

## **SOUTHOVER BONFIRE SOCIETY 100 CLUB RULES**

## **PURPOSE**

The purpose of the 100 Club is to raise funds for Southover Bonfire Society that will be used to contribute to the Society running costs. The 100 Club fees will be paid into a separate Southover Bonfire Society bank account from which the prize money will be paid out on a monthly basis with the remainder of the payments for that month transferred to SBS funds. The money available each month will depend on the number of people who have purchased tickets for that month. This may vary as new people join or others drop out, and will be calculated according to the formula described below.

## **RULES**

- 1. The 100 Club is a private small society lottery registered with the local licensing authority and is open to all members of Southover Bonfire Society aged 16 or over.
- 2. For a fee of £2 per month (i.e. per draw) participants will be allocated one number, between 1 and the total numbers purchased. Members may purchase more than one number if they wish.
- 3. Payments must be made by standing order/bank transfer (preferably annually) or by an annual cheque. One month's notice is required for cancellation.
- 4. Payments must be received no later than the end of the month before the draw is to be made. If no payment is received, the associated number(s) will be removed from that month's draw and may be allocated to other participants in the future.
- 5. If a 100 Club member leaves Southover Bonfire Society (resigns or fails to pay their subscription renewal), their membership of the 100 Club will be deemed to have ceased also. Any unused advance payments for numbers will be returned by cheque to the most recent address provided to the society.
- 6. A draw will be made every month with a 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize.
- 7. The prizes will total 44% of the annual income of the lottery.
- 8. This will be apportioned as: 1st prize of 20%, 2nd prize of 10% and 3rd prize of 5% for 10 out of 12 months. The prizes for June and December will be higher with a 1st prize of 50%, 2nd prize of 25% and 3rd prize of 15% of the monthly income.
- 9. The draw will take place on the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month using a random number generator with at least two committee members present either in person or via online video conference.
- 10. Winning cheques will be posted to the address given on your application form within one week of the draw.
- 11. The name and numbers for each month's winners will be posted in the Society newsletter Advance and on Facebook.
- 12. The 100 Club will be run by the Southover Bonfire Society Committee. In case of any dispute the decision of the Committee is final. Any enquiries should be

- directed to: Nicola Singleton, Southover Bonfire Society, 71 Southover High St, Lewes BN7 1JB or by email to 100club@southoverbs.com
- 13. If a winner does not cash their cheque within six months and cannot be contacted, the winnings will be placed into Southover Bonfire Society funds.