

Minutes of the Friends of Priory Fields Committee meeting 11th November 21

1/ Present, Jo, Nick, Julie, Malcolm, Ian, Dave

Apologies, Linden, Den, Mary Shay

2/ Minutes, read and agreed

3/ Chairman's report, Ian brought up Den's suggestion of changing meetings to be always before work parties. He will issue a list of new dates in due course. First aid course, Bartram's not doing individual courses now. Dave to liaise with Den re. Red Cross or St. Johns course. Ian suggested PC may like to fund it?

4/ Finance, Jo gave details of our financial situation, Current Account £441-99 and Deposit Account £963-96. Dave gave Jo £435 cash for sales of raffle tickets.

5/ Work parties, the last work party mainly employed on clearing south bank of brook, the next work party will finish this and cut paths and strim for last time this year.

6/ Events, Christmas meal discussed.

7/ Fund raising, Christmas Raffle discussed, Dave asked for prizes, Jo to obtain tombola drum, Julie said she would fold counterfoils.

8/ Field Projects, Purchase of a chipper discussed. It was decided not to purchase one yet but to hope for some more free chippings. Got the go ahead for memorial trees for John and Malcolm for Dec/Jan planting. Ian to order Bluebells, Dave to contact Cubs/local people etc for planting.

9/PC Matters, none PC rep not present.

10/ Publicity/News, Articles and pictures in Last In Touch and going into the PC newsletter. May use Facebook to advertise Bluebell planting.

11/ AOB, New Green Flag and Commemorative Plaque to go up at next W/P

12/ Date of next meeting, Thurs 9th Dec