## **AGM 2018**

## Treasurer's Report on the accounts for the year ended 31st March 2018

The accounts for the year show a deficit of £698.67. The main item of expenditure contributing to this was the cost of the three courses held by Stephen Brown and Paul Gibbons to keep county and club Directors up to date with the changes to the laws.

The increase in the cost of the Kent Representative Teams was the entry fee for the Metropolitan Cup, which was not held during the previous year.

There is a continuing decrease in the income we receive from the EBU under the P2P system, reflecting a decline in the number of members attending sessions at some of Kent's clubs. The decline is very slow and I do not see any need to ask for an increase in Kent's P2P charge.

The cost of the teacher training course in last year's accounts was part of the committee's attempt to increase club membership, and Chris Lohan hopes to run another course during the current year. Looking to the future, the Committee is sponsoring pupils from Kent schools at a Junior Bridge Camp.