



**IOSH East Midlands Branch meeting
Nottingham Forest Football Club Executive Suite
Thursday 20th September 2018**

Chair's Welcome:

Clive Bolland welcomed Members and guests to the September Branch meeting.

Apologies:

Martin Goodman, Lee Murphy, Gordon Stokes.

New Members

Clive welcomed two new Members and visitors to the meeting.

Minutes of Previous Branch meeting

The meeting was informed that the Committee had been unable to upload minutes or presentations from recent meetings. IOSH were actively trying to address the issue.

Chairs Report

Clive welcomed members and guests to the new season of events. The Committee was also having difficulties in keeping members up to date with the programme. A new programme would be issue on the Branch web site and by printed programme shortly. The delay was outside of the control of the Committee.

Secretary's report:

There were no new items to report.

Treasurer's Report:

Bill Gabriel advised that following the IOSH budget reviews and strong representations made by the Branch Executive Committee, the East Midlands Branch budget was to be reviewed, the Committee was hopeful that some of the local events would be re-introduced.

Communications Report:

Andrew Needham reported that the Committee Mailer was not working at all! The Committee was trying to keep Members informed of events using Connect, LinkedIn and Twitter.

Upcoming Regional meetings;

New events to be advised.

Talk:

The talk on How to make a Bow Tie – an introduction to Process Safety was given by one of our members – Shailesh Purohit. This was well received and the vote of thanks given by David Spilsbury.

Close

Clive wished everyone a safe return home.

The next Branch meeting will be the October meeting

Date: Thursday 18th October 2018 at 19.30.

Our normal venue: The Robin Hood Suite, Nottingham Forest Football Club.

The talk is entitled Fire Risk Assessments will be given by Alan Shaw.