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Minutes of the committee meeting 10th August 2017

Attendees

David Gelder, Fran Gelder, Fiona Walker, Scott Turner, James Nicholls

Apologies

Peter Sanderson, Robin Adderly, Evie Woolveridge

Minutes of the last meeting 31st May 2017

The minutes of the last meeting were accepted, as being a true record there were no matters arising
Proposed by Fiona Walker Seconded by Scott Turner

Chairman's report HDAF meeting 8th August 2017

The show looks on track to be well organised for the 20th August in the valley gardens volunteers are still needed to help set up and to take down at the end of the day if you can spare an hour it would be greatly appreciated 7Am for the morning shift 4PM for the afternoon shift.

Britton in bloom judging has taken place on the allotments Harlow Hill so fingers crossed that they win. Not all allotments were being judged as there wasn't enough time to look round them all they chose Harlow Hill as it was on the route for the judges when visiting Harrogate.

LGS no new updates at present.

Treasurer's Report

As of 1st August 2017 we have £4098,69 Since the last C meeting we have paid a quarter rent £381.25 A water bill of £226.04 small amount for petrol £20.63 The aim at the beginning of the year was to have £3,000 balance at the end of our financial year (30th Sept)

Membership Secretary Report

All plots are let some are still not being worked as intended we will be again looking at this and letters will be sent to these tenants to encourage them to get working and cultivate or to finish their tenancy and make way for new members eager to get gardening the waiting list currently stands at 12.

Web Admin Report

The new web host has now been changed website is back up and running and will be updated on a regular basis If you have any ideas or suggestions for the web site please let us know
webadmin@noaharrogate.org.uk

New Gate top path bachelor fields

A new gate is needed on the top path we have been quoted £340inc VAT and this will be going ahead hopefully around the middle of September

Any other business

Some of you may have seen the Channel 4 crew on site last Monday it was a great day they were very impressed with our beautiful site and loved looking round all the amazing and interesting plots.

The program will be going out sometime in the autumn I will send out the exact dates as and when I get them from the Channel 4 team it will be great to see our site in full bloom and on the telly!

Dates for the diary

HDAF allotment show 20th August at the sun pavilion, valley gardens

BBQ 27th August 12pm onwards in the picnic area

AGM Will be at the cricket club time and date to be confirmed

Burn weekends and autumn tidy up dates to be confirmed nearer the time