (b) Alternatively ten members may petition the Secretary in writing to call and EGM in which all conditions in 7a will apply

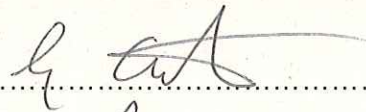
CLUB COLOURS

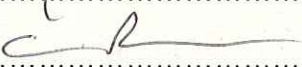
- (a) A red vest with the ARBROATH FOOTER logo
- (b) Club colours must be worn by all members representing the Club at any competitive meeting.

CLOSURE

- (a) In the event of the club closing all money and assets of the club will be held by the Club's bank for a minimum of two years during which time the said money and assets may be used to assist the formation of a new running club.
- (b) It will be the responsibility of the last Club Committee to nominate a worthy good cause as recipient of the said money and assets in the event of no new running club being formed.

This constitution was adopted following a meeting held on Tuesday 19th November 2013.

Signed  President

Signed  Secretary