

## Stop the Drips at St Brits

Minutes of the meeting held on June 11<sup>th</sup> 2012

### PRESENT

Ann, Tammy, Lucy, Ruth, Dawn, Pat, Jackie and James

### APOLOGIES

Bob, Nancy, Nicola and Rosemary

### UPDATE

James thinks we have had correspondence regarding reclaiming back VAT, he is not sure of the content

### BEER FESTIVAL

We had a fantastic day with lovely weather and lots of people. The cider ran out, the beer almost sold out and the Pimms tent had to be restocked with a supermarket run. Thank yous are on the way to all the helpers, bands and sponsors . We raised a brilliant £3240.47

### OPERA IN THE GARDEN June 23rd

Lucy has so far sold 60 tickets with another 20 possibilities

The port-a-loo has been confirmed and paid for

Lucy has a really good list of raffle prizes that have been donated

Raffle tickets will be sold for £1 each

Pat will lend trestle tables and cloths

Jackie will lend extension leads and gazebos if she can

Ann will lend 2 small tables and cloths

Dawn will lend her marquee

Lucy needs some desserts such as pavlova, cheesecake, trifle etc

Anyone with gazebos is also asked to contact Lucy as she needs 2 for the singers

Items can either be dropped off at Lucys on the Friday evening or on Saturday morning

### CREAM TEA July 1<sup>st</sup>

We originally had this down for July 8<sup>th</sup> but the garden is not available that day so we have had to change it to July 1<sup>st</sup>. Unfortunately we have already put it in the parish newsletter as July 1<sup>st</sup>. To overcome this we will do a door to door leaflet drop so the village knows of the date change.

It will be afternoon tea in the garden of Painswick House from 2.30 til 5pm. £3 for a cup of tea and a scones or strawberries and cream plus slice of cake. Childrens garden games will be available.

James to check with Phil and Mary as to how many cups and saucers we have in church. Pat has 20 we can borrow. Tammy will ask in school if we can borrow theirs.

Pat will check details with Judy and ask if we can borrow the garden trading tables and chairs from the pavilion. Need to check that games are ok, that its ok to put Dawns marquee up, and when we can start to set up.

James has a jenga game. Dawn will make a hoopla type game. Boules was another idea

Jackie to ask Phil if he can design and print some posters then email a smaller version for Jackie to print out as fliers

We did not discuss plates, bowls and spoons/knives for eating/stirring. Jackie can get all of these from the cash and carry if no one minds paper and plastic?

BALL Sept 21<sup>st</sup>

Tammy will contact Phil to design some posters and 120 tickets

Tammy will organise a meeting with Sean at Witney Lakes to discuss the food, Ruth and Jackie will go with her

AUGUST BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY

Jackie has spoken with the cricket club and they are happy for us to do filled rolls or ploughmans lunches or something.

If they find another organisation that want to do the bbq then that is fine as long as they give us at least 3 weeks notice of not being required

BINGO October 23<sup>rd</sup>

The hall is booked

BARN DANCE

Foxbury Farm and Barley Park Farm were suggested as alternative venue

LEW VIEW WALK

To be carried forward for Bob to re arrange

WELSH 3000ers

James now has a team of 7 people all getting sponsorship

ACCESSORIES SWAP

Lucy would like to organise another accessories swap party as her friend has another pile of goodies to give her. We will contact the Chequers to see if we can use their front room. If we hold it on November 13<sup>th</sup> that will be a WI night and hopefully the WI ladies would pop over on their way home

START DATE September 10<sup>th</sup>

Work is due to start on September 10<sup>th</sup>. On Friday 14<sup>th</sup> we will plan to have a "Hard Hat and Champagne Party". If you haven't got a hard hat, any hat will do! This will be a celebration of our success and not a fund raiser although we will not stop anyone making a donation on the night! Ruth will ask Waitrose and Sainsburys if they do sale or return on champagne and hire out glasses. We will advertise it saying that anyone who has supported us in any of our events is welcome to come along and celebrate with us

DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING

Monday July 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7.30pm in The Chequers