

Rotary Club of Melton Mowbray
Community and Vocational Service Committee 2005 2006

Minutes of Meeting - 5th April 2006

Venue -123 Redwood Ave

Time 6.00 pm

Present

Richard Haines, Janet Shortland, Angie Hatton, Kathy McKinley, Geoff Goodwin, Charles Jenkin, Geoff Theobald and Adrienne Holland

Apologies

Mike Powderly, Ray Green ,Pat Cumbers, Ron Edwards and George Hows PP

Minutes

The minutes of the meeting held on the 1st March were read and approved.

Matters Arising

There were no matters arising

Programme for 2005 - 2006

The following projects have been selected by the committee for the coming year and approved by Rotary International.

Team leaders need to actively try and bring on board a partner from a local company who maybe prepared to match this year's Rotary support, or indeed help in some other way towards their chosen activity. Any publicity the project attains will be equally shared

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Leader</u>	<u>Assistant</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Spent</u>
Christmas Food Parcels Completed	Janet Shortland	Adrienne Holland	£500	£500
Stroke Awareness Day All in place for Saturday	Richard Haines	Ray Green	£150	
Kids Out Day To be held on Wednesday 7 th June 2006 at Wicksteed Park, Kettering. To accommodate the amount of children and helpers who are going 4 buses and 2 mini buses are needed. the budget is estimated to be 5 to £600 overspent, £200 of this has been raised by sponsorship and we are looking for more. The committee recommended that we transfer any shortfall from other are'as to ensure the Kids get a good day out.	Janet Shortland	Adrienne Holland	£1400	
Children's Reward Day 18 Children (2 from each class) were taken from the Grove school to Twin Lakes this week. Adrienne and Janet reported that they all had a superb day with minimal cost because of the kind sponsorship offered by Phil Bendall. Adrienne reported that the project had been extremely influential in motivation with the children at school. We propose to continue with the scheme.	Adrienne Holland	Kathy McKinley	£400	
Hearing Dogs A cheque will be presented at The Golf Day which is to be held on the 12th May.	Geoff Goodwin	Adrienne Holland	£250	

Awareness - Prostate Cancer Geoff Theobald Angie Hatton

Geoff gave a super presentation which had a very positive feedback from members

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Life Education Centres	Charles Jenkin	David Morris	£1000	
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To be a minimum 4 year ongoing project- This years budget £1000 + £1000 from Belvior Club matched by 'The Raynes Trust'. Discussions still going on with the sub committee regarding content and style of the “Awareness Day” which is pencilled in for 23rd September. The project will not get off the ground in this Rotary year.

Local Hospices	Angie Hatton	Janet Shortland	£250	£309
No Change				

Protect our Environment	Ron Edwards	Angie Hatton	£nil	
See Melton Town Centre Partnership and Fairmead				

Vocational Visits	Kathy McKinley	Ron Edwards	£nil	
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Arrangements for 20 people to enjoy a tour at Hearing Dogs for Deaf People training centre, based in Princes Risborough, Buckinghamshire has been made for Thursday 4th May. The Mosque visit has been delayed pending the presentation from the Council of Faith.

St Marys visit to be linked with the official presentation of the television.

Another potential visit is to RIBI HQ at Alcester

C.V.S.	Richard Haines	Geoff Goodwin	£nil	
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Now officially known as “Voluntary Action Melton” RH is a board member of the new organisation and Rotary are still a sponsor member.

Grant Requests	Richard Haines	Committee	£150	£50
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A request from County Air Ambulance based at Walsall was discussed, bearing in mind we had recently indirectly supported this charity by means of a donation to the Mayors appeal we decided not to support. RH to write.

A request from Helen Brydson was discussed for support for a Scientific Conservation Expedition to Indonesia, it was decided to send £50.00 towards equipment maintenance. RH to raise at Club Council.

Hope Foundation Leicestershire & Rutland have asked for “Promises for Hope” basically pledges of auctionable items. RH to ask club members.

Fairmead Estate Initiative	Jo Orson	Kathy McKinley	Adrienne Holland
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Communication problems on meeting dates meant that no progress has been made.

Joe to follow up the proposal that Ward boundaries be looked at, with a view this could make more grants available from a number of sources.

Melton Town Partnership

The competition is unlikely to happen this year, next year we can consider a gardening competition between children in Fairmead or other similar area's alternatively an inter school competition utilising the church grounds is a possibility.

Any other business	Total Budget Requests £4100
None	

Future Meetings

Venue, 123 Redwood Ave

Time 6.00pm

Weds 3rd May

Weds 7th June (Note Change)