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# Minutes

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Time	19:00 – 19:30
Date	11 December 2024
Location	Parc View, Llanfair Caereinion, SY21 0HR
Attendees	FoDW: Adrian Bickers, Ken Burton, Nick Burton, Becky Badger, Sonia Gibson-Harmer, Jim Inkster, Rob Still LCTC: Rob Astley, Sam Webster MWT: Alison Alexander
Documents	Minutes of June 2024 committee meeting

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## Friends of Deri Woods committee meeting

- 1 Apologies for absence received from Kelvin Laidlaw and Rebecca Still.
- 2 Nick welcomed everyone to the meeting.
- 3 The following actions from the previous meeting are still on going:  
(3/3) No further news about the car park. LCTC still intend to adopt it. Rob A requested that Nick send him a reminder to follow this up. Nick/RobA  
(3/3) It is still intended that Cllr Gareth Jones will deliver the leaf blower to DeriWoods.  
(3/5c,d) It may be possible to replace the washed out path at the same time as other path repair work is being done following the damage caused by the recent storm. Alternatively, because the washed out path is a self contained, ready made project, it would be a good candidate for any funding opportunities which might arise. Pricing this work now would enable FoDW to respond rapidly to any funding opportunity. Rob A agreed to price up the work and asked Nick to send him a reminder email. Nick/RobA
- 4 The update from the chair had formed part of the AGM.
- 5 Thanks to Rebecca the FoDW first aid equipment and supplies had been reviewed and updated. Approximately £50 of new supplies had been added and labelling improved. Rebecca will brief the volunteers on the contents of the first aid kit at the next workday. Rebecca

- 6 The proposal that the suitably chainsaw qualified volunteers can undertake limited major tree thinning work was agreed in principle by LCTC on the understanding that the work would be agreed in advance and that the effects of the storm damage would be assessed before any further thinning was carried out.
- 7 Other business
  - a LCTC extended their thanks to the volunteers for the work they did which was appreciated by the Council and by the town.
  - b Nick confirmed that the compartment markers were now ready and could be installed once the wind blown tree damage was cleared.
  - c There was some concern that the additional benches may to too big for the spaces available. Nick will confirm the space available.

Nick