

MINUTES OF COMMITTEE MEETING on Monday 22 April 1991
at 7.30pm at The Nest, Silver Street. Mrs Kitchin, in the chair.
All present except apologies from Mrs Wilkinson.

1. Election of Officers The following were elected, each having
been proposed and seconded:

Chairman Mrs J Kitchin

Vice-Chairman Mr. S. Eubler

(Mr Boyle had been proposed and seconded, but said pressure
of other work and health difficulties caused him to decline)

Secretary Mr. G. Wright

Treasurer Mrs E. Hodder-Wilkinson

Social Secretary Mr. R. Birch

2. Minutes of meeting on 25.2.91 were read, confirmed and agreed.

3. Matters arising. - Membership cards. Mr Rawlings said that these were in course of production.

4. Chairman's report. Mrs Litschi, who had just returned from two months in Australia and elsewhere, raised a planning matter. As regards the Carshed, there had been an objection to one of the activities carried on by Mr Eves and he had applied for dispensation by the Council from the relevant condition, in order to make his business viable. She would be discussing this with the Planning Department.

5. Planning matter. Mr Bayle referred to correspondence and discussion he had had with the Planning Department about the extension of use of land East of Clunch Road, Pudding, by caravans. It had been suggested some time ago that caravans were there on a temporary basis only while those on another part of the camp were renovated, but now one had later replaced those, while the land to the East is still occupied by caravans. It was decided that representation against this use and extension of caravanning be made to the W.P.D.C., with a copy to the Dorset County Council for support, following their "Baring for Dorset" scheme, and copies to local councillors.

6. Secretary's report.

(a) Sutton Clunch, Bedfordshire. Repair costing £35,000 were required in this village of under 400 people; the Appeals Committee wrote to all "Suttons" in the country for assistance. On the motion of Mr Coulson it was agreed to send £10. (Voting 5-5; Chairman's casting vote).

(b) Dorset Museum. Reference was made to Mr Roger Peer's intention of money being raised especially to cover the cost (£950) of the Museum acquiring a special exhibit of the Heads of Two Apertures by J. Thornhill. On the motion of Mr Birch it was agreed to send £20 towards this cost.

7. Social Secretary's report. Mr Birch said that, so far, 24 people

had booked for the Sebary trip and he urged members to encourage more to attend. 46 were needed to "break even".
He referred to detailed proposals for the Barn Dance on 22 June - it would be "Cocklebur" in theme and he would be collecting good prizes for the raffle. His ideas were accepted with gratitude.

8. Division of the Village. The following arrangements were agreed:-

1	Plaisters Lane, N. - from Wyndings and Purbeck Lodge inclusive, up the hill	Liz Rowbotham
2	Plaisters Lane, central - between Longmead and Springside, inc.	Richard Backwell
3	Sutton Court Lawns, Sutton Close, remainder of Plaisters Lane (Clyffe - Dolphins, Fellside - Pentreath), Inmosthay (M.H.Lane))	David Rawlings Eve Wilkinson
4	Old Bincombe Lane and Brookside	Eve Wilkinson
5	Puddledock and Sunnyfields and neighbouring dwellings	Ron Birch / Tony Bugler
6	Sutton Road, South from the Cartshed to approx. boundary sign	Joyce Litschi
7	Silver Street; Sutton Rd from fork junction to no 111 and Springhead (inc.)	Cathy Pressly
8	Mission Hall Lane (not Inmosthay) and 113 Sutton Rd; Old Coachhouse and all area North of pond	Clive Brown
9	All members outside village	Ken Knight

9. Other Business

(a) The Mill House. The Secretary referred to the fact that two ^{Society} members, including Mrs Joy Shires, had called attention to the growing dilapidated condition of this "listed" building. The Chairman said she would discuss this with the Planning Office.

(b) Seat by Road. The Parks Officer of W.P.B.C. will be asked to have this seat repaired, or give authority for the Society to do the work.

(c) Donet Water Works in Plaisters Lane. Several members referred to the damage caused to verges by the work carried out recently. The Highways Dept. of Donet CC. will be asked for an assurance that the verges will be restored to their previous condition.

(a) Stiles. Reference was made to broken stiles ^(a) behind the Stobbs and (b) at the rear of Longdings. The Chairman will refer (a) to the Planning Office, and the Embler said he would deal with (b).

(c) Donet Trust for Nature Conservation. The Secretary was asked to

argue about the society joining this body

10. Thanks to Mrs. Presley for hospitality

11. Next meeting - 29 May 1991 at Tom Birch's house
The meeting ended at 9.40 pm

Joyce Litschi
Chairman