



## **WYSALL AND THORPE VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE 4th November 2013 @ 8pm**

Present: Chris French, Caroline Hartley, David Grenz, David Roberts, Gill Berridge,  
Anne Stephens, James Logan

Apologies: None

1) explanation that this was an extraordinary meeting of the committee, caused by the passing of the chair Mary Elston. Meeting had been arranged by David Roberts. Although technically the vice chair was David Grenz, it was decided that David Roberts lead the meeting. DR explained he had been keeping things going since the loss of Mary, but that the committee should be reorganised.

DR had obtained all the necessary committee items such as books etc. from Chris Elston. It was explained that DR, GB, CF, AS, and DG all have keys to the hall. AS had the keys that Mary had held. Also the cleaner Olivia had a key.

2) It was unanimously decided that GB would be the committee chair, CF vice chair, and DG as secretary which would include completing the minutes.

3) It was decided that the necessary banking methods for the committee should be revamped and that GB, DR, CF, and DG should meet to sort out signatures etc

4) a general discussion took place over potential new members for the committee, various people in the village were suggested. It was thought that an expansion of the committee was a good idea and that potential new members should be contacted.

8.20pm JL left the meeting.

5) the Christmas fair was then discussed

- AS to ask Chris Elston for the hamper which is believed to still be at that address.
- request will be put out for cakes and mince pies
- arrangements were made for contributions of soup.
- AS to arrange items for children's activities.
- banner is ready and flyers will soon be ready for distribution.
- GB requested enough people to help with the various tasks
- GB requested prizes for the raffle
- it was decided that no more raffle tickets were needed

6) a general discussion took place on bookings for the hall, what parties would be booked, who was liable if there were problems. Parties for young people probably would not take place at the hall, although villagers would always be catered for if possible. It was decided that any deposit would be £50.

The next meeting of the committee is at 7pm on Thursday 21st November in the village hall.

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