

FRIENDS OF LANGLEY MOOR
MINUTES OF GENERAL MEETING

NO. 25

THURSDAY 9th Oct 2014

1900 PARISH COUNCIL OFFICES LANGLEY MOOR

ITEM 1.

Apologies: P. Sinclair, S Carmedy, S Akins, A & J Van Hunen

Present: Danny Bone, (DB) Chair, Mark Richardson (MR), Treasurer, Janet Pickett (JP), Secretary, Cllr T Akins (TA), Cllr P Taylor (PT), Cllr J Turnbull (JT), D Watson (DW), C Wilson (CW), D Rogers (DR), B G Turnbull (BT), Lt. L White (LW), Lt. D White (DWh), J Bell (JB)

ITEM 2.

Minutes of previous meeting: accepted

Matters Arising

PT reported that following several visits to back of high street all OK regards bins. DW & DR claim still an issue. JT suggested members attend local PACT meeting and complain to police. PT agreed to visit again and photograph and if any resident has concerns to contact him directly or via council offices.

Lord Boyne Hotel: DB will call informally and thank for decoration as since painted, although not complete, looks much better. Also positive comments to be added to Parish and FOLM newsletters.

Holliday Park: now cleaned up. JT reported shortly to be a police presence around the area has been reported to planning.

PT reported signage around discount store

ITEM 3. Financial update

Current balance = £395.80

ITEM 4. Action Plan

1. Still working on website.
Newsletter, first draft done by Abir, DB & JP to comment then out for school bags. DB volunteered to deliver copy to new housing estate.
2. Bulk of 106 money for play area in park. Planning meeting Wed 22nd at 1000 to firm up plans, seating at front of park. FOLM logo should appear on park sign. Draft design plan submitted to group re play design. JP requested information on what the £5000 awarded from AAP had been spent on. PT to enquire.
3. Bins have now been removed from Tesco car park, thanks to DWh & LH. Work continues towards a formal footpath.

Redevelopment of site between fish shop and podiatrist – Email submitted to group via JT as concerns raised over failure of 106 money to be released from Dunelm Homes as trigger point reached.

Community projects. Plans for redevelopment of grasses area opposite Lloyds could be considered if any money left for 106.

4. DB will approach local businesses re donations.
5. Christmas tree switch on. Plans discussed. Grant application to be completed ASAP. PS informed group ,via email, that another application has been made via MR for a planter on grassland just below railway bridge.
Checklist of requirements – tree to order and install,
SC will request J Dent to put lights on tree.
Cable and lighting to be arranged.
Generator has been organised.
DB is meeting with North Rd band re PA system & power supply.
Risk assessment to be completed by DB & PT
DWh & LW promised to supply hot/cold drinks on the night & DWh agreed to Compare.

ITEM 5. Any other Business

JB asked re feasibility of seating on opposite gap site to be done at the same time as other site. PT stated that plans already drawn up re fish shop site and Could not be changed but saw no problem with obtaining seating in the future. JT pointed out that seating was there in the past but local businesses had asked for it to be removed due to local youths congregating there. DHw & LH informed that they would be applying for Salvation Army to run a youth club.

- ITEM 6.** The next meeting would be held on Thursday 6th November, 2014 at 7 pm, Council Offices.

