



Shiplake and Dunsden
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MINUTES OF COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 30 MAY 2006 IN THE PLOWDEN
ARMS SHIPLAKE

Present:

Hilary Tucker, Gareth Jones, Angela Jones, Angela Cadman, Liz Thomas (Chair), Fred Lawson, Liz James, Chris Irons

Apologies:

Mark Manson, Steve Watkins, Neil George

1. Donation to Church Tower Fund

A successful handover has taken place and photos taken. The cheque has been banked. Publicity material has been sent to the Henley Standard.

2. Play Reading

Fred reported that Beryl is fortunately now better and he and Beryl are happy to host the evening on a re-arranged date. It was agreed that this would take place on Thursday 8 June 2006 at 7.45 for 8.00pm at Fred and Beryl's house. Hilary would e-mail details to the adult membership, ask for replies by the weekend beforehand, and give Fred and Beryl a participant's list.

Action: Hilary, Fred and Beryl

3. Pantomime Progress

Neil George has suggested 'Babes in the Wood' as his preferred choice of production. Liz James will contact Neil and liaise re arrangements for script reading and selection process.

Action: Liz James and Neil

Pam Caudle has said that she will be willing to take on wardrobe this year.

Liz James will talk to Fran Bodenham re possible involvement with the music. Everyone to think about who might be happy to take on the musical direction and contract Liz James with ideas of possible names. Gareth will put something re this into the Belfry when he sends information re the tower donation.

Action: Liz James, everyone, Gareth

4. Memorial Hall works

Steve had spoken to Brian T-C and the work will not be done until the Autumn.

We agreed that we would do a 'clear up' of SHADDO items in the tower in the meantime. Liz Thomas agreed to buy some more stacking storage boxes. We will organise the clearout on a Saturday or Sunday in July. Gareth will ask Steve to check when the MH is not being used.

Action: Gareth, Liz Thomas, Steve

5. Website Subscription

It was agreed that Gareth would renew this.

Action: Gareth

6. AOB

Fred reported that he was still looking at different plays for possible production. Gareth and Ange recommended the 'East Grimley' series of one Act plays, which they had seen performed in part at the Kenton. Angela would get some scripts for us to look at.

Action: Angela Jones

It was agreed that it was too late to organise a Safari Supper for this year but we would put this event in the diary for next year.

7. Next meeting

It was agreed that this needed to be soon after the Play Reading so we could progress any arrangements for a play production.

**Next meeting is therefore Monday 12 June 2006 in the Plowden Arms at 8.00pm
(we will also have a committee discussion at the end of the Play Reading Evening)**