MINUTES FROM EDGTON VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE MEETING 18th June 2024

PRESENT:

Chris Harris-Chair - Michelle Simpson-Secretary, Janet Cobb-Parish Clerk, Bob Lawson, Fiona Harding-Jones, Liz Begley, Gilli Coston.

APOLOGIES: Alice O'Brian, Peter Whapham

WELCOME: Chris Harris.

MATTERS ARISING:

Alan Roberts confirmed the village hall sign is not repairable. Maintenance itinerary of items now being logged. Chris to email out. Walking Group CH is in contact. No change with broadband update, CH to enquire with SWS. Post office to be informed we are not on the system, MS to look into. On hold due to possibility of a council rate increase.

Minutes from the last meeting dated 18th June agreed & signed.

TREASURERS REPORT:

Current balance: £5932.81

Expenditure: Electricity DD £49.46, Seven Trent £42.61, Sundries £42.28, SSG £3484.80 (new windows) Window Cleaner £25.00

Income: Carwash & Breakfast £272, Keep Fit £65, Jumble sale £408.71 (half profit) Walkers Teas £36.

BOOKINGS:

No New Bookings.

EVENTS:

Cake & Carpark 30th June Cake & Carpark 28th July Summer BBQ August 03rd August Cake & Carpark 25th August Car wash & Breakfast 15th September Cake & Carpark 29th September Curry Night 25th October Quiz Night 15th November Poetry & Pie night 14th December Wreath Making? Date TBC December. Alice to privately hire the hall for felt making class. Date TBC

<u>A.O.B</u>

Carpark and Cake 26th May, Thank you to Peter & Kate for hosting. Events advertising now in hand with Liz.

Email mailing list is growing.

SSG came and replaced the windows-good job was done. Meeting room window to be looked at due to it not being fitted correctly when the hall was built.

Village hall notice board-Gary Sodden will look into making a new one. Bob may have enough spare toughened glass to help out with this.

Michelle to get a spare storeroom (mens WC) key cut. Too be stored with the other storeroom key in the kitchen.

CH to organise keys for GIIIi.

Alan Roberts will be hiring the carpark from October to store his horse box at the agreed rate of £20 per month.

Screen, Projector and Speakers are now in situ, big thanks to Bob for his generosity in supplying these products.

Peter to give an update on how we are going with obtaining a licence to watch films etc. Carpet quote for the foyer-JC to arrange a quote.

A Business plan is needed for our grant application- a meeting is needed for brainstorming ideas. Small grants.are available via Shropshire Hills. Fabienne has requested to use the carpark for an upcoming party at her home, It was suggested £10 per vehicle as some vehicles are camper vans. BL to inform Fabienne of the hire charge.

Insurance needs looking at to see if we are allowed to permit overnight parking.

Duke of Edinburgh groups to be approached to see if we can be a meeting point for the walkers.

Chris and Skye (Gilli's Daughter) have designed a poster for the main gate to advertise the hall. Thank you to Skye.

First aid kit to be moved into the meeting room after being checked by Wendy Buswell, Notice on the Meeting room door needed to inform where the first aid box is and a new Accident book to be purchased by Michelle.

First aid courses to be looked into by GC it was suggested we approach the Parish Meeting to cover the cost of the course.

Storeroom cupboard to be tidied-it was suggested we leave this until winter. GC offered to store the plastic chairs at her home to give us more room in there, it was suggested the old table tennis be sold as we have a newer one.

A suggestion to replace the kitchen door with a stable door was made by Bob, this is to stop access from guests coming into the kitchen on events therefore reducing the risk of injury. Bob to price up.

The bleed kit that is being purchased by the parish will need to go in a separate box to the De-fib. Janet to ask Krista Hutchings to source and price up.

Strip lights are now failing Bob has priced up new LED ones at a cost of £150-it was agreed we go ahead with this purchase.

Pickle ball has been purchased by Gilli, a practice game will be booked at the hall to trial it.

The summer BBQ is now being planned by Fiona and Paul, Posters to be printed, laminated and displayed to encourage guests, It was agreed we charge $\pounds 10$ per adult and $\pounds 5$ per child. A sub meeting will be needed soon to talk about the event.

Alice O'Brain will take a sabbatical from the Village Hall committee due to her second child arriving any day. We wish Alice & Liam all the best and look forward to Alice's return in the future.

CLEANING ROTA

June Fiona & Michelle July: Chris & Gilli

DONM:

To be decided.

Meeting closed at 20.15