BARNBY IN THE WILLOWS VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 28 NOVEMBER 2016

Present: Vicky, Lynn, Margaret, Derick, Gill, Yvette, Barbara, Jane

Apologies: Sylvia, Graham

WELCOME to Jane Lewin who has joined the Village Hall Committee

Matters Arising from meeting held Monday, 17 October 2016

<u>Village Recipe Book</u> ~ a big thank you to Derick, Margaret and Janine for all their hard work in the collation, preparation, printing and bindingresulting in a lovely community recipe book. Derrick purchased the binder and will be reimbursed. Rough estimate of production costs...£50.74 for 50 copies. Selling at £5 each...into profit already from sales before and during the Xmas Fair. <u>Barnby Calendar</u> ~ the next version to include local walks on reverse of each month? <u>Christmas cards</u> ~ for next year – in aid of Church fund. Photos to be taken from now for possible inclusion.

<u>Xmas Fair</u> ~ held on 26 November, 2016 - £187 profit for Village Hall, £157 for Church funds. Bran tub suggested for next year to cater for children. Colouring table with Xmas pictures and crayons? Santa? General consensus that it could be more Christmassy....

1. Christmas Wreath Workshop - Saturday, 3 December 2016

13 booked in so far at £8 a head to include drink and mince pie, soup and roll. Thank you to the Committee members providing these. Delegates will need to bring secateurs and own decorations, etc to personalise their wreath. Committee members providing lots of greenery, etc

2. Village Carol Singing - Monday 19 December, 6pm meet, Cross Land End

To be included in the next Newsletter. 'Santa' aka Derrick will be on a 'sleigh' (trailer), 'Elf' aka Les as driver. Vicky will produce flyers. All proceeds to Defib fund. Competitions for the best dressed window and the best dressed house – prizes donated by Vicky and Derrick (red and white wine). Flyers to be posted at various locations

3. Defibrillator Fund

£2,200 in total achieved to date. Yvette in talks with BT regarding installation of defib in the 'phone box on the village green. Future servicing costs to be taken into account

4. Whist Drive - 21 January, 2017?

Event to be included in the next village newsletter. Event times, numbers and catering provision discussed. A simple buffet to be provided rather than ready plated. Admission charges, prizes and timings to be agreed - Barbara and Gill researching.

5. Future Events

Committee members were invited to produce ideas for future events...various ideas forwarded...Plant sales, auctions, quiz, easter egg hunt...in conjunction with usual events such as Spring Fair, Harvest Supper, Summer Lunch, etc.

Purchase of a marquee for village events and possible rental income?

NEXT MEETING MONDAY, 16 JANUARY 2017 at 2.00pm