

**WYSALL AND THORPE VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE  
MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 2 MARCH 2011**

PRESENT: - MARY ELSTON (CHAIR)-ME  
GILL BERRIDGE-GB JACKIE CAMERON-JC CHRIS FRENCH-CF  
JAMES LOGAN-JL ANNE STEPHENS-AS

**1 APOLOGIES:** CAROLINE HARTLEY-CH DAVID ROBERTS-DR SAM STEPHENS -SS

**2 MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING** – Approved.

**3 MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES**

**a COOKERY DEMO 16 March 2011.**

A minimum of 30 tickets need to be sold for the event to break even, this appears to be achievable as 22 sold already. Preparation of tables at 4pm on the day by **ME/GB/DR**

**b VILLAGE VENTURES 15 April 2011**

**DR** has agreed to distribute leaflets and set up but will require help-2ba

**4 FINANCE** £2,300.00. £2,000.00 handed to Parish Council in February.

**5 FUTURE EVENTS**

**a SALSA EVENING**

CF explained that the Salsa dance teacher would be able to provide instruction and supervise the dance evening but only on a Friday or a Saturday. It was agreed that the 6/13/20 May or a weekend date in September would be suitable. 2 instructors for 3 hours costs £150.00 and it was agreed that this was a reasonable charge for the evening. A bar would also be provided and the event would be open to all ages.

**CF** will report to **ME** available dates in order to progress organisation if event is in May.

**B GARDENING EVENING**

It was agreed that there would not be enough support for this event at the moment but the event may be considered again in the future.

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**C VILLAGE FOOD FAIR**

It was agreed that 17 or 24 September would be a good time to have a food fair in the village after considering the village events at Hickling and Tollerton and the Farmers Market in West Bridgford. An 'Autumn' Theme was considered to be a good idea that could be developed. Parking needs to be addressed and parking at the Plough pub may be an option, other options need to be found to avoid parking near the stalls.

**CF** to contact a couple of stall holders to assess interest.

**Any Other Business**

**a SPORTS DAY**

It was agreed that this event should take place on Sunday 10 July. Participation last year was moderate and it is hoped that having the event on a Sunday will mean that villagers will be able to enjoy the whole event of sports and BBQ without having to leave due to other regular commitments on a Saturday.

**b CHRISTMAS FAIR**

26 November 2011

**d QUIZ NIGHT**

ME said that there would be a Quiz Trophy in memory of David Onions who had been a committed quiz master in the village for many years. ME to contact a couple of villagers that may be interested in continuing the quiz.

**6 DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING**

Monday 11 April 2011 8pm @ Ridgewood