

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

Monday, June 10, 2019

The meeting was held at St. Margaret's Church, starting at 7.30 pm.

Present: Andy and Karen Hopkins, Loraine Winn, Ann Ward, Irene Hopper, Dave Milne (Chairman) and Sue Milne.

Apologies: Vicki Mynott

Minutes of last meeting: The minutes of the meeting of March 25 were agreed and signed as a true record.

Matters arising: The proposal to convert the clock-winding mechanism had been approved by the Diocesan Advisory Committee and forms asking for any objections had been posted. If there were no objections within 28 days, a decision would then be made by the Consistory Court.

The DAC had also finally approved the servery proposals and the notification forms would be posted within the next few days. The architect, John Barker, had asked 3 contractors to quote for the work.

The Bilton Silver Band concert had been very successful and had raised £670. Thanks were once again due to Margaret Dorman-Frost for her generosity in sponsoring the event.

Treasurer's Report: Ann reported that she was holding £300.37 in petty cash, the deposit account held £11,676.98 and the current account, £40,831.85.

Scarecrow Weekend July 13/14: The BBQ and gazebo would be brought to church on the Friday evening to facilitate setting up the following morning. Catering arrangements were agreed and the cooks would be Andy and Karen on Saturday, and Dave and Sue on Sunday. Help would be needed to take money and also to sell raffle tickets and programmes on behalf of the Scarecrow Committee.

Loraine had started asking for cakes for the tea room and would be liaising with Vicki.

Any Other Business: None

Date of next meeting: Monday July 22 at 10, Rectory Close, starting at 7.30 pm.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 8.00pm and was followed by the Annual General Meeting,