

Hastings Old Town Residents Association

Minutes of the Management Committee held 11th May 2010

ATTENDANCE Bruce Nicol Eliazabeth Stevens Nikki Port Kim Stallwood Phil White Dick Edwards Apologies received from A Novotny S Bower J Prior
In Attendance Cllr Richard Stevens Cllr John Hodges – welcomed to his 1st meeting following the elections.

MINUTES of 13/4/10 were agreed. No Matters Arising not listed below.

TREASURERS REPORT NP reported balances of £5,538.92 in the Reserve account and £714.84 in the Current account.

MEMBERSHIP PW reported that by 10/5 121 had paid of which 39 are new.

WEBSITE KS reported that we have a new service provider and the appearance and usability of the website should improve.

CHAIRMANS REPORT DE reported on :

- Deed of Delegation for Pelham Beach MUGA was formally adopted.
- AGM –review of meeting. Members were asked to consider our Year Plan which would be discussed in June
- Parking – letter from ESCC Leader Peter Jones was considered.HBC to undertake further review of extra provision.
- Isabel Blackman Centre – included in above letter. Scheduled to open July
- Public footpath Inquiry – Crown Court to Tamarisk Steps - Inspector agreed to being listed as Public and returned to free access.
- Jack in the Green – problems at Butlers Gap
- Pelham MUGA and Chess sculpture projects progressing well.
- Tackleway wall – rpointed /repaired to a good standard. Letter to HBC.
- Hastings Seniors Forum 25/5 – agreed NP and PW to join DE as reps.
- Cinque Ports licensing hearing – ES to represent HOTRA
- Courthouse Street – further action needed

PLANNING MATTERS BN application for Hog Roast in Trade Paints garden approved.St Mary in the Castle youth hub scheme – no answer yet.

MEMBERS CONCERNS Railings in High St All Saints St and by Bourne car park all need painting – is Community Payback possible ? Letter to HBC. Sign needed by 100 steps to show possible route to the Castle Also poor record of cleanliness on this busy footpath.

FUTURE PROGRAMME Management Committee 13/6 at Phils10/8 at Nikkis.

Allotment party 18/7 – details to be finalised at June committee