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OPEN LETTER TO ALL MEMBERS

Members should be aware that the Club's Executive Committee takes its responsibility to maintain and improve the Club's facilities for the members very seriously.

We have been fortunate over the past 12 years to be able to appoint Richard Ingle of Courtcare to look after us.

However, despite attempting to contact and engage Richard for some essential maintenance since Christmas we have established that he is no longer available for Squash Court work.

Research through England Squash and other clubs has revealed that the few approved firms available are extremely busy, some not available until late November.

We are very concerned that the state of the door to Court 2 and the black marks on the floors of Court 2 and 3 is affecting some player's attitude to caring about using and abusing the Club facilities. Investigations into how and who may be leaving black marks on the Court floors will be continuing – as will the possibility of applying sanctions to "guilty" players.

The Executive Committee has agreed to invest some £2600, representing £16 of a member's annual subscription, in remedial works.

The door to Court 2 will be replaced on 11th July 2023.

On Thursday and Friday 17th & 18th August 2023 respectively, the play walls on Court 3 will have plasterwork patches repaired and have the armourcoat plaster work cleaned. In addition the floors to both Court 2 and 3 will be sanded and the lines repainted.

Courts have been booked off for these maintenance items; do not attempt to use them on those evenings.

Yours sincerely,

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