

MINUTES OF THE VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 12TH NOVEMBER 2018

PRESENT

Chris Thompson (Chair) Sheila Charlton (Secretary) Jo Angear Joyce Burt Bryan Naish Rhys Clatworthy

APOLOGIES Ian Stewart Karena Mayhew

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 8TH OCTOBER 2018

The Minutes having been circulated were signed as a true record of that meeting.

MATTERS ARISING

Nick and Ruth have returned their Data Protection forms.

TREASURER'S REPORT

October	Income	£3575.78	Expenditure	£3125.92
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The Treasurer in his report to the meeting stated that we had won the battle with SE Water over their dodgy advert and they have agreed to give us the discount of £50 they advertised. The Treasurer has also claimed the discount from the new water suppliers Castle Water - so we have doubled our money!

The electricity company are now claiming the increased DD of £770.85 as are Colvin for their increased DD of £680.40. Their bill is slightly higher this month as the DD had not caught up with the increase (My fault I forgot to tell the bank to alter) The Treasurer will be monitoring the electricity bill over the next few months.

CARETAKER'S REPORT

Bookings

2018 October has shown an increase in bookings by £585 giving us a total for 2018 of £41415 (£40830) This is an increase of £2513 at the same time last year

2019 Value of bookings at the end of October is £36028. This is an increase of £699 on the month, an increase of £3077 over the same time last year

Electricity Usage over the last 4 -week period was £558

Acton:

- The fence around patio has been erected and the gate will be installed as soon as the poppies are down
- Drains have been jetted
- Notice board has been installed just outside the kitchen door for "public notices"
- Lighting will be back to normal once the poppies have been removed.

CIO

This to be put on the December agenda.

FUTURE HALL FEES

All hall users have been notified.

UPDATE ON HALL FRONT AREAS

Hall front area by the french windows has been completed and the grass is growing well.

FUND RAISING QUIZ FRIDAY 12TH OCTOBER 2018

Another enjoyable evening had by all. Tickets & raffle £606: Food £66: wine for prizes: £26.04. Profit £513.78. Thanks go to Jo and Joyce and team.

COOKER - REPORT

Having read Ian's report on the cooker it was decided that Jo goes back to Indigo and try and obtain better prices and report back at the December meeting. The cooker situation would be discussed then and a decision would be made at that time.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Sunday 11th November 2018 at the village hall.

Some 250 attended the service and enjoyed the food and singing entertainment afterwards.

Scouts event 29th December 2018 - scooter competition.

Investigation into whether the Scouts have their own public liability insurances.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Monday 10th December 2018 starting at 6.00 pm