

Future Newstead

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The Management Group taking forward the Newstead Parish Plan
Newstead Miners Welfare Community Centre, Tilford Road, Newstead Village, Nottingham, NG15 0BS

Minutes of the meeting of the Newstead Parish Plan Management Committee held on Tuesday 16th February 2010 at Cornerstone House, Newstead Village.

Present: *Chairman* *Sharon Herriett - Chair*
 Jenny Kirkwood (RCAN) - Minutes
 Mark Waterhouse
 Patricia Andrews
 Donna Bradley
 Pat Harvey
 Alison Bennett

Apologies.

Mick Leivers
Chris Barnfather
Lesley Flanders
John Robinson
John Chisholm
Heather Barnett
Rev Liz Turner
Rob Crowder
Paul Ashby
Andy Crouch
Trish Wise
Laurence Quirk

1. **Welcome**, introductions and apologies were made.
Alison Bennett, Strategic Housing Manager attended the meeting to talk to the group about the £70,000 bid to Public Realms that Gedling had submitted for Newstead. We should hear next week if the funding has been successful. If it is, a meeting needs to be held to discuss how we might like the money to be used.
2. **The Minutes** of the last meeting were agreed.
3. **Matters arising from the Minutes.**
 - *CISWO have agreed to lease the land to the Parish Council.*
 - *Sharon is following up the Village Womble with the school.*
 - *Public Liability for the group - Mick to speak to Linda at RCAN*
 - *More notice boards- Mick to follow up.*
 - *Logo's - Discuss at the next meeting. - Put on agenda next time.*
 - *Pete Gedling CVS passed some information over to Sharon regarding a transport scheme, 'Transport Accessible to all' - Sharon to follow this up. Pete at Gedling CVS is happy to coordinate the scheme and to carry out any CRB checks required.*

- *Volunteer list - Misplaced an article will go into the newsletter to try to recruit more volunteers and apologise if people have already offered and haven't been contacted.*
- *Action Plan Implementation - Theme groups are now needed to work on the implementation of the actions but before this happens, more volunteers are needed. When the minutes go out we need to state that numbers are dropping and at this implementation stage and with the range of other activities happening in Newstead at the moment, it's really important that people try to attend where possible.*

4. Litter Pick

Map highlighting ownership would be really useful to identify who owns the land where the problem areas are? Donna is in contact with Ashfield to try to establish a joined up approach and tackle the village as a whole rather than focussing on the areas owned by Gedling Borough Council.

The Big Tidy up - Have a look at the website, easy to follow and lots of help out there for areas who'd like to carry out a clean up in their area. www.thebigtidyup.org

Donna also mentioned that Veolia, the waste disposal company have a service where they come out to schools and talk to the children about litter. They also have a facility where children can visit and see how the waste is recycled. - Sharon to follow up. Veolia is also going to fund this year's Flying Skip in Newstead.

4. Village SOS

Needs a constant slot on the agenda so that the group can be kept updated on developments. Sharon also spoke about Newstead Enterprise which is the business set up to manage the developments of the Pit Tips. Newstead Enterprise is made up of three representatives from CAST, three from RCAN and three from the village, who are presently, Sharon, Mark and Paul Binney. Is everybody ok with this? If anybody else is interested we could have nominations and elect people in at the AGM. Anthony - Business Champion is holding a Building consultation evening tomorrow night to talk about the types of materials which could be used. Access - Concerns were raised about the access to the park along Tilford Road particularly with the level crossing, would it be better if there was a full barrier? Jenny to write to Network Rail to ask if this is a possibility.

5. Dog Poo

Jan Hammond has raised a concern stating that she counted 70 separate piles of Dog Poo on the playing field. A campaign is needed. We agreed that the Residents Association was the group to take this forward and Pat Harvey will take this to their next meeting.

6. Communication

Take to the next meeting

7. Action Plan

*Lectern/Map of the Village - We have been waiting for the writing - Mick to chase up
Domestic Violence Donna to invite GBC's Domestic Violence Coordinator to the next meeting.
Neighbourhood Watch and Smart Water signs up in people's houses, Pat to take back to Residents Association.
Turning right out of Annesley - Sharon to write John Chisholm to chase this up. Patricia suggested using Section 106 funding.*

8. Sub Groups needed:

- *Education and Employment*
- *Transport*
- *Health*
- *Energy Efficiency - RCAN Low Carbon Communities to take this forward in 2011*

AOB

Donna handed over some information about DARE Champion training

DARE (UK) is a national charity (Number:1051418) that delivers life skills and drugs education across the UK. DARE programmes are delivered to young people aged 9 to 16 to help raise their awareness and develop the skills they need to make positive informed choices for a safe and healthy life.

Future Dates:

Tuesday 16th March - 7.00pm Newstead Centre

Tuesday 20th April - 7.00pm Newstead Centre

Tuesday 18th May - 7.00pm Newstead Centre

Tuesday 15th June - 7.00pm Newstead Centre

Tuesday 20th July - 7.00pm Newstead Centre

Tuesday 17th August - 7.00pm Newstead Centre

Tuesday 21st September - 7.00pm Newstead Centre

Tuesday 19th October - 7.00pm Newstead Centre

Tuesday 16th November - 7.00pm Newstead Centre

Please send apologies to Jenny Kirkwood 01623 727600 jkirkwood@rcan.org.uk