Committee Meeting minutes – Tuesday 11th February 2020

Present

Diana Sawyer (Chairman), Heather Standen (Treasurer), Jules Hall (Secretary), Wendy Hogg

Apologies

Kate Harris (Forestry Commission)

Minutes - 14th October 2019

The minutes were agreed as an accurate record and signed by DS there being no matters arising.

Chairman's Report - DS

a) Walks & Events - attendances

What's below our feet and AGM - 26 attended

Winter Warmer Walks 7+6+3+5+5+12+0 = 38 attended in total

It was noted, on the last walk, that the car park was very full so car sharing to be promoted.

Treasurer's Report - HS

HS reported the bank balance to 11th February was £1800.

FC update

Kate Harris was not present but said that she would be happy to answer any queries arising.

Draft Walks and Events leaflet

DS pointed out that, on the leaflet, we ask for names and addresses as well as email addresses from new new members and wondered whether as much information was needed. After a discussion it was decided to keep the information the same for the time being.

Friends Website

DS suggested looking at cost of updating and redesigning the website. JH agreed that this would be a good idea as long as we could keep control of amending and updating the website ourselves.

Suggested projects for 2020

Dates for pond surveys were put forward - 4th March, 11th March, 1st April and 15th April. Jason Adams and Richard Griffiths and others to be contacted as they had expressed interest in attending.

Regarding the Explore and Enjoy leaflet 2nd edition, it was agreed that walk routes needed to be checked and possibly amended, but dates for this would be discussed further at the next meeting.

Kings Wood Country Quiz – Saturday 7th March 6.30pm Iron Room

Committee members to arrive at 6.30 to help set up.

Fred to do raffle and Heads and Tails.

HS, WH and JH to collect table money and memberships and sell raffle tickets.

AOB

WH suggested purchasing one or two new torches for pond surveys and JH suggested a rain cover for the clipboard.

Date of next meeting

28th April 2020