

## **Minutes of the Great Coates Village Hall Committee Meeting of Great Coates Village Council held at 4.00 pm in the Village Hall, Cooks Lane, Great Coates on 15<sup>th</sup> March 2019**

Present: Cllr Cutting, Cllr Lawrance, Cllr Stewart, Julie Connell, Marge Huntley, Ann Lawrance

### **1 To Receive apologies and reasons for absence - Ref 19/048**

None

### **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 19/049**

None

### **3 Public Session – 15 minutes**

None

### **4 To Co-Opt New Members to the Committee, 2 places available**

Cllr Mike Huntley

### **5 2019 Events**

**Litter Pick - Saturday 30th March 10am to 12noon**, Clerk to organise printing of flyers, to be distributed Wednesday or when available. Cllr. Mill to organise bags and pickers and collection of waste bags. Lisa to liaise with the collection driver.

**A Grand Evening of Dance - Saturday 4th May evening**, book hall from 5pm (to public from 7pm) 100 tickets available, aim to sell min 80. Al Brown & Vintage Cool confirmed.

Agreed to add Paypal details to the website and Facebook advert for immediate payment option, Paypal transaction surname to be reference. Push social media advertising. Julie to email WI members offering tickets for sale. If less than 40 ticket sales event may not go ahead. Lisa to approach Healing Manor for meal voucher for a prize draw.

**Easter Eggstravaganza - Monday 22nd April, book hall 12noon to 5pm (to public 1pm-4pm)** Easter Bonnet competition, childrens Easter Themed fancy dress competition, Egg Hunt, old school games, look into Donkey rides tbc.

Marge and Ann to organise egg hunt. Prizes for adult and childrens categories. Easter Bonnet competition prizes for adult and childrens categories. One adult prize and three childrens prizes for egg hunt and Easter Bonnet.

Egg painting competition - Lisa to create event poster / flyer.

Craft stalls - approx 6 stalls, Lisa to contact traders from Christmas event.

Pop-Up Vintage Tea Room - serving cream teas.

**Summer Fair - Sunday 30th June afternoon, time tbc.** Old school games i.e. egg & spoon race, sack race, wet sponge, ice-cream van, prosecco van, Pop-up vintage tea room. Inflatable obstacle course, Morris dancers, Hog Roast (Turners).

**Evening of Motown and Soul - Saturday 27th July evening book hall from 5pm (to public from 7pm).** DJ's / acts to be confirmed.

Lisa to contact Sax Mad for costs and availability. Ray to contact Dave Lee Andrews for availability (cost Fri £300, Sat £400).

**Heritage / Village History Day - Saturday 14th September afternoon book hall from 12noon (to public 1pm to 5pm).** To display photos, history extracts, guided tour. Need Photos, \*Karl to put request in magazine for olds photos and history / memorabilia of Great Coates.

Advertise in the June magazine a call for old village photos or relevant memorabilia. Lisa to contact Mr Graves and Jerry.

**40's Night / Battle of Britain - Saturday 28th September evening, book hall from 5pm - (to public from 7pm)**  
Fish & chip super tbc. Entrance cost tbc depending on cost of acts.

Mike to contact singer.

**Scarecrow Competition Presentation - Sunday 30th June**

Cancel use of the hall

**Macmillan Coffee Morning - Friday 27th September book hall 9.30am (to public 10am-12noon).**

**Halloween Pumpkin Carving dmonstration / competition - Saturday 26th October afternoon book hall from 1pm (to public 2pm to 4pm).**

Need to find someone to do pumpkin carving workshop / demonstration.

**Christmas Event - Saturday 7th December daytime/evening**

Agreed to keep the tree in the current location on Greenbelt land. More lights to be purchased.  
Clerk to ask Greenbelt if acceptable to omit the barriers.

Other event ideas under consideration -  
Harvest Festival  
Night of Folk Music  
Casino Night  
Hog Roast  
Summer bbq with mobile bar.

## **6. A Grand Evening of Dance**

Budget confirmed by full council £200.  
No expenditure to date.

## **7 Photos for the Hall**

Cllr. Lawrance to discuss the possibility and costs for framing some photos of the village to be hung inside the hall, costs pending.

## **8 Gentlemans Group**

The formation of a new social group, Mike Stewart is the lead.  
Advertise on Facebook, website and notice boards.

## **9 Any other business**

Ray to purchase 4 glitter balls for events.  
Ray to investigate the purchase of an A-frame.  
Request to borrow the boiler, agreed yes.

## **10 Date for next meeting**

Friday 29th March 4pm.