



Ashbourne Allotment Association Limited

Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: 26th JULY 2022

Location: AAA Site, Watery Lane, Ashbourne

In attendance were: Barry Morrison (BM) (Chairman), Suzanne Norton (SN) (Vice Chair), John Scott (JS) (Secretary), Nigel Coe (NC) (Membership secretary), Gill Reynolds (GR), Mick Chell (MC)

1.0 Apologies:

1.1. Max Hathaway (MH) (Treasurer), Rick Plant (RP), Harry Seed (HS), Frank Jeffery (FJ)

2.0 Financial report: (Max)

2.1. JS: Our accounts still stood as presented and distributed at the last meeting on the 21ST June 2022

3.0 Membership (Nigel)

3.1 Waiting List: As of this date awaiting a plot = 13.

4.0 Secretary (John)

4.1 Shop: From the month of July onwards the annual trend is for declining sales, on this basis from the end of July 2022 the shop will not be opened on the weekends. If a member makes a request for any product held in stock product the shop can be reopened to satisfy that demand. The shop officially reopens at the start of March 2023.

5.0 General Site Condition and Maintenance

5.1. BM: Commented on the new replacement fencing: that he wanted a meeting with the contractor to discuss the problems identified with wire netting being badly fitted.

Also, loose posts. JS to make contact with the contractor.

5.2 Main gate: to be fitted with wire cage panels to prevent walkers climbing over the gate.

5.3 BM: to bring loose stone to site, to fill in the holes in the driveway up-to the main gate and to improve the carpark area where flooding occurs.

5.4 Main gate needs a replacement lock. JS

5.5 Hedges by main gate need trimming.

5.6 Look for volunteers to paint Community Shed. JS

6.0 Plot Inspections (Harry/Frank)

6.1 General email to be sent out regarding the need to strim between plots.NC

6.2 NC: To send out an email to those plot holders who were reported with poor plots.



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7.0 Website update. (Gill)

7.1. Please forward to GR any photos or news to put on our website.

8.0 BBQ

8.2. Pre-BBQ meeting to be held Tuesday 30TH August at 7:15pm

8.2 BBQ for all plot holders to be held on September 10th 2022

8.3 Next committee meeting 23rd August – 7:15pm)

8.1 Agreed: Next AGM to be held in November 2022

John Scott
13th August 2022