

Cullompton Swimming Pool Campaign
Committee Meeting 15
Tuesday 3rd July 2012, The Market House Inn, Cullompton

Attendees: Dave Haslett (Chair), James MacPherson, Sean Burrett (minutes), Mary Christie, Lynne Read

Absent: Sharon Vaughan, Carla Wetherell

1. Acceptance of previous minutes

Proposed acceptance: Dave Haslett, seconded: James MacPherson, vote: unanimous.

2. Updates and action points

There has been no response so far from either Cullompton Community College or Persimmons regarding our proposals for the possible location of the pool.

James has arranged a meeting with Gordon Guest on 13th July to discuss CRAG's support for the pool, funding towards expanding the shop into an information centre and CRAG's feasibility study on a swimming pool for Cullompton.

Dave has emailed the PineLog plans to all committee members.

Dave has written to the ASA to inform them of our campaign.

The Town Fayre was cancelled due to the bad weather. It was strongly felt that the cancellation should have been better communicated to all stallholders. The Town Council has proposed holding another Town Fayre on 9th September.

Action Point – Dave to inform Town Clerk whether we want a stall.
This has yet to be decided by the committee.

Carla has obtained the relevant forms from NatWest for opening a new bank account. Some of the questions need clarifying, and Dave has arranged to meet Anita North, (the previous treasurer) to discuss them.

The Treasure Hunt entries have been marked and the winning teams have been notified. Some of the prizes have yet to arrive, so there is a delay in awarding them.

Action Point – Dave to notify the winning teams of the delay, which was beyond our control.

The CCA fields are available for the Sponsored Walk on the 19th August.
The sponsor forms are ready.

Action Point – Sean to put in writing the date change for the Sponsored Walk to the CCA.

Action Point (brought forward) – Carla to arrange a meeting with Alan Boxer, the Musical Director of Voiceworx.

The proposed 2013 calendar has a target completion date of October. It was suggested that we could source old photos of Cullompton from Michael Speirs and CCA photos from Bryan Woollatt.

Action Point – Dave to contact the above.

Action Point (brought forward) – Sharon to ask the Cully Stitchers for ideas for possible fundraising events and items to sell in the shop.

The Health Centre café knitting club are producing items to sell in the shop.

Action Point – Dave to check with Meryle's friend, whether she requires wool, which Lynne can purchase at a discount from a wholesaler.

Action Point (brought forward) – Dave to approach Julia Green from Dunn & Baker Solicitors regarding wills and donations.

Action Point (brought forward) – James to enquire about corporate tickets.

Lynne has produced a draft presentation for schools, which was approved by all members present.

Action Point – Lynne and Mary to visit each of the 15 schools on the 9th and 10th July to make initial contact.

Action Point – Mary to distribute the 1940s posters to the schools and parish clerks.

The car boot sale at Tesco in Exeter is run by the Tesco Social Club and is in aid of the Tesco Charities. The sale is held in their overflow car park.

Action Point – Sean to contact Tesco in Cullompton regarding running a similar event.

Action Point – Sean to contact the owners of the Somerfield site again concerning the possible use of their car park, as we have our own event insurance.

Action Point – Sean to contact Culm Valley Sports Centre concerning the possible use of their car park.

Action Point – Dave to review the Volunteer Service as a possible source of volunteers.

James has a sim card for the shop mobile phone.

Dave has placed an order of 25 shirts with Devon Shirts.

Sean has contacted Padbrook Park and is awaiting a reply from Susan Scargill, so that a meeting can be arranged.

Action Point – Dave to prepare a written proposal for Padbrook Park.

3. Sponsored Walk

It was decided that we would only hold the 18 mile sponsored walk. The shorter walks have been cancelled and we will ask the schools to run their own sponsored events, which could be a sponsored walk or an event of their choice.

Action Point – Sean to identify a First Aider that is available for the 18 mile walk.

4. Fundraising

Tickets are still available for the 1940s evening, so additional advertising is required.

Action Point – Mary to contact Tony Beard at the BBC to advertise the event on Radio Devon.

Action Point – Mary to check with Sharon regarding contact at Heart Radio.

Action Point – Sean to email list of schools to Lynne.

Action Point – Sean to email list of Parish Clerks to Mary.

Dave has written to Neal Vaughan, chairman of the CTA, regarding an Events Committee for the town that could be made up of all interested parties, including ourselves, the CTA, CCA, Town Council, and others.

We still need volunteers for the shop and new committee members.

Shop Lo-Cully shopping bags were discussed. Lynne has made some samples. Devon Shirts have offered to print bags at 50p per side. It was suggested a bag could be developed in conjunction with the CTA with Shop/Swim Lo-Cully as a joint design.

Action Point – Sean to obtain an online quote for bespoke bags.

5. Shop

Action Point – Lynne to email Dave the figures for the last 2 months.

6. Any other business

The Baptist Church hall was chosen as the venue for our AGM, to be booked from 7pm – 8pm on an available evening towards the end of August.

Action Point – Lynne to make enquiries.

Date of next meeting

Tuesday 24th July, 6.30pm at the Market House Inn