

RCMM Club Service Notes

Monday 5th August 2019 @ 6.00pm at Tresillian House

Present: Adrienne Holland, Janet Shortland, Bob McCord, Graham Betts and Malcolm Britton

Apologies: Steve Jeal, Gill Kendall, Mike Rowe and David Ward

1. Treasure Hunt Report

An exceptionally enjoyable evening with 35 people participating, excellent food and £230 raised. Thanks to Gill, Julia and other helpers.

2. Conference

Nothing to report.

3. Vintage Vehicles Event (2nd September)

Tombola prizes needed by Janet before 19th August.

Adrienne to announce at next meeting.

Janet to approach Autostop, Burton Road for sponsorship.

Little time left to take flyers round events.

Adrienne

Janet

4. Santa Fun Run (8th December)

The importance of attracting entries was emphasised.

Outside caterers are being invited. MBC to be approached to open toilets even if café does not have new tenants by then.

Flyers should arrive this week.

Malcolm

5. Christmas Party (Monday 16th December)

Arrangements made at Sysonby Knoll. Adrienne and Malcolm to discuss menu and price with Jenny.

Adrienne/Malcolm

6. Burns Night Supper (Saturday 18th January)

Ben had booked the piper and was due to book Sysonby Knoll.

Bob/Ben

7. Charter (Monday 9th March)

St Mary's Church booked. Adrienne and Malcolm to meet with Carol to discuss menu and price.

Adrienne

8. Duck Race

It was agreed to talk to Birchwood and then Grove at the beginning of the autumn term to ascertain whether they wanted a visit to Twin Lakes as a prelude to deciding whether to sell tickets at Twin Lakes.

Adrienne

9. Quiz (Friday 27th September)

Richard Angrave and the Royal British Legion Club had been booked. Offers of additional help for catering (lasagne, stew and bread) would be welcomed. A raffle will be held.

Malcolm

Wording of posters agreed.

Friday 24th April suggested for quiz in the spring.

10. Foundation Supper at BMC Restaurant

Thursday 21st May would be suggested to Alison as a preferred date.

Malcolm/Alison

11. Summer Outing

Interest had dwindled in recent years but Bob agreed to look into the possibility of an outing to Chester possibly in early June.

Bob

12. New and additional ideas

- Abseiling event from St Mary's Church tower. Malcolm had thoroughly investigated this and it was not feasible in our circumstances.
- Race Night at Burton Lazars Village Hall with fish and chip supper. Bob would approach Ian Pengelly.
- Scarecrow weekend in town. Charge shopkeepers for entering scarecrow in shop window with prizes awarded. The satellite club have this in hand.
- Rotary families and friends carol service at Brooksby Church was planned for Wednesday 18th December at 7.00pm subject to confirmation.
- Safari Lunch - Sunday 20th October. Two courses in Melton and immediate area. All meet for drinks and nibbles, then starter, main course and finally all meet again at end.
- Sportsman's night with black tie and auction of sporting paraphernalia. Deferred.
- Valuation night with Charles Hanson. Possibly during winter months in Asfordby Parish Hall. Malcolm to investigate.

Bob

Malcolm

Malcolm

13. Communications

Graham to convene a task group to overhaul all aspects of communication within and from the Club.

Graham

14. Blue Card

Graham to establish whether Steve will present the card in the same format if Richard Haynes no longer produces it.

Graham/Steve

15. President's Items None

16. Any Other Business

The possibility of using a card machine for Monday lunch payments would be investigated.

Adrienne/ Graham to consult Kate and Jenny

Next Meeting: Monday 9th September at 6.00pm at Tresillian House.

Adrienne to chair in Malcolm's absence