

'No' vote is an opportunity

I HAVE read with some interest your newspaper's report on Friday, July 24 on the aftermath of the vote of the members of Wycombe Wanderers FC and have also noted the constructive and perceptive observations given 'From the Stand' by your columnist Ron Barnett.

It is easy after a vote like this to focus on thoughts of recrimination, when in actual fact the current situation offers a golden opportunity for those who care about the

constitution of the football club all to pool their thoughts and talents with an eye to producing a revised and enhanced set of proposals for consideration at the next AGM in October.

The fact that on this occasion the baby has had to be thrown out with the bathwater does not mean that another bath cannot and should not be run, as soon as possible.

The directors have genuinely worked hard on their proposals and should now be encouraged to take up the challenge of taking full soundings among their members with a view to the speedy

submission of the revised proposals.

Over to you, Mr Beeks.
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Listen to the real fans

I HAVE been a loyal follower of Wycombe Wanderers over many years, despite the long distance to Wycombe from Somerset, but what I have observed over the last few weeks has saddened me indeed.

Thankfully, enough people

turned down the recent proposals (on changing the Articles), and so now the directors have their chance.

They should start listening and talking to the people who care as much about this club as anyone – The Independent Supporters Club and Official Supporters Club.

Whilst it has remained in contact, the board seem to think that these organisations will either meddle or just scupper anything proposed. Think again.

Some honest talking and listening can go a long way. It also saves on legal bills.

I hope I shall hear and read of some positive meetings

taking place over the next few weeks.

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BFP team's great day out

Re: Harleyford Redgrave and Pinsent Golf Classic

Thank you very much for the most enjoyable day last Thursday.

I am writing on behalf of Jim Morris, Peter Brockfield and myself (Basil Davis) to inform you of our day at Harleyford.

Twenty-seven teams entered with three amateurs and a celebrity. We came in fifth. International hockey player Sean Kerly made up our four – and when you're travelling from Canterbury – you must be keen.

Organisation at the club was excellent as was the food.

£19,500 was the sum raised for the SPARKS charity. This charity is formed to enable to find cures for disabling diseases for very young children and babies.

Thank you once again.

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