

Bar Chairman AGM 2021 report

The bar remained closed until September 2021 when the committee felt that the Covid situation had eased enough that we were able to start inviting members of the public into the club again. The website was updated and we have started to get enquiries through, at the time of the AGM we have our first booking in 2 years in November.

Given the considerable cost involved with a full restock of the bar and replacing of the stolen tablets conversations were started on how this could be done or other options available to us. This led to discussions with junior parent Ady who already runs a 'pop-up' bar company and who was keen to partner with us where he runs the bar and the club benefits from the room hire fee. Whilst in its early days this partnership should allow for the bar to reopen with minimal risk and reduce the volunteer overhead on club members. Due to the length of time the bar was closed the majority of LRC purchased stock had gone out of date and has now be disposed of. The remaining stock e.g. spirits, wine is to be sold to Ady

The club committee have started discussions on a potential refurbishment project of the bar area to include a new carpet. Nothing has yet been decided and club members are encouraged to voice their opinions on what we can do to maintain and improve that area.

Rob Fox

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