

HITCHAM & TAPLOW SOCIETY

Executive Committee Meeting Upper Bumbles Monday 16th May 2022 8.00pm

MINUTES

Present:

Eva Lipman (chair)
Robert Hanbury
Charlie Greeves
Rupert Sellers

Roger Worthington
Andrew Findlay

Apologies:

Jonathan Specktor
Fred Russell
Jacqueline Turner

1) ATTENDANCE

As above

2) MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

The minutes of the April 2022 minutes were agreed and signed

3) MATTERS ARISING

Nothing not covered in the agenda.

4) TREASURER'S REPORT

Robert Hanbury confirmed bank balances as: £9100.87 and £484.17.

The problem of adding Eva's name to the bank account rumbles on. The application has been resubmitted but no response as of now. Roger will write again.

Robert said that he had been acting as treasurer for 7 years and intended to step down at the end of the year.

5) NEWSLETTER

The NL was successfully produced and distributed. Roger and Andrew were thanked for their excellent work in creating it. Roger confirmed that he was not committed to the next issue but would continue to collect possible content on the Googledrive.

6) PLANNING

Updates

PL/22/1605/PNE An application for an extension at Hunters Moon has been withdrawn and resubmitted.

PL/22?0923/FA A proposal on the Berkeley Homes site for temporary shelters to protect cars from falling conkers!

New

Alterations to the M4 have been put forward as non-material changes. One of them is to remove the additional side lane at Junction 8/9 junction. This is hardly non-material to the Maidenhead / High Wycombe communities.

7) VGP

As the event has not taken place for the last two years and it is Rupert's first year as full event captain, a detailed review of actions was held. This looked satisfactory, following a check on equipment in the barn by Rupert and Roger. Andrew took away action relating to the meat order. Subsequent to the meeting Roger and Robert supplied data on previous years attendance.

8) CELTIC CROSS DAMAGE

Cliveden Conservation have quoted £2755 for restoration. Roger is chasing English Heritage and Historic England for any involvement by them and any funding availability.

9) JUBILEE UPDATE

The closure of the High Street has been confirmed so this will be run as an all-comers party supported by the Parish Council.

10) AOB

Jonathan had suggested that it might be attractive to a journalism college student to work as the editor. After discussion it was thought that they would not be well enough plugged into local news gathering and would probably only cover one issue before moving on.

Meeting closed at 9pm. Next committee meeting: September 19th 8pm. Upper Bumbles

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