



BVRA
Committee Meeting on Wednesday 7th May 2014
Minutes of Meeting

Present:

Steve Cox, Jon Booth, John Graham, Tony Boulton, Mike Gates, Marlene Gallop, Christopher Gallop, sue Nethercote, Barry Smale, Erica Williams, Becky Feather, Nicola Bebb, Bridget Hetzel, Andrew Ward, John Dugay

Apologies:

Mike Ashbee, Stephanie Bailey, Paul Cooney, Tom Murphy

Minutes:

1. Minutes approved
2. Aubrey Meads play area progressing well. Installation planned for July
3. Owl party big success. Raised net £720 for the Bitton Owl.
4. Evening fun run 1 km and 5 km planned for 29th August. Volunteer organisers required. SC will check support and decide go/no go. Profit will go towards the Bitton Owl.
5. Flower tubs remain open issue. May have funding from PCC.
6. Bitton Open Gardens June 29th
7. Golden Valley proposals discussed. Considered much better than previous proposal.
8. Bitton Sports and Social will hold a ceilidh in Sept/October
9. Traffic - Redfield Hill width restriction, Marshfield Lane resurface will be delayed until Summer
10. No update on Kelston Road slippage
11. Social media progressing well. Facebook and Twitter developing all. SC demonstrated the services.
12. Mike Gates discussed progress with the history group. The group will become part of BVRA
 1. Has created a catalogue of material will be done by Rob Grady with link from BVRA site
 2. 28th May - show and tell on Bitton
13. AOB
 - Bitton PC will replace damaged bench.. Ideally on the other side of the A431 facing the road, The Boyd or both?
14. Congratulations to Tom and Kiera Murhpy on the birth of their second son 'Wolfie' (working title!)

Actions:

2. BF and NB to organise breaking the ground for Aubrey Meads play area
3. SC will plan Fun Run and decide whether or not we go ahead
4. EW will try to secure funding for flower tubs
5. BH, JG, JD will meet to decide how to use hanging baskets
6. AW set up meeting to prepare response to proposed development and to discuss with St Congar.
7. ALL: have a go at Facebook and Twitter!
8. Meetings: 15th May church car park meeting, 17th May traffic meeting in Upton, 20th May Parish Plan meeting
9. Pound Ground - general discussion about better use
10. All: bring something along to the history show and tell
11. SC will discuss new bench with Sharon Robbins

Next Meetings:

Further meetings Wed 10th Sept, Wed 8th October (AGM) and Wed 13th Nov .. all in the Church Hall