**CTSA Board meeting minutes 05/03/18**

Present: Sam Jordan (Chair), Steve Leake (Fan rep), Marilyn Loughton, Chris Laker, Simon Smith

Apologies: Andy Tester, David Leake

Steve will be attending a board meeting with the club on 22nd March. He will ask fans to submit questions to him prior to the date

It was agreed that some form of lottery would be a good idea and we are just waiting for confirmation from the club in case they implement something similar themselves

The club are organising a golf day in conjunction with Peter Drake at a proposed cost of £75 to play which the board thought was expensive in comparison with the last one which was run by the CTSA

The Easter egg appeal has been launched for Chestnut Tree House hospice and has been well received

Board training with the Supporters Trust has been arranged to take place at the stadium on Sunday 29th April from 10:00 – 16:00

Steve will be writing some programme notes for the Swindon game on Easter Monday

Items being planned/considered by the club that the CTSA could help with:

Ball boys – we have suggested that older children should be used, possibly from the Academy?

Junior Reds to be relaunched for next Season?

A discussion was held around how CTSA membership would work next year – to be continued...

A fans Football tournament will be held on 4th May at the stadium – Carol Bates has offered to help out with this. A raffle will be held for which we will need donations from local businesses

Date, time and format for the End of Season dinner and awards still to be decided by the club. There will be a CTSA award for best young player