

MINUTES OF CHESWICK GREEN RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION
MONTHLY MEETING

FRIDAY 10th NOVEMBER 2017

THOSE PRESENT:

CGRA COMMITTEE - George, Greg, Barbara, Ian, Lisa, Becky, Deb, Bob and Debbie.

AGENDA ITEMS:

WELCOME & APOLOGIES

George welcomed all present to the meeting. Apologies were received from Helen.

MINUTES FROM OCTOBER MEETING

The draft minutes were discussed and approved as written.

CONSTITUTION

George circulated a revised Constitution document. All present were asked to digest and provide any comments at the next meeting.

PEOPLE

The meeting was advised of the most tragic death of a young Cheswick Green resident. All present expressed their condolences and asked that a card and flowers should be sent to the family. George to visit; extend sympathies and offer assistance as required.

POLICE

An increased level of local vehicle theft was noted.

Two suspicious cars have been seen on the Saxon car park.

Actions to deter speeding motorists in Cheswick Green are being handled by the Neighbourhood Watch forum. Accordingly, this item will be deleted from future agendas.

Members commented on the increasing number of long traffic queues at the Creynolds Lane/Stratford Road junction. Greg to report this issue to SMBC.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

- Posters to be available in c2 weeks.
- Becky & Debbie to distribute tickets on 10th December, between 10 & 11am.
- Entertainer and music organised.
- Helen to organise nibbles.
- George to source cakes and gifts.
- Debs to organise wrapping paper.
- Bob to be Fxxxxr Cxxxxxxs.

PARTY IN THE PARK

It is hoped that Children's bumper cars will be available.

CHRISTMAS ADVENT WINDOWS

This is being handled by Vicky Atkinson - Ian to promote on the CGRA website.

RACE DAY

Due to good racing visibility, Worcester is the recommended course – Greg to establish ticket, venue and transport costs.

VILLAGE PANTOMINE

All agreed a £30 donation, providing that any profit is donated to a local charity. PUBLICATIONS Discussion took place on the receipt and content of two recent letters. All agreed that future correspondence should be acknowledged and any necessary response agreed at the next monthly meeting.

SUBSCRIPTIONS

George circulated a draft letter requesting subscriptions. All present were asked for their comments at the next meeting.

PLANNING

Nothing new to report.

PARISH COUNCIL AND VILLAGE HALL

Stephen Hall was no longer a Parish Councillor and Sam Sedgley has been appointed.

It was noted that the Parish Council's Neighbourhood Plan research results closely mirror the CGRA's own findings which date back to July 2016.

The durability of house roofs was again discussed. It was agreed that SMBC should be consulted for advice. Greg to action via Richard Holt (Ward Councillor).

Following a request from the Village Hall Management Committee, it was agreed that the CGRA Christmas tree and decorations can be used in the Village Hall.

PENNIES

Becky reported that all was in order.

PUB, SHOPS AND OPEN SPACES

The volume of litter and general untidiness in front of the shops continues to cause concern. The Managing Agent advises that the matter has been discussed with their tenants and a response will be forthcoming.

The meeting closed at 10:05pm

Next meeting to be held on 1st December 2017