

**Minutes of the Meeting of Great Coates in Bloom Committee held at 4.00 pm  
at the 47 Woad Lane, Great Coates on 15 October 2020**

Present: Cllr M. Stewart (Chair), Dawn Stewart, Tom Wimsey, Karl Green,

Members of public present: 0

**1 To receive apologies and reasons for absence - Ref: 758**

Michael Hunt, Marilyn Wimsey, Chris Dunn, Dave Grantham, Carl Thomas

**2 To receive declarations of interest under the Localism Act 2011 – being any pecuniary or non-pecuniary interest in agenda items not previously recorded on Members' Register of Interests. - Ref: 759**

None

**3 To approve minutes from last meeting. - Ref: 760**

None

**4 Finance Report - Ref: 761**

Not available

**5 Village Planting - Ref: 763**

Summer plants have now all been removed.

Autumn plants are due to be delivered on 16 October

**6 Children In Need Walk / Mcmillan Coffee Morning - Ref: 765**

A walk to raise money for Children in Need will be held Mon 17th October meeting at the Crafty 1,

A Poppy Cloth made by Pat Cassidy and sold during the Children in Need Walk will be donated to St Nicholas Church on 25/10 during the service which commences at 10.30 am.

The McMillan Coffee Morning raised £334 and Lloyds Bank have agreed to match whatever was raised so the grand total will be £668.

**7 Remembrance Weekend - Ref: 762**

Poppies will once again be arranged through the village. An additional 15 lamppost poppies have been obtained and Chris Dunn will fit to lampposts on 24/10.

A Wreath has been obtained and will be laid by the In Bloom Group.

**8 Halloween Garden Competition - Ref: 764**

Councillor Karl Green asked the group if they would be interested in donating prize money for an Halloween Event similar to the successful Scarecrow Weekend.

Just something to engage the villagers in these difficult times. Suggested £100 prize money.

Proposed: Dawn Stewart Seconder: Tom Wimsey All in favour

**9 Date of next meeting - To be confirmed - Ref: 766**

Meeting closed at 5.15 pm

Signature: .....