

Minutes of the meeting of the SPS Committee – Monday 30th April 2008
at The Mission Hall – John Crisp in the Chair

1. Present – John Crisp, John Sutherland, Joyce Litschi, Peter Riley , John Bellis, G Embley, T Bugler.
 Apologies - Mike Haine, Karen Phillips.
2. The minutes of the meeting of 7th April were approved and signed.
3. Matters arising: -
 - Continuing: - TB having problems with contacting the new owners re. plaque that had fallen from the Old Court House. It was suggested that this be placed lower than before with the lettering painted in to make it easier to read. TB to pursue.
 - Continuing: - Noted dead trees at Sutton Knapp – who owns? Suggested a letter to W&PBC to notify them of the potential danger! Outstanding.
 - JL had complained on the state of the footpath at the end of White Horse Lane. Letter suggested at the last meeting to the “Rights of Way” responsibility outstanding. It was queried whether the path was a footpath or bridle way.
4. Committee responsibilities.
 The following specific responsibilities agreed for the new committee.
 - Collection areas. John Crisp to take P Jones area – Plaisters Lane centre between Longmead and Spinney to Springbank and Mission Hall Lane.
 Peter Riley to include the area previously covered by Karen Phillips – Sunnyfield and Upper Puddledock.
 Karen Phillips to take the ex Simon Emblen area –Plaisters Lane north – from Purbeck Lodge and Wyndings up the hill.
 - Planning sub committee to consist of J Crisp, P Riley, T Bugler, J Litschi and J Sutherland.
 - The Mission Hall trust – Society to be represented by G Embley.
 - CPRE – Peter Jones to be asked if he would like to continue to represent the Society – ex committee.
 - Civic Society – T Bugler to continue
 - The Environmental Partnership – No representation proposed.
 - Cream Teas – J Crisp to co-ordinate. Date is planned for Saturday 26th July.
 - Tombola for the Victorian Fayre – J Crisp to co-ordinate.
 - Village plan implementation – J Crisp to co-ordinate
5. Planning Matters
 No new plans published. Post meeting note – new application published for a 3 b/r house in White Horse Lane 08/00274
6. Treasurer’s Report
 JB reported income of £52 (subs) and expenses of £7.62 (AGM printing). Current balance is £3335.43.
7. Correspondence

17/04/2008	DWT	Voice etc	Passed to JL / PR
14/03/2008	PoP	Pride of Place submission from T Heathershaw.- focussed on an illustrated map of the local area.	Part of VP action list

8. AOB
 - a. JL commented on a notice in White Horse Lane for a new house in the area.
 - b. TB commented that a new garage had been built in WHL – Post mtg note – it was an existing garage newly painted.
 - c. PR noted that the lean to shed in the green wedge (adjacent to the stable) had been completed – letter outstanding to enquire if planning permission is required.
 - d. The old dog bin by the pond has been replaced by Ray Aggett. He has made a second bin – it was suggested he should be asked to put it in the pathway alongside “Ken Knights”. Maureen Morris to be requested to asked the bin men to ensure that it is emptied.
 - e. PR noted that Mr Shires most likely had numerous old papers relevant to the village history. JC advised that he would raise it if he saw Mr Shires son – but thought he had returned home.

- f. PR commented that he though the drainage work in Sutton Road looked very thorough – but was concerned that it had still not gone far enough up the road. GE noted that there was sign of leakage today!!
- g. It was noted that Goadsby are touting for development land in the village.
- h. GE suggested that we develop a database of e-mail addresses. Proposed that committee members attempt to collect same with subs and Fayre donations.
- i. JS noted that the VP is now available on the Weymouth partnership site – details will be in Newsletter.
- j. JS noted that Susie Wynne Williams had suggested that we approach the WDDC to review the provision of some passing areas at the top end of Plaisters Lane. Proposed to leave as is.
- k. JS requested names of anyone suitable for helping at the Fayre – including children who could run the children's stalls.
- l. JC noted that buses had stopped running into the village due (according to rep of First Bus) to problems negotiating safely past Jolliffes building site in Sutton Road and problems turning where the Water Works have the road up. Letter to councillors required complaining of withdrawal of the bus.
- m. JC noted that he thought we could consider a regular coffee morning later in the year.
- n. JC suggested that the minutes of SPSC be posted on the Notice board – majority agreed.
- o. JC noted that he thought the new committee should introduce themselves to the W&PBC planning. He will arrange meeting.

9. Date of next meeting – 3 Jun at Sutton House (J Bellis).

Meeting ended at 10.10 p.m.

Minutes agreed and approved

 Date 3/6/08.