

Worthing Striders AGM Vote on Subscription Structure

At the 2016 AGM of Worthing Striders Running Club a vote will be held on which of two membership subscription structures the club will use moving forward. Please note that the 2015/16 trial of a £20 subscription scheme ends this month.

Both subscription structure options are described on the second page of this document.

Please read the information carefully before deciding on how to cast your vote.

VOTING

The vote will take place at the AGM on Thursday 15th September 2016 at 7.30pm.

Voting options are:

EXISTING	REVISED	ABSTAIN
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Proxy votes to be made as detailed in the Club Constitution:

14. Any paid up member unable to attend the AGM or Special general meeting can vote by proxy on all matters set out in the Agenda duly published. This Proxy vote shall be with the Hon. Secretary by the commencement of the meeting. The Hon. Secretary must receive the name of the proxy – which for clarity can be a member of the Committee - and the voting intentions clearly set out in writing or electronic form. All votes properly received and clearly stating the member's wishes shall be counted in in any vote.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Aims, Objectives, Obligations and Development plan as described in the Club's constitution:

3. The aims and objectives of the Club are:

- a. To promote Road and Cross Country Running*
- b. To promote Running as an enjoyable way to keep fit.*
- c. To provide Training for runners and make provision for newcomers*
- d. To provide opportunities to take part in organised running events*

4. The Club shall affiliate to England Athletics (EA) and UK Athletics (UKA)

26. The Club will make every effort to obtain a 'CLUBMARK' qualification as set out in England Athletics Constitution

EQUITY POLICY STATEMENT ADOPTED BY WORTHING STRIDERS FROM ENGLAND ATHLETICS

- Worthing Striders is committed to ensuring that equity is incorporated across all aspects of its development. Sport equity is about fairness in sport, equality of access, recognising inequalities and taking steps to address them. It is about changing the culture and structure of sport to ensure it becomes equally accessible to everyone in society

SUBSCRIPTION STRUCTURE VOTING OPTIONS

Existing Structure

A single price option as set by the West Worthing Tennis Club.

England Athletics affiliation and all other club running costs are paid out of funds raised by Club races (currently Highdown Hike and Downland Devil 9).

This is what has been in place in previous years. There will be no option for an alternative subscription rate whether the member uses the West Worthing Tennis Club facilities or not.

Membership subscription includes:

- Affiliation to England Athletics
- Access to all Club coaching and training opportunities
- Access to take part in any Club organised running events irrespective of meeting point
- Right to vote on any issue tabled at any properly convened Club meeting or AGM
- Access to the facilities provided at the WWTC (as detailed in their membership information) at any time during the membership year

Revised Structure

A choice of two subscription rates to be available.

One to be standard Worthing Striders Membership and the second being Worthing Striders Membership + use of the West Worthing Tennis Club and facilities.

Two Subscription Membership Option:

	Worthing Striders Membership	Worthing Striders Membership with WWTC*
Worthing Striders Subscription	£TBC	£TBC
England Athletics Membership (2017/18 price)	£14	£14
WWTC* Membership (as set by WWTC)	-	£65
Total Payable	£TBC +£14	£TBC +£14+£65

*WWTC – West Worthing Tennis Club

Membership subscription to Worthing Striders will include:

- Affiliation to England Athletics
- Access to all Club coaching and training opportunities
- Access to take part in any Club organised running events unless they expressly require access to the WWTC
- Right to vote on any issue tabled at any properly convened Club meeting or AGM

Membership subscription to Worthing Striders with WWTC will include:

- Affiliation to England Athletics
- Access to all Club coaching and training opportunities
- Access to take part in any Club organised running events irrespective of meeting point
- Right to vote on any issue tabled at any properly convened Club meeting or AGM
- Access to the facilities provided at the WWTC (as detailed in their membership information) at any time during the membership year