

**Draft Minutes of the Sutton Povntz Committee Meeting held on January 8<sup>th</sup> 2025**

**Present:** Hilary Davidson; Jez Cunningham; Shirley Davies; Charles Collins; Jon Waterman; Andy Hohne; Sue Smith; Maureen Cribb; Kirsty Malone.

	<b>Minutes/Actions</b>	<b>Who</b>
1	<b>Apologies:</b> Jackie Greet; Jackie Raw; Linda Kirkpatrick.	
2	<b>Minutes of previous meeting , November 13<sup>th</sup>:</b> Accepted . No matters arising.	
3	<b>Lessons from previous events:</b> Quiz - was successful. Christmas coffee morning - well attended. Many attendees wanted to donate so next year we will have a voluntary collecting pot for a local charity. We will have festive background music playing this Christmas. Tree lighting- in spite of inclement weather, went well. Thanks to JW for his work and hospitality. Phone box – looked good.	
4	<b>Forthcoming events:</b> 'Night at the Opera' – Grace Lovelace has agreed to perform, Saturday April 5 <sup>th</sup> . She will do 3 sessions: 20 mins, 30 mins, 20 mins. Food will be served between these sessions. She will bring her own sound system. Her fee is £250. We aim to make it a really enjoyable evening as our first event in the refurbished hall. People might wish to wear evening dress. Tickets £20? HD SD to contact caterer about a main course.	HD SD
5	<b>Treasurer's Report:</b> In: Subs received £67. Interest £37. Quiz night £173 profit. Out: Dec coffee morning, Christmas tree lighting £106. Medlar tree sign £40. Insurances also have to be paid, public liability and car park. Cash in bank £6,500. (See later note on donation to MH)	
6	<b>Subs:</b> £740 collected so far. CC remarked that collecting subs was also important to keep our membership up. We will advertise that subs can be paid at the AGM or the April coffee morning. - March newsbite.	JC
7	<b>Donation to additional work on Mission Hall:</b> It was agreed after some discussion that we would donate £1500 towards the lighting in the hall including dimmer switches. We would also offer to get new tablecloths for the new and existing tables. HD to inform Bill Egerton. The question of the Street Fayre money was also raised. AH to ask for clarification.	HD AH
8	<b>Mission Hall Update:</b> The work has started. Several members helped with the clear out of the hall. The question of speakers and mikes was raised. SD /MC to ask at next meeting.	SD MC
9	<b>AOB:</b> Remembrance silhouettes – JW to investigate in the Spring. The area around the pond needs attention, cleaning of the stones etc. JW offered to deal with this. There will be some expenditure in cleaning and paint etc. Puddledock Lane - concern over the treacherous nature of the footpath. Louie O'Leary to be contacted. Our next coffee morning will be in the Springhead. Thanks to them for hosting the monthly session whilst the MH is out of action. <b>Thanks to Hilary and Bill for their hospitality.</b>	JW SS

**NEXT MEETING: February 12<sup>th</sup> at Hilary's**