

Buxted Bonfire Society 18th March 2019 General Meeting Minutes



Date: Monday 18th March 2019

Location: The Football Club, Buxted

Attendees: Debbie Elliott (DE) (Chair), Mick Gosden (Vice Chair) (MG), Sue Ovens (SO) (Secretary), Hayley Elliott (Social Media Publicist) (HE), Monica Ross (Costume Coordinator) (MR), Alex Butcher (Health and Safety) (AB), Kevin Clarke (KC), Angela Clarke (AC), Emily Timlin (ET), Will Timlin (WT), Jimmie Blackford (JB)

No Agenda

Item Number	Description
1.	Apologies:- Sabrina and Rick Mudie, Guy Elliott, Jan Hiscock, Clive Hiscock, Thelma and Bob Stilwell, Mudie Family, Sue Parsons
2.	Renewals:- Now due, to be collected at AGM when new forms are available. MG
3.	AGM:- Date set 24/4/19 19.30 at the Football Club. Sue O would welcome the chance to stand for position of Treasurer, therefore creating a vacancy for Secretary
4.	Bonfire Dates:- all agreed bonfire dates are on facebook. A decision needs to be made to choose between Hastings or Hailsham, both on the same night. Both good for different reasons. DE will definitely be at Hastings to support Demelza. MG looking at a new lighter banner, ET suggested an aluminium pole/banner.
5.	Jumble Sale Report from HE:- The sale went well, a profit of 429 120 Adults through the door, children not counted as not charged for. Agreed only 1 jumble per year at the moment. HE was thanked for her massive amount of hard work to organise, and a big thank you to those who were able to help.
6.	Quiz Night:- The quiz night organised mostly by MG was a big success. There is a free night from parades on 11/10, it is a possible night for another quiz night. MG.
7.	Insurance:- We need to increase our insurance cover, possibly to 10m. MG/DE looking at price comparisons.
8.	Fete:- Date set 8/6/2019 Venue the Football Club and Pitch Good signage will be required, banners for the roundabout DE Southern Rail need to be approached regarding use of the station car park MG Contact Uckfield Town Clerk DE

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	<p>HE co-ordinating the list of proposed stalls and helpers SO to approach the WI to ask for assistance with the cakes for tea. ET suggested a cake competition ET and WT managing the Tombola and Raffle stalls DE looking into the Dog Show and Henley House for judging and sponsorship SO researching game for test your strength/balloon prizes</p>
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Next meeting AGM 9/4/2019

Action Points

MG Renewal Forms

MG new/lighter banner

MG Quiz night

MG/DE Insurance quotes/renewal

DE signage for roundabout etc for Fete

MG approach SR regarding car parking

DE contact Town Clerk

HE co-ordinate stalls and helpers (assistance with this would be welcome)

SO approach WI and help with cakes

ET/WT organise raffle/tombola. Organise list of prizes and ask for assistance to go around town

SO research test your strength game