



# *Notes from Southern District Society AGM*

## *10 May 2022*

### **Introduction**

Ash welcomed everyone to the meeting. All those in attendance happy with the minutes from the last meeting. Noted that several members of the committee were unable to attend.

Apologies – Martin Cavey, Emily Burnett, Amy Davidson and Alan Kirkpatrick.

### **President's update**

Ash gave an overview of the successes we have achieved during 2021/2022. MP Surgeries have continued with 2 additional MPs hosting surgeries within our region. We have launched FCA events to recognise achieving 10 years in membership, these events have been popular and have engaged local members to get involved with the committee. The virtual CFO Group has been very popular along with our Small practitioners' discussion groups which has enabled our members to build valuable connections and networks. The Joint Professions Group is still in its early stages, but our next meeting in June has some great uptake from key stakeholders.

Our offering of virtual events is still giving us the opportunity to continue increased engagement with our members. In the coming year the plan is to keep up our online events but to also offer key networking face to face events.

### **Approve the 2020 Southern accounts**

The 2021 Southern accounts are currently being finalised by the auditors, however, the removal of the Dorchester Town Group was noted from January 2021. The accounts were approved by the committee

### **Election of Office Holders**

Louise Hallsworth is standing as president for the next year Office holders are as below:

- **President** – Louise Hallsworth
- **Deputy** – Ashley Milne
- **Vice** – James Wallis

### **Any Other Business**

SESCA Update – 2021 was held all online, 2022 offering has been 80% virtual 20% face to face which will continue to 2023.

**Next committee meeting:** 20 September 2022

**Venue:** Balmer Lawn Hotel, Lyndhurst Rd, Brockenhurst SO42 7ZB