

Hunstanton and District Civic Society

Ordinary Executive Committee Meeting Tuesday 10 June 2014 at 9.15 am Large Meeting Room, Valentine Road Council Offices

Present: Andrew Murray (Chairman and Interim Secretary), John Little (Treasurer), Terry Ashworth, Margi Blunden, Martin Chown, Norma Ham and Margaret Robinson.

Apologies. Ivy Scales and Ann Stevens

- 1. Minutes of Meeting held on Tuesday 6 May** approved and signed.
- 2. Secretary's Report – incorporating report from Town Council. Planning Applications and Developments.**

AM reported on the proceedings at the Planning Committee concerning the McCarthy & Stone development and the Tree Preservation Order for the Cedar Tree at 29 Sandringham Road. MC proposed a vote of thanks for the work done by AM on these issues and the Downs Road Clearway proposal. Correspondance was itemised with particular reference to the Infants' School building. **Action:** AM to contact Nigel Harvey, Headmaster, the Victorian Society and English Heritage for advice and Cllr Richard Bird for information on the NCC plans.
- 3. Treasurer's Report.** Current a/c stands at £ 650.85 and the deposit a/c £7,408.00. TA had produced a spreadsheet of the current membership and method of payment.
- 4. Report from Hunstanton Heritage Centre Trust/Plans for Civic Day** IS is preparing a quiz for children about the exhibits. The possibility of planters is to be explored. MC will supply table and chairs and TA will prepare a rota for Civic Day on Saturday 21st June.
- 5. Membership Renewal Meeting.** Plans were discussed and the redrafted renewal letter was circulated. A charge of 50p per meeting to cover refreshments was agreed. MB suggested a talk on the aims and purpose of the Society might be organised. A further meeting has been organised to finalise arrangements for renewal on 24 June.
Action: MC will provide AM with the speaker list for 2014/15
Action: AM to discuss arrangements for an additional talk about the 67th SOS in September with John Maiden.
- 6. Britain In Bloom.** MB gave dates for judging of Anglia in Bloom – 9 July and Britain in Bloom – 4 Aug. MC will be at the Pierhead garden, TA at the Wolf garden and AM at the Signage garden for both events.

- 7. Progress on Projects.** MC has completed the Speakers Programme for 2014- 2015. AM has been in discussion with the Town Council regarding financial assistance with the relocation of the Chapel Bank Shelter. He is still waiting for quotes from contractors.
The Town Council has agreed that both Brian Holmes and Terry Ashworth will be members of the Heritage working party who also formulate the Neighbourhood Plan.
The Ringstead Windmill leaflets are in their final stage before production.
Action: AM to chase up progress on Interpretation Boards.
- 8. Date of next Committee Meetings – Fri. 11 July and Tue. 12 Aug.**