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**QUIDDITCH
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Date: 03. 03. 2021

Location: Google Hangouts

Present: Scott Palmer, Kelsey Collins, Alistair Yap, Jamie Turbet, Nicola Gertler

Meeting Opened: 8:58pm

Membership Debrief

- Scott had a meeting with the company
- They can't be clear about what the options for gender are, but they will be done by the middle of June
- They are willing to put into the contract the guarantee it will be resolved by June
- They recommend to move across when the system is ready
 - It would take a couple of week to get data from Jotform onto the new system
- Money from membership costs would come in weekly
 - It would be beneficial to raise prices to cover the membership fees
 - The payment platform would incur fees
- We would like to wait until they have the updated gender field in Jan 2022
- **Action: Scott to stay in touch with the company**

IQA

- The US have written to the IQA to appeal their decision for delaying the world cup until after 2022
- QA agrees their with their decision but would like to see the IQA accountable to their letter – we would like a response to the questions raised
- We would like to know how their insurance works
- **Action: Jamie to ask how their insurance works and get their financial report**
- **Action: Jamie to organise QA attendance at IQA meeting**



Events - QUAFL

- Event package is now done
 - It needs to go into the QA format to look nice and professional
 - This needs to be distributed quickly – send to states and venues
- We could reuse the Dropbears package for events
- **Action: Alistair to distribute by the end of the week**
- **Action: Everyone look at the event package**

Events – SS Feedback

- Some important points were raised by the states – especially that the lack of representative quidditch may cause people to look to other sports
- The board remains unchanged
 - We still need to focus on the recruitment of new members
- **Action: Jamie to post the decision in state Slack channel**
- **Alistair to draft an email to members and public post**

General Business

- VQA have been getting odd questions from clubs about team eligibility for QUAFL. We should make eligibility requirements for clubs and individuals clear
 - We may need to be lenient on individual requirements depending on how the year goes
- We should have a meeting with the states to touch base after the last meeting
 - Talk about the shared use of resources
- **Action: Jamie to organise a meeting with the states**
- **Action: Kelsey to post about QUAFL eligibility and how transfers work**
- **Action: Nicola to send Kelsey Vic questions**

Meeting Closed: 9:44pm