

Club update May 2020

The Committee wanted to give you a short update on the Club to reassure you that everything is being done to ensure that we weather these difficult times.

We applied for and have received the Government grant for small businesses and all staff have been furloughed for the moment. The Treasurer is working hard to minimise our bills, but we still have outgoings to cover. In addition, some of you may be aware that the flat roof has finally given up the ghost, so we face a large outlay to replace it.

In order to help with the cash flow, the Committee have decided to try and bring in some revenue from future years by offering people the chance to lock in their membership fees at £15 per annum by paying £150 now for a 10 year membership that will start in January 2021. For those already over 65, the cost is £100 for 10 years and an adjustment will be made for anyone making 65 in between. Please contact the Club Secretary at cclub.secretary@btconnect.com

if you want to take the opportunity.

It is looking hopeful that we may be able to partially open soon if we are able to provide an outdoor service, with a one way system and all social-distancing measures in place. The Committee is discussing with the Tennis and Bowls sections how we can make use of part of their space as a temporary measure. We await the next Government announcement and will let you know as soon as we can when (and how) we will be opening.

In the meantime, we hope you are coping with the lock down – at least the weather is co-operating! And we look forward to welcoming you back to the Club soon.

The Committee