

## GREAT KINGSHILL RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

### Minutes of meeting held on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2019 Cherry Tree Farm, Great Kingshill

**Present:** John Golledge (Chair), Anna Young (Hon Secretary), Trevor Bateman

**In attendance:** David Davies, Andy Chapman (BCC), Jaqueline Austin-Lavery (BCC)

**Apologies:** David Jarman, Shirley Challis (Treasurer), Andrew Hodge, Brian Naylor, Paul Nicholls, Lynn Martin

**Minutes of 4<sup>th</sup> February 2019 meeting** The Minutes were approved and signed by the Chair.

#### **Officers' Reports**

##### **Chairman**

- JG, TB and PN met with Steve Binder. He may be able to provide help with generators & lighting for the bonfire and may also be a potential source of sponsorship for Cockpit Hole. The parking situation at Binders/Cryers Hill was also discussed.
- HPC 125 years meeting. The GKRA May walk is being included on their schedule of events.
- JG attended Uplands open day. They plan to start work but the footpath issue is not yet resolved. Preferred approach is for a footpath across the fields.

##### **Treasurer (via email)**

Cash at bank £7,000. AY to follow up bank signatories transfer [ACTION: AY]. Quiz night made profit of around £550.

##### **Secretary**

Lynn Martin has agreed to join the Committee. Problems with the contact us section on the website. [ACTION: AY to follow up].

##### **Planning - John Golledge**

- House next to GK School has been refused.
- Perks Lane Farm have applied to convert agricultural building to farmworker's dwelling (with an agricultural use restriction)
- Heath End Cottage got permission for 2 houses.

#### **Events and Activities**

##### **Quiz**

- Thanks were passed to AH for organising a very enjoyable evening which was a big success. Items to consider for next year: possibility of electronic scoring, scores updated more frequently, using VH sound system, music round, salt & vinegar.

##### **May Walk**

- Red Lion on board. 10.30 for 10.45 start. Plan to go towards Little Kingshill.

##### **Village clean**

- Need to let police at Princes Risborough know [ACTION: AH/Stan Jarman]

##### **Cheese and wine evening**

- Still need theme - possibly British wine, cider, beer & cheese

##### **Carols**

- Date either 8<sup>th</sup> or 15<sup>th</sup> December TBC [ACTION: JG]

**Community Connections Event**

- Andy Chapman and Jacqueline Austin-Lavery provided feedback on the community connections events held at GKVH.
- Various things suggested such as community cinema & adding games to Friday coffee mornings.
- Bucks online directory which is a searchable database to promote events & groups.
- Meeting of heads of various GK groups suggested.
- Provide feedback to BCC about any further involvement.

**Village Maintenance and Improvements**

- Planters to be replanted once weather warms up [ACTION: TB]
- TB has quote for painting Cockpit Hole (£3,800 plus materials over two man weeks).

**Road safety**

- 3 recent incidents along main road.
- Speedwatch scheduled.

**Newsletter**

- Check with PN whether article was submitted to Rose on road safety [ACTION: JG].

**Village Hall - David Davies**

- New trustee John Holwill. DD to write history of building of the village hall for newsletter & for archives. [ACTION:DD]

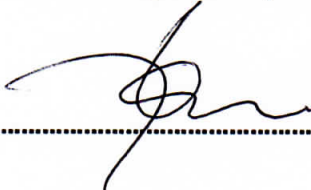
**HPC Update - Paul Nicholls (via email)**

- Thanks to AH and JG for helping to distribute old allotment site surveys. Good response received. PN to update once responses reviewed.
- Noticeboard installation to be put to Full Council meeting in March
- Speed monitoring has indicated speeds on Copes Rd and Cockpit Rd not significantly higher than in the rest of the Parish. Thanks to Mr & Miss Nash for reducing hedge height along Copes Rd. Other measures being considered by TfB.
- Vandalism at Red Lion allotments reported.

**Any Other Business**

- None

**Date of Next Meeting: Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2019 at 7.30pm HPC Offices**

Signed.......... Date.....1/4/19.....

**Outstanding Action**

- Need to produce manual for the fireworks event [ACTION: BN, AH, AY]