

Apologies from Geoff and Angela. In attendance: Amy, Betty, Gordon, Mike, Simon

Date of meeting 30th March 2022

- 1) Membership numbers. 90
- 2) Details of vacant plots. One quarter plot.
- 3) Number of people on waiting list. 28
- 4) Treasurers report: Bank balance. £5097.84 Petty Cash. £120.50
- 5) General site maintenance (hedges / mowing / water supply). Members of the committee will shortly carry out a site inspection to record and program-in any necessary improvement projects.
- 6) Individual plots causing concern (going to seed). Following the forthcoming Easter Weekend, Plot Inspections will be carried out. Tenants of any plots causing concern will be contacted.
- 7) AOB

Plot Judging: It was agreed that the same criteria will be retained. The Guidance notes for the Judges will be posted on the notice boards. We are once again hoping to arrange for 'external' judges to carry out the work.

Water Bill: After a lengthy process of obtaining a water bill from our suppliers, we were issued a bill of over £8,500 ! Amy (Treasurer) has been in protracted communication with our suppliers and we are now reasonably confident that the out-standing bill will be reduced to somewhere in the region of £1,100.

Water Tanks: following the switching on of the water, we have identified a few faults / leaks within the system. The repair of these faults will be programmed-in.

Work-Party Day: On Saturday 23rd April, we encourage Members to come along and help out with ongoing site maintenance / improvements. More details will be posted shortly.

Application for Plots: We have recently received an application for a plot from our Website Manager (and previous plot holder), Joao Pereira. Vacant plots are allocated alternately to individuals from the 'New Applicants' and 'Current Members' lists. It was unanimously agreed that on the basis of Joao's long-term, ongoing, voluntary support for the Association, we would give his application some priority, by adding him to 'Current Members' waiting list.

General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR): In order to give clarity and assurance to our members, Amy is drawing up 'Privacy Policy' to formalise our Association's position on this matter.

Next Meeting: Wednesday 27th April (7:30pm)