

## SSSC Annual Parish Report

After the tribulations of previous years, I am pleased to report that the club is on a very stable footing.

Our stewardess, Lucy Perkins, continues to do a tremendous job in running the club and we as a committee hope that she continues with us for a very long time.

Membership is up and currently the finances of the club are in a healthy state with bank balances totaling £20,626, although there are still some short-term liabilities of approx. £2,000 to be paid to the brewery, gas and water rates etc.

We continue to liaise with the Vale to free up our entitled S106 money that is going to help us make much needed improvements to the club and also use our own money to make the club an attractive proposition for new members, particularly families. We have been extremely grateful to SARINC for their help historically, the Parish Council for their financial help in purchasing the new portable floodlights, which we hope will help maintain the Green. Also, we are extremely thankful to Richard Binning for donating diesel, which helps us maintain the pitches and to our Vice Chairman and local resident Paul Flint who pays for our monthly subscription to BT Sport.

The sections of the club are in a very healthy position. We have two football teams, although it looks like this year the first team will be relegated to division 2. We have 2 Saturday cricket teams and also a team playing in the midweek league. In addition to these we have;

1 Aunt Sally team, 5 dart teams (one of which won the winter league 2) and 2 crib teams (which were also successful in winning silverware).

We are able to offer all the major sporting events on Sky Sports and BT Sport and it is now hoped that we can now continue to grow the club so that it can be a tremendous asset to the village. We would like to invite people to come down and have a look at our future plans for the club and would welcome new members with annual subscriptions available at £15 for families, £10 for a single and free for resident Steventon Senior Citizens.