

Minutes of a meeting of the Friends of St. Margaret's

Monday, March 7, 2016

The meeting was held at 10, Rectory Close, starting at 7.45 pm.

Present: Jean Garner, Ann Ward, Loraine Winn, Vicki Mynott, Cameron Sinclair, Ros and Arthur Yardy, Dave Milne (Chairman) and Sue Milne.

Apologies: Jane Dunkley, Ali Reid and Chris Turner.

Minutes of last meeting: The minutes of the meeting of February 8 were agreed, subject to the addition of 'Jean Garner would be available to replace Loraine on teas over the Scarecrow Weekend, with assistance from Sue Mulcahy', and signed as a true record.

Matters arising: As regards the proposed security system, Dave had now spoken to a representative of the second company recommended to us, and was awaiting a quote.

Treasurer's Report: Ann reported that the cash in hand was £226.20, the current account stood at £15,762.00 and the deposit at £11,511.21.

Church kitchen: Dave said that he, Jean and Patrick Mulcahy had now met the Secretary of the Diocesan Advisory Committee at the church to discuss the project, and found her very helpful. 2 statements had to be completed and this would be done as soon as possible. It would then be a question of liaising with the architect and obtaining a faculty.

Curry Night, March 18: As usual, arrangements were agreed, with setting-up at 5pm.

Bilton Silver Band: We agreed to hold another draw and discussed possible sources of prizes.

Flower Festival, June 11/12: This was being organised by the church flower ladies but it was agreed that the profits from the refreshments should go to FOSM.

Date of AGM: This was confirmed as Monday June 6, at 8pm in the church.

Date of next meeting: Monday, May 9 at 10, Rectory Close, starting at 7.45 pm.

Any Other Business: Arthur said that he was collecting pallets to make signs which could be used to advertise various church and FOSM events.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 8.33pm.