

NEWPORT COUNTY AFC SUPPORTERS TRUST
ELECTION OF MEMBERS TO THE TRUST BOARD 2024



PERSONAL STATEMENT FORM FOR CANDIDATES

Please answer the following prompt questions to present yourself to the voting members of the Trust. Each answer should not exceed 100 words. Please remember to provide a portrait photograph of yourself. The photo should be recent, of you alone and not a group photograph, and one in which you are easily recognisable.

Describe your personal history with, and passion for Newport County AFC.

I am a 100Club and Trust member. I have been supporting the club since the Somerton Park days, and even though I am very passionate about our club - I am also a realist. Most of the things I own are Black & Amber: my car(s); my attire; my home. I buy every bit of merchandise every season, and if the club shop(s) doesn't sell what I need I either buy them from elsewhere or make them myself.

Why do you believe that the Trust is important to Newport County AFC under the new club ownership model?

*Huw's quote: "if I do not get us into a better position than where we are now, in 5 years...
... I am not the right man for you" !!!
The Trust is important to ensure that we have something to back to, IF there is ever a need to take back the reins.

Also, a lot of members have given their hard-earned money and their time to the Trust, in order to keep the Club alive. We owe it to them to keep their voices heard for as long as it takes, or as long as we can!
We are a community! Let's communicate!*

What skills and experience would you bring to the Trust if elected?

*My extensive skills in IT, leadership and business acumen.
The Trust will always come first.
The first target of mine will be the ncafctrust.org website!*

How would you stay in touch with Trust members to be able to represent their views and voice their issues?

I am always at the Club during home games and many away matches.

I will endeavour to make everyone aware of who I am, and the role that I play within the Trust as a director, whether they are a Trust member or not. Everyone at the club needs to be heard – good or bad! By doing this I can show that the Trust is not out-of-reach and has its' benefits to potential new members.

What roles might you play in the Trust and what difference do you believe you could make?

Director of IT. Plus, I will offer my time and other skills when and where needed.

The current website is out of date, un-attractive, lacks passion, and is not updated enough! It is very basic! It needs a complete overhaul (re-write). It could also generate revenue.

Signed and dated:

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a stylized initial 'D' followed by a long, wavy horizontal line.

30th May 2024

