**Honorary Treasurer Brief for AGM**

It has been a very busy season financially, especially with the extra pitch payments with the new pitch in St Vincent. Endeavouring to ensure we keep a tighter control on our finances, so we do not go onto a downward spiral and are unable to support us in the future. This I think we have achieved this, although I had my doubts in previous months that we would not achieve this goal. However, I estimate that we will be slightly down from what we started with, but I estimate it will not be a significant amount.

With the reduction of teams we have put out this season and presumably will do next season, we should be able to negotiate a lower payment to St Vincent next season. This should help our finances and we can get back to a more stable financial footing next season. However, it will be prudent to keep the tighter control with our money, so we can achieve this, for future stability.

I shall be standing for re-election at the AGM for next season, and I will give you all the best service I can for next season. I will continue to report to the committee on any findings of concern I have on our finances, and will endeavour to keep a firm control of our money so we will be on a firm footing for the future.

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