

Minutes for the meeting of the Friends of St Britius "Stop the drips at St Brits" Church Roof appeal

Meeting held on Tuesday Jan 12th 2010

PRESENT

Tammy, Ruth, Pat, Jackie, James, Phil Abrahams, Nicola and Lucy

APOLOGIES

Phil and Mary Gilham, Rosemary and Mike Day, Joy Douglas and Bob Watts

WELCOME

Everyone was introduced to new faces and welcomed to the meeting

PANCAKE SUPPER

Phil Holmes has designed some posters and tickets. An adult ticket is £5, child £2.50. The ticket will get you 3 items ie 2 pancakes and a drink. It was decided to ask for 40 adult and 40 child tickets and 10 posters. Jackie will inform Phil H of poster details We will sell extra pancakes for £1

Lucy will get the event in a school news letter

Fillings will include- sugar and lemon, nutella, banana, golden syrup, grated cheese, baked beans, chilli, squirty cream, jam.

Pat will make a chilli. Tammy will get spinach and ricotta cheese. Phil A will get disposable plates and cutlery.

Ruth, Pat, Jackie, Nicola and Tammy have volunteered to make pancakes. They will be pre-cooked at home then kept warm wrapped in foil in the hostess trolley. Volunteers will also take pans etc to the hall to cook more when needed.

Drinks available will be wine, tea, coffee, squash

If you would like to donate one of these fillings, ingredients or drinks then please contact James or Jackie. Whatever is not donated will be purchased from takings. We are also looking for donations of raffle prizes.

James will organise the wine glasses from the church. Phil A will ask shops in Carterton for raffle prizes. Jackie will get raffle tickets.

Tickets available from Joy, James, Jackie and Tammy

Meet at the hall 5.30pm

NEWSLETTER No1

Phil H has produced a very good draft for the first friends newsletter. Jackie will contact him with a couple of alterations. Is the newsletter going out to the whole of the village? It was suggested a joining form was attached to the newsletter

CAR BOOT SALE

Rosemary has confirmed with Carterton Lions that we want to run the car boot sale on March 27th. Volunteers will be needed to run a couple of "boots", set up etc on the day but we can sort this out at the next meeting when Rosemary will hopefully be present to go over details

CAKE STALL

The Sunday club are holding a cake stall in church on Easter Sunday after the family service

CAR TREASURE HUNT

A date was provisionally booked for Sunday April 25th starting at Elderbank Hall carpark from 2pm

The finish venue was discussed but cannot be minuted as it will give away the last clue! We are still trying to trace an old set of clues, if not a new one will be written (James!)

BLUEBELL WALK

Jackie has asked a member of the Windrush Valley Rotary Club to keep her informed regarding this event. It will probably be May 9th.

FOLK NIGHT

Joy, with the help of Evelyn and Ken Gillans, would like to organise a folk night in September. More details next time.

NEOLITHIC MARATHON

Phil A and James will be taking part in this marathon run from Avebury stone circle to Stonehenge on May 2nd. Sponsor forms will be circulating as soon as they are available

3 PEAK CHALLENGE

James is keen to do the 3 peaks challenge (climb Ben Nevis, Snowdon and Scafell Pike in 24 hours) Phil A is willing to join him and advertise it to his squadron for more climbers. We could set a requirement such as you must raise £200 to join our team. They would like a group of about 10 plus a minibus driver. Phil A will also look at getting a cheap minibus. Phil A and James to discuss the finer details and report back at next meeting. James is concerned he won't get much sponsorship if he does the marathon and the challenge.

CAR WASH

Possibly in Elderbank Hall car park with water from the sports pavilion – would need to check with parish council

Another idea was to ask the Chequers if we could wash cars in their car park sometime over the Easter weekend. Tammy will ask Keith the landlord. James and Phil A to speak to Steve Wilkins about equipment and help

DOG SHOW

Lucy suggested holding a dog show on the recreation ground/pavilion near Shilton Park. This would hopefully attract people from Shilton Park. Lucy will find out details of how we go about booking that venue

99 SQUADRON

Rosemary has reported that 99 Squadron are happy to help with manpower at any of our events

OUTDOOR BAR

Phil A has a contact for an outdoor bar, we just need to organise an event where we need one!

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Monday February 15th 2010, 7.30pm at the Vicarage, Trefoil Way