

Stop the Drips at St Brits Fund raising group  
Minutes of the meeting held on Monday August 9<sup>th</sup> 2010

**PRESENT**

James, Nancy, Nicola, Pat, Anne, Tammy, Ruth and Jackie

**APOLOGIES**

Joy, Dawn, Eveline, Rosemary and Lucy

**UPDATE**

The final total for the Neolithic Marathon was £471.40

The 3 Peaks Challenge sponsor money currently stands at £1349.39 with more still to come

The RAF gave £1000

The grand total now stands at a fantastic £19,362.53

**WHIST NIGHT**

This has not yet been booked up as Joy thinks we will be better off holding a beetle drive

**ONLINE DONATIONS**

The 3 Peaks team raised over £1,000 by using the new paypal system online. We will keep the site running although it costs us a monthly subscription to have it, it is a good way of collecting money from a wider audience. Pat will look into if we can use it for sponsors for the ride'n'stride. We can email the details to all our contacts. The details of the account are on the website

[www.brizenorton.org.uk/stbritusroof](http://www.brizenorton.org.uk/stbritusroof)

**Team St Brits**

The team set up for the 3 peaks this year are looking for their 2011 challenge. It might be the Exmoor 100 which is a one hundred mile hike. They will be looking for more team members if you or a friend are interested!

**Harvest Supper**

The ticket price will remain at £10 each. The group – Saxophony will play for two half hour slots. We need help to make up the salads in the afternoon. Set up the tables, crockery and cutlery. Serve the wine and soft drinks. Wash up and clear away at the end. We also need donations of raffle prizes. We believe Rosemary said she would draw up a list for volunteers and take it into church. So far we have ;-

Set up in the afternoon –	Pat Nicola Anne
Serve	Pat Dawn
Wash up and Clear away	Pat Jackie
Make an appearance	James!

Collect ticket/sell raffle tickets Joy

Buy and serve drinks Jackie

Tammy is not sure at the moment if she is around that day but will supply a raffle prize. Ruth has to wait for her work rota.

### **Bank Holiday Monday**

Nothing further to add from last time, sell the Harvest Supper tickets and usually stalls

### **Ride'n'stride**

As mentioned above we will try and use the paypal online system for sponsors. We are worried we keep asking the same family and friends to sponsor us all the time

### **Opera**

Dawn was not at the meeting so we did not discuss this any further

### **Accessories swap Party**

Lucy will hold this in October

### **Garage Sales and Race Night**

These will be carried forward to next year

### **Chocoholics**

Jackie keeps forgetting to sort this out, Nancy will contact the sales person

### **Christmas Card**

Tammy and Ruth are meeting with Tim and hope to be able to bring a couple of samples to the next meeting.

### **Calendar 2011**

We need to ask Phil H if the friends of St Brits will be given a calendar or if its something we should be considering

### **Christmas Bazaar**

Date set for December 2<sup>nd</sup> in church, need to discuss more in September/October meetings

### **Ball**

Tammy is going to ask Witney Lakes for their expert advice

### **NEW IDEAS**

An activities day for teenagers with archery, climbing etc.

Carolyn Peach is looking into how you can get peoples reward shopping point donated to us.

It has been suggested that we open up our homes for bed and breakfast during the Blenheim Horse Trials. Each host can keep the cost of the breakfast and donate the rest to our funds. Further details are needed regarding the rules and regulations of opening up a "B & B"

Another idea was to ask a local artist to design a huge picture over many canvas about one foot square. We would then sell the canvas squares for people to paint, collect them back in again and form a huge mosaic type picture. We would need an artist, cheap canvas squares and somewhere big enough to hang them all.

Competition? – an idea to carry forward is to hold some kind of village competition. People would be asked to make something such as a scarecrow/pig/horse etc and display them in their front gardens. We would then sell maps for other villagers to walk around and see the entries. They would be judged and a prize given to the winner.

#### **NEXT MEETING**

Monday September 13<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm in the Chequers

Apologies from Nancy in advance

Since the meeting on Monday-

**Chocoholics** party will be on October 6<sup>th</sup> with catalogues to hand out well in advance

**Acc. Swap party** pencilled in for October 21<sup>st</sup>

**Ball** at Witney Lakes on June 17<sup>th</sup> 2011