

CORSHAM TWINNING ASSOCIATION

Minutes of Meeting held on 02/09/2019

Present: Roger Fido (RF), Jane Gater (JG), Mark Campbell (MC), Nigel Millward (NM), Christine Bastow (CB), Maggie Smith (MS), Susan Wingrave (SW), Chris Taylor (CT), Maurice Hancock (MH)

Apologies: Matt Wingrave (MW), Maggie Rayner (MR), Anthea White (AW)

Minutes of Meeting 1st July 2019: Agreed.

Matters Arising:

The BBQ on 20-07-19 went well thanks to MW & SW. Outgoings amounted to £156.92 with takings of £487.00 giving a profit of £330.08. **Action: JG to send photos by R Cannings to SW.**

No other choir members have applied for membership over the summer months.

Events 2019:

- **Sun 22nd September:** joint concert with Corsham Band at 3pm has had to be cancelled by the band. Short notice replacement is a tour of the Alms Houses hosted by JG & MS. **Action: MS to confirm availability. SW to tell members**
- **Sat 26th October:** Wine tasting at Cricket Club. Booked.
- **Sat 23rd November:** Race Night at Corsham Club at 8pm. Booked.
- **December:** No event

Jargeau Visit to Corsham 2020:

Presumed to be 01-03 May 2020 but not yet confirmed by Jargeau committee. JG has booked the school for both dates and is in conversation with the caterers to agree a menu and costs. It was decided to drop the official reception. **Action: JG to firm up arrangements with caterers.**

Events 2020:

Various options were discussed with a draft programme put together as follows for confirmation at next month's meeting:

Jan Quiz
Feb Skittles
Mar French meal
Apr Gardening talk
May Visit
June Countdown evening
July BBQ at The Wingrave's
Aug No social event
Sept. Talk by Toby the butcher or cake decorating
Oct Wine tasting
Nov Talk by Toby the butcher or cake decorating

Action: CB & NM to enquire of cake decorators. RF to enquire of Corsham Gardening Society

RF outlined a Corsham Town Council event weekend of 8-10 May 2020. No CTA rep is available for the planning meeting on 10-09-19 and we will not be taking an active part.

Membership:

SW to provide an updated membership figure at next meeting. **Action: SW**

Treasurer's report:

Current Balance is £6,029.68

No bills outstanding.

Any Other Business:

- Availability of wine glasses and other crockery to be promoted to members. **Action: SW**
- MH to investigate whether we could use the British Legion for meetings and skittles – **ongoing**
- JG has a bag of miscellaneous twinning photos from the Hurlow-Jones. She requested approval to dispose of them.

Date of next meeting: Monday 7th October at 7.30pm at the Corsham Club