

**Minutes of the Sutton Poyntz Society Committee Meeting held on May 8th 2024 at MH**

**Present:** Shirley Davies; Sue Smith; Linda Kirkpatrick; Kirsty Malone; Jon waterman; Jackie Greet; Charles Collins; Hilary Davidson; Jackie Raw

	Minutes/Actions	Who
1	<b>Apologies:</b> Maureen Cribb; Andy Hone, Jez Cunningham	
2	<b>Minutes of previous meeting :</b> March 13th Accepted	
3	<b>Matters Arising: Minutes of AGM agreed</b>	
4	<b>Lessons from previous events: lessons from AGM- nothing to be actioned</b>	
5	<p><b>Forthcoming events:</b></p> <p>- Barn Dance 18th May- so far approximately 34 tickets sold with a further 8 reserved. Concern was raised re low numbers so far but as the musicians had to be paid it was agreed to go ahead and people try and encourage people to attend, Hilary will promote event at forthcoming WI meeting.</p> <p>- Beacon Lighting - 6th June- to avoid confusion it was agreed that a further newsbite would be released to clarify the fish and chips would be delivered to Mission Hall for 1930 hours, people to bring own drink to MH. Strips of update to be put across the current posters around the village.- JC</p> <p>Stacey's require confirmed numbers so Hilary will contact Glenn for cut off date.</p> <p>Andy to get Prosecco for consumption at beacon which will be lit at 2145 by JW</p> <p>Plastic cups obtained by Shirley</p> <p>Shirley to email Bill re newsbite update for Barn Dance followed by Beacon lighting</p> <p>Scarecrow competition will be organised by Liz/Chris Balfe. Theme will be sport and will be judged at August coffee morning</p> <p>June 30th Summer Picnic organised by Mission Hall - Maureen Cribb contacted directly by volunteers to put up gazebo's etc the day before. People expected to bring own meat and bbq it with salad and deserts provided by Mission Hall</p> <p>Cream Tea August 10th to be discussed another time</p> <p>Murder Mystery booked for 28th September and again to be discussed at next meeting. Linds to investigate pie theme. Shirley to investigate other options. Charity will be Air Ambulance and to support raising funds</p>	<p>HD</p> <p>HD</p>

	<p>the Air Ambulance will be asked if they can attend October 4th coffee morning.</p> <p>June coffee morning 7th.</p> <p>Quiz 16th Nov to be discussed</p>	JW
	<p><b>Treasurer : Andy gave update on previous email</b></p>	
7	<p><b>Subs:</b> There was some discussion on subs. A newsbite will be sent encouraging people to pay subs and further discussion to be had about whether we door knock again and who would be willing to undertake this task.</p>	
8	<p><b>Working with the Mission Hall committee:</b> Shirley gave update about work ongoing ref refurb.</p>	
9	<p><b>AOB: Hilary spoke about the idea of naming fields and a suggestion was a map on a board similar to the one adjacent to veterans wood - it's was agreed further discussion was needed.</b></p> <p><b>The planning proposal by pub was not something the SPS would be involved in.</b></p> <p><b>Charles updated committee on Speedwatch- approx 25 cars had been checked and average speed was 22mph</b></p> <p><b>Jon stated that the replacement bench for the pond area had been ordered and pub asked to contribute 50%.</b></p> <p><b>Linda proposed discussion ref a village recipe book and to be discussed at future meeting</b></p>	
10	<p><b>Next meeting: 12th June 1900 hrs Mission Hall Sue Smith to Chair.</b></p>	