

COMPTON DANDO COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

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MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 20TH MAY 2010

ITEM	CONTENT	ACTION
1	APOLOGIES – Maureen and Ian Ron and Anne	
2	PRESENT – Alison Peter Vivien Pam and Peter Clive and Lorna, Steve, Liz, Nan, Alice	
3	MINUTES OF LAST MEETING – taken as true and accurate record. Proposed – Clive. Seconded – Nan	
4	<p>MATTERS ARISING</p> <p><u>Update re. appointment of new Chairman</u> No volunteers for the post as it stands have yet come forward. The meeting was very positive regarding the idea of reducing the level of work involved in the Chairmanship by increasing delegation of specific tasks/activities. It is hoped that this might make the Chairmanship more attractive to prospective applicants as well as giving more people the chance to make their contribution to the village. A list of possible tasks for delegation has been prepared.</p> <p>There was discussion regarding the diminishing numbers attending CDCA meetings. Various ideas were put forward such as:-</p> <p>Some might feel they had done enough work and wanted a break Some find meetings a little too formal Perhaps the relevance of the organisation is being questioned Meetings could be held quarterly rather than monthly The name could be changed to Compton Dando Social Group better to reflect the current activities.</p> <p>Many events have tended to end up being run by one individual or team, eg Burns Night by Maureen and team; David and team for St. George's Day BBQ; Maria/Jenny/Maureen, etc. for Halloween, Liz for village walks. Jodie has indicated she might be willing to look at organising a children's Halloween party as has been suggested in the past. She would doubtless appreciate help from people who have been involved before. The Fete now works well with a dedicated sub-committee.</p> <p>The meeting agreed that a flyer should be put into the next Parish Magazine to invite as many people as possible to the 17 June meeting to air their views on what sort of organisation they want and how it could be run.</p> <p><u>Update on Glebe Field</u> Matt has strimmed, but he ran out of petrol!! A couple of people to strim right down to the river and to tidy up the rest of the bank are also needed at the next Churchyard Working party at the end of June. Alice will find out how long Matt spent so that the CDCA may pay for his time.</p> <p><u>Proposed Mediaeval Night 18th September.</u> Maureen has ascertained that this will be an independently run charity event with no CDCA input required. Clive suggested that the village should support such events and that the CDCA might investigate if this is the sort of activity the village would like us to do. This could form part of the discussion on 17 June. New events now need careful planning due to the many different interest groups all needing a slot.</p>	Steve Alice
5	REPORT ON ST GEORGE'S DAY BARBECUE – APRIL 25 th . Clive reported that we had probably broken even and reminded the committee that it is not viewed as a fundraiser, just an enjoyable social event. 50 – 60 turned up. The	

	music system developed a problem and the weather was fine till after the race when the heavens opened and some got quite wet. There was a short discussion regarding next year, when the race and St Georges day may not co-incide.	
6	VILLAGE WALK – 27 th JUNE. The route will be Compton Cottage-Tucking Mill-Lye Hill-Chewton Keynsham-Compton Dando. In order to plan walk helpers and pub lunch bookings, could all interested people please contact Liz (490487) Meet at 10.30 on Millennium Green.	All
7	REPORT FOLLOWING FETE SUB – COMMITTEE MEETING Raffle tickets and Duck forms now available [Duck sheets from Alison, Raffle tickets from Judi or Alison]. A few more stallholders are still needed. Winners of Poster Competition are Polly Robertson, with two of Jodie and Darren's children being runners up. Another tombola barrel will be needed at a cost of £45 if Richard Evans' father is not going to make one. Stallholders meeting will be on Thursday 24 th June 7pm in the pub garden if weather is good. Email being sent out shortly by Richard	All Stallholders
8	COFFEE MORNINGS. The last one for the summer will be this Saturday, 22 nd May at 10.00. Cakes would be appreciated, Harriette is bringing one and Alice will if she comes.	Alice
9	FUN DOG SHOW. We are hoping to run this "Invitation Only" event on Saturday October 16 th . People in the 5 villages who own dogs will be invited to the events for both pedigrees and cross breeds – classes for obedience, agility etc. Two free training sessions with trainer will be offered. Sponsored by Latchets Kennels and several other local pet oriented organisations. Venue to be confirmed.	Liz and Alison
10	A.O.B. <u>Pub lease</u> is for sale. <u>Parish Plan</u> . Copies of the draft action plan have been circulated throughout the parish for feedback before the plan is finalised. <u>Defibrillator</u> Pam mentioned the defibrillator, as she had been to a very interesting talk on it given by Clive Setter. Clive stated that we are to have a village <u>Hymns of Praise</u> on the Millennium Green on July 25 th . Please put choices of hymns in box in church. Nan said that Nathan and Keiran have had excellent results in their recent races. Vivien said that Maureen asked her to say that there were still some <u>Horse Racing</u> tickets left if anyone is interested. £5pp. June 5 th . Alison asked Clive if he will arrange another guided tour of <u>Wells Cathedral</u> .Clive agreed, and said he would let us know the date.	All All Clive
11	Date of next meeting – Thursday June 17 th 7.30	