

GLOUCESTER CITY AFC SUPPORTERS TRUST

Minutes of GCST Board Meeting held on Tuesday, 27th May, 2025 at Regus Offices, Worcester Street, Gloucester.

Present:

Robin Mogg (Chairman), Craig Layhe (Secretary), Dave Jones, Judith Evans and Tim Clark and Mark Davidson

Welcome:

Robin thanked those for attending

Apologies:

Paul Clark, Chris Palmer, Matt Phillips, Tim Lezard and Trevor King

Minutes:

Minutes of the previous meeting, held on Monday 28th April, 2025 were approved and unamended

• Matters Arising:

Colin Taylor is on holiday for the date of the AGM. It was decided in the room to proceed with the original proposed date

• Treasurer's Report:

A copy of the most up to date accounts were provided by Trevor for all members and will be posted onto GCST Website for all trust members to see. In summary, £8888 in the bank with £1893 ring-fenced for other expenditure, leaving £6994 available. Line by line detail of all monies are listed on the financial report posted on the website. Headlines for the month include:

It cost £900 to subsidise reduced travel costs for fans to the play-off matches

• Membership Report and 2024/5 subs:

Membership has risen from 110 to 116

End Of Season Feedback

All feedback has now been collected and will be officially presented to Robin, Colin and Matt for review and response. This will then be emailed back to all trust members. The feedback was literally copy and pasted, so all feedback is written by the relevant trust member. No alterations were made. The feedback was presented to all board members.

• Keith & Mike Plaque:

Now resolved, just waiting on the layout prior to its delivery

• Access Ramp To Club Shop

The ramp, made of concrete would cost approx. £500. All board members agreed to fund this cost

• Price Of Programmes

There was a small increase in cost to produce the programme for match days. It was agreed in the room to keep the selling price the same and just absorb the cost

Bursary Awards

No feedback or actions at this time

• Any Other Business

There was discussion in the room about potentially funding Sportscode Licence for Daf, the new manager. It allows you to watch and analyse other teams. It is understood to cost around £600-£700 and Dave would explore this.

The funding for the anniversary of the Gloucester Docks will be unknown until the end of the year, but to go ahead and start working on it now

The next meeting would mainly focus on how to grow membership numbers and which fundraising ideas to pursue for the upcoming season.

The meeting then closed with the date for the next meeting being on Monday 23rd June, 7pm, at Regus Offices in Worcester Street