

**WARLEY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION** – Minutes of Open Committee Meeting 6 30pm on the 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2017 held at the Maypole Inn, Warley.

**In attendance:** Kathryn Gallagher, Eliana Bailey (Chair), Chris Crowther, Zeta Barron, June Illingworth, Andrew Berry, Amanda Rowe, Lara Stansfield, Tony King, B Wakjn Iker, Rev Neal Lefroy-Owen, John White (Secretary).

**Apologies:** Sylvia Ketley, Paul Czainski, Chris Czainski.

1. **Welcome** – Eliana, welcomed all in attendance at the meeting.
  2. **Minutes and matters arising from lastcommittee meeting held on the 13<sup>th</sup> February 2017** – After correction of two spelling mistakes, the minutes were approved as a correct record.
  3. **Treasurer Update** – The meeting was advised that WCA had £4,424. 48p in the bank plus an amount of petty cash.
  4. **Project Updates–**
    - a: **Telephone Box/Walk in Museum** – It was reported that there were plenty visitors and the next change of display items was likely to be in June.
    - b: **WCA events 2017** – Provisional discussion took place about a proposed Warley Town Walk and Scavenger Hunt on the 20<sup>th</sup> August, to begin at Warley St John’s church and finish at the Winterburn pub car park. Plans were outlined for a 1970’s dance and supper on the 1<sup>st</sup> July at the Vandals Club House and it was confirmed WCA were planning to have a games stall in West View park at the Family Fun Day on the 15<sup>th</sup> July.
    - c: **Warley Calendar 2018** – The theme chosen for 2018 is Warley Past and Present. The meeting were very pleased to learn that Shehryar and Sharjeel Adeem two young brothers who attend Trinity Academy had volunteered to assist and help compile the calendar as a project in connection with their completion of a Duke of Edinburgh award.
- A.O.B.** – Discussion took place concerning traffic issues particularly relating to parking at school. It was suggested the matter be put as an agenda item at the next meeting and a member of the Community Police be asked to attend.
- There was no update to report with regard to improved Internet connection in the area.

The meeting were informed a matter previously raised about new fencing around a specific property in the village and barking dogs had been addressed and going forward it was hoped from actions being taken that it would not be an issue. The village recreation ground is now attracting more adults and both younger and older children. With more ball activities taking place, it was suggested contact be made with Council's Safer Greener Officer, Mr Peter Oddy, to discuss possibilities of extending the basket ball area further up the field.

Tony King informed the meeting there was a possibility that a planning meeting was to be arranged for a local dog show next year. He agreed to keep WCA informed as further details were known.

There was no update given concerning the Local Plan and proposals for building development. All that is currently known is available to be read on the Council's website.

The meeting closed at 7 25pm.