

Clay Cross Town Centre Group

Minutes of the meeting held: Wednesday 24 October 2018 at the Bateman's Mill Hotel

Attendees:

Jade Hendon – Bateman's Mill Hotel (JH) Andrew King – Lilleker and King (AK), Amanda Holden – Amanda Holden Properties (AHO), Nicole Murtagh – Tesco (NM) Richard Law – St Bartholomew's Church (RL),

Apologies:

,Diana Yates – Posh Fitness and Coffee Bar (DY), Stephen Toon (ST) and Kate Toon (KT) – S Toon Hearing Centre, Neil Burke – Smart PAT Testing. Wm Armitage – NEDDC Council (Ashover Ward), Warren Makinson (WM) – Clay Cross Rotary Club. G & J Hairstylists Louise Manfredi – Smiths Creamland Ices (LM), C Berry – Clay X Rotary Club, Angela Gambetta – Poppies Café (AG)

2. Minutes of the last meeting and the AGM on 25 September 31 July 2018 had been circulated previously by email and were signed by JH this evening, as a true record.

Matters arising. There were no matters arising that were not listed on the agenda or discussed during the meeting.

3. Reports – The main focus of this meeting is to begin to organise the Clay Cross Town Centre Group Christmas celebration on Thursday 6th December 2018.

4. Current Issues and Projects. – CXTCG – 6th December 2018.

This year this event will be a Clay Cross Town Centre Group celebration. The Parish Council and Tesco are holding their own individual events this Christmas.

AK will ask NM if Tesco will promote our event at their event being held on 30th November 18 (JH said she will hand out leaflets.) The lorries will be at the Tesco event. The CXTCG Christmas celebration will include the Church Service, Market Street, Smithybrook Care Facility with Artisan Market and Santa's Grotto at Posh Coffee and Fitness Bar.

NM suggested we could get the leaflets ready in time for the Tesco event and also to distribute from the Customer Service Desk at Tesco. Events team to be set up to organise the Christmas event.

AK to liaise with Ann – Methodist Church, Sharley Park School and Ashover Band re availability and arrangements for the event.

5. New Members Joining – There have not been any new members since the last meeting. Gremlin Games at North Wingfield has closed. Samantha Wright has cancelled her membership. JH to use the facebook page to promote membership of the group.

6. Newsletter, website update and facebook – Deadline for the Wings issue is Mid November. AK to send an email for members news and updates to email AHO. The December issue will be used to promote the Christmas event. This also to be put on the facebook page.

7. Report on financial position

AK Reported that there was a credit balance at the bank of £2,465.34 on 14 October 2018 and that this was after settling the costs of £182.16 for the first aid cover at the Beach event and £300 for the independent examiner's fee. At this point in time there are no further outstanding bills awaiting payment.

8. Member information exchange – DY is asking businesses if they are able to take on Tupton Hall Students to mentor or work experience. Rev Law wished to remind us of the Remembrance and Armistice Day celebrations – both on 11th November at Clay Cross and Danesmoor - service at 10 am, with silence at 10.50 am. and if the group would like to lay a wreath. JH has offered to purchase and lay a wreath on behalf of CXTCG. There is also a poppy display in St Bartholomews Church.

9. Date and Time of next meeting – Wednesday 21st November – Bateman's Mill Hotel, Old Tupton, 6pm.