



# **HAMPSHIRE & IOW TENNIS**

## **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING – Financial Year 2025**

### **Held within Showcase Event**

Minutes of the 2025 Hampshire & IOW Tennis Annual General Meeting that was held within the Showcase event on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2026 at David Lloyd Southampton (SO16 0XS) and 65 people attended. The meeting was led by Richard Cutler, Charity Manager.

- 1. Apologies for Absence** – 15 were received.
- 2. The Chair's Introduction** followed by the Charity Manager interviewing Chris Wilkinson
- 3. Minutes from the AGM held on 10<sup>th</sup> May 2025** - approved
- 4. Charity Manager's presentation**

The Charity Manager talked through his presentation including:

- Review of 2025
- What does Hampshire & IOW Tennis do?
- Strategic Priorities for 2025
- Strategic Metrics for 2025
- Strategic Priorities for 2026
- Successes on Court – juniors, adults and seniors
- Networking and social media
- Opportunities to get involved
- 2025 deliverables

#### **5. Financial Summary 2024**

The Charity Manager talked through the Financial Summary for 2025 and confirmed that the signed Accounts were on the website. A deficit of £47,493 was recorded for 2025 (against a surplus of £44,538 in the charity's first year 2024) and the closing funds carried forward were £199,983. Despite financial challenges, such as rapidly increasing costs for County Cup competitions, a long-term budget forecast has been prepared to allow the charity to invest in key strategic priorities, whilst returning to breakeven within 3 years and still protecting a healthy reserves balance.

#### **6. Trustees**

All 12 Trustees were unanimously elected:

Lois Nash – Chair, Jane Dow (Vice-Chair), Robin Thompson, Roger Castle, Richard Marston, Michael Isaacs, David Fothergill, Stuart Lamb, Mat Johnstone, Kam Mak, Joanne Dallas, Joe Roxburgh

#### **7. Presentation of Hampshire & IOW Tennis Awards**

**Di Hill Cup** – presented to the 9U Girls County Cup Team  
**McDiarmid Cup** – presented to the Ladies' 65s County Cup Team  
**Men's Summer Doubles** winners – presented to Warsash Tennis Club  
**Ladies' Summer Doubles** winners – presented to Winchester R&F

#### **8. Presentation of the LTA Awards**

The Chair and Charity Manager presented the following winners:-  
Cathy Simpson – Cathie Sabin Volunteers of the Year (Milford Tennis & Squash Club)  
Daniel Hitchins – Coach of the Year (Milford Tennis & Squash Club)  
Lottie Howard – Performance Coach of the Year  
Linda Havers – Lifetime Achievement (Milford Tennis & Squash Club)  
Kris Dymond – Official of the Year  
Portsmouth Tennis Centre – Tennis Opened Up  
Jane Reap – President's Award (Old Basing Tennis Club)

The Charity Manager thanked all stakeholders in Hampshire & IOW Tennis. A note of thanks was also recorded for the Charity Manager.