EAST FIFE SUPPORTERS' SOCIETY NEWSLETTER JULY 2024



Dear Supporters' Society member

Firstly, we thank you for your continued support and patience.

Whilst many of you may have heard or suspected reasons for delay in obtaining funds from the Scottish Government through the Fans Bank, it is not the board's policy to comment or act on unconfirmed reports.

We do not hide our disappointment as this situation has certainly taken much longer than anyone expected However, we can update you on actions that the Board has taken.

The continued support for EFTV was considered and with a unanimous decision, continued for the following season. Many of you will have enjoyed match highlights and interviews through the media and work behind the cameras deserves to be praised. Should you, your company or indeed any group you are aware of wish to support this aspect of the club in future seasons, please do not hesitate to contact the Board or indeed EFTV directly.

The main discussion point for all of us remains the purchase of the majority shares to bring the club into fan ownership. This process has taken far longer than anyone could reasonably anticipate. The Board has worked tirelessly over the months with various meetings, telephone calls and Zoom meetings in attempts to cross the line. The Scottish Government, through its support for such fan-based football, has not yet taken its final decision. We understand that a meeting will be held during the forthcoming month, we will provide an update to you all as soon as we are able to do so. It is certainly not an ideal scenario, now after months of optimism and work producing business plans and business cases, the board feels that alternative approaches now may need to be considered.

As we venture into another season with our hopes high for prospects on the park, we will continue to hold the best interests of our club and you the supporters at the heart of the boards work and invite you to contact us through the channels available if you require clarity on any matter.

In your support for East Fife

The EFSS Board

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You will continue to receive any updates, member surveys or notifications of any upcoming meetings from the usual email address.

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