Relocation Update to AGM 2009

Attempts to move to a new site have continued during the year, once again this has been very much a team effort - with an AD Hoc Relocation Committee, of Don Cain, Andy Cathcart, Alan Elbourn, Lin Ross & myself. We have had valuable help from other club members on specific questions and also from our professional advisors.

We have an offer for the Southampton Street site at a figure that would probably be enough to purchase land at Steeds Farm and develop the new club.

The difficulty since this offer was received has been coming to an agreement to buy land at Steeds Farm, it is possible that we are now close to agreement, but nothing is definite yet. It is likely that if an agreement is signed there it will be for enough land for 4 courts, clubhouse & car park.

It is possible that we are close to achieving a move, but much work remains to be done.

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