

# COMMUNITY AND VOCATIONAL MEETING

## Held at 261 Nottingham Road – 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2012

	Dec 12 <sup>th</sup>	Jan 16 <sup>th</sup>	Feb 20 <sup>th</sup>	March No Minutes	April 23 <sup>rd</sup>						
Pam	✓	Apol	Apol	Duck	Apol						
Ian	✓	✓	✓	Numbering	✓						
Kate	✓	✓	✓		✓						
Duncan	Apol	✓	Apol		Apol						
Eric Hall	Apol	✓	✓		Apol						
Julia	✓	Apol	✓		Apol						
Jim	Apol	Apol	✓		Apol						
Marshall	Apol	✓	✓		✓						

**Apologies** As above

**Minutes of the Last Meeting** No topics discussed – Ducks were numbered for Duck Race

**Matters Arising** - none

### Project Update

#### ✚ **In Case of Emergency**

- No further action this month

#### ✚ **Cartridges**

- Due to the small amount of return made on cartridges, May 14<sup>th</sup> will be the last collection. Bins are to be taken out of the various places. Only laser cartridges will be collected for the future and will be organised at a later date, Ron Edwards has offered to source the recycling of these.

### **Kids Day Out 2012 - Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> June**

Ian has spoken to the headmaster of the **Brownlow School**. He is very happy that we will be able to take 48 children. The 53 seater bus has been booked and a number of helpers have already confirmed for the day. More help will be requested at the 14<sup>th</sup> May lunchtime meeting. Samworth's have been approached to provide sandwiches but if they are not forthcoming Ian will arrange for Launde to make them up as last year. Fruit will be arranged by Kate (apples and bananas), chocolate bars and drinks will be sourced from local bargains, Ian will also speak to Peter Knowles to see if he can get a supply from Petfoods.

**Birchwood** children will be going to Twinlakes. Ian and the head of Birchwood are meeting Phil Bendall on 11<sup>th</sup> May to finalise arrangements. Ian will discuss the overall cost with Phil separately. The Date, catering and help required will be notified after this meeting.

#### ✚ **Stroke Awareness Day**

Helpers are organised for am and pm on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> April. A unit in the Bell Centre will be used by the nurses. Pam Posnett and a colleague will be taking the afternoon blood pressure session.

#### ✚ **Duck Race**

- The Duck Race went well, many thanks to Eric for leading the organisation etc and all who helped with the selling of the Duck. Approximately £3800 was raised. A final figure and a breakdown of the amounts earned by each committee will be forthcoming when Eric returns from the Phillipines. It has been suggested that a further 40 ducks should be purchased as spares in case of loss or damage, especially if we let them out to other clubs etc. Easter 2013 is one week earlier than this year. The race date and sales period will be discussed at our next meeting.

#### ✚ **Dictionaries for Life**

- Will be distributed to Swallowdale, St Mary's and The Grove Schools when the order has been received.

### **Twin Lakes Firework Evening**

Ideas whether to use the evening for Rotary promotion/fund raising will be requested from committee members. It is thought that rattling tins/buckets was not appropriate.

**Date of Next Meeting** Monday 21<sup>st</sup> May after the lunchtime meeting at Sysonby Knoll.