Draft Minutes of the Sutton Poyntz Committee Meeting held on August 14th 2024 at MH

Present: Hilary Davidson, Jez Cunningham, Sue Smith, Charles Collins, Maureen Cribb, Jon Waterman and Linda Kirkpatrick.

	MinutesActions	Who
1	Apologies: Jackie Raw, Jackie Greet, Shirley Davies, Kirsty Malone, Andy Holme	
2	Minutes of previous meeting July 10th Accepted. No matters arising	
3	Lessons Learnt. Scarecrows. Due to lack of participation by villagers it was decided not to make it an annual event, maybe run again when the village hosts an Open Garden weekend- further discussion to take place as to when this is likely to be. Cream Teas. Review how we do this in the future following feedback. Not to be an annual event.	

4	Air Ambulance Coffee morning 4th October. Chris Hubbard has been in touch with Air Ambulance as has Jon. Rather than duplicate work it was agreed that Jon would pass his contact details and information over to Chris who would liaise with the Air Ambulance charity about how they support the event. A newsbite would be sent out to ask for raffle prizes and Hilary would contact the Springhead, Linda would contact the Springhead, Linda would contact the Spice Ship and garden centres, Jackie Raw would be asked to contact the Bridge Inn. Murder Mystery 28th September.we will provide 2 courses consisting of lasagne(vegetarian option available) crusty bread and salad with desert. People bring own drink. Prize will be a bottle of Prosecco with certificate (Jez). Tickets (£15.00)will be available from Sue and Jackie Raw. Volunteers required for kitchen duties and also setting up. Cut off date for tickets will be 23rd September. Quiz Night 16th November. Shirley and Hilary to organise with a 70's/80's theme.	
5	Treasurer's Report cash in bank £6,850. - Monies out this month included £100 to Bill E for the website hosting annual fees and £17 to Jackie for stuff for the cream teas. - Monies in included bank interest of £21 and a very small number of subs.	
6	Renovated bench. Hilary will via What's App group ask for peoples favoured location - either by the stones in Millennium Walk or the entrance to the woodland maintained by the Biodiversity group. The option of the lower bowl area was discounted due to possible damage the cattle could cause.	

Pond Clearance. Jon has asked Jo at the Springhead if in the Autumn we can use the field adjacent to the pub to put the pond clearance waste in until we can either put it in a skip or have collected by a grab lorry. A date to be decided in October/
November Mission Hall update.
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AOB

Jez is looking at the costs and work required to have a village map fixed to the outside metal face of the phone box. He will ask Mike Haines for any contacts

Hilary asked Rita about knitting a feature for the top of the phone box

Date of next meeting <u>11th</u> <u>September</u>

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