

WELWICK & WEETON PARISH HALL

Minutes of meeting held Tuesday, 11th February , 2025

Present: Gill Smith, Chair, Jenny Malkin, Vice Chair, Sue Crossley, Treasurer, Pat Beech, ACTION Secretary, Dave Crossley, Jackie and Greg Beaumont, Gerry Hailwood, Jo Wood.

Apologies: Mark Brankley, Debbie Hutchins, Jean Wilkin

1. The minutes were read and agreed as a true record.
2. Finance: The current account is low at £8.85, although we ought to be able to manage without transferring funds from the deposit account. We will wait until next meeting to see how the balance is then.
3. Fire extinguishers: need checking and Debbie will be consulted. Richard Newsome - Debbie emergency lighting. Gerry is applying for a grant towards the new boilers but does not feel that Net Zero is achievable. Will Lawton will commence work shortly. Ladies toilet radiator is leaking slightly.
4. Bookings: 8th March childrens' party, 15^h March Quiz, 29th March Joyce's 9th party, Pol-ing Day 6th May, 7th June 80th party, 22nd June childrens' party, 5th July Katie's party, 19th July Charles' Radio Group event, 24th August Greg's Alternators Music evening, 11th October Katie's childrens' party. At the Alternators evening the village hall can make income on the food.
5. Tesco grant: £1,000 has been banked. Gill and Gerry will order the projector. And two Gill,Gerry sandwich toasters for Pop-in.
6. ERYC are offering a grant of £500 for a Celebrate Ageing event and we are thinking of an open painting session . Suggestions: invite a mobility equipment shop.
7. Groups: it was proposed that participants pay fees annually; some doubt was expressed about this; and that the weekly fee for Bowls be increased from £3 to £4. It was agreed to buy two sandwich toasters for Pop-in.
8. Events: Bingo Saturday 15th February. Gregg will act as caller. Gerry to promote on Facebook. Gill to purchase refreshments. £2 per bingo card. Hold a stand-up/sit-down round. Set up 2pm on Saturday. GregGerry
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9. Buildings: boilers to be replaced next week. Gents' hand drier has been replaced by Richard Newsome, cost £223.80. Replace light fittings in all toilets £449.20. £336 inspection.
10. Church: nothing to report.
11. Pub closing on 21st February. It was proposed that we hold a) themed pub-sub nights , serving meals in the village hall., eg French evening – french film, quiz on the country, french cuisine (cordon bleu!), bring own drinks. We will issue a survey to see

what people would like. Possible date being end of March. b) more regular quiz evenings, with more contributors than Gerry. Ben will be invited to come on 15th March, c) an auction, Arts Council evening – Jenny will approach them. d) A choir at Christmas time – Pat will ask the Withernsea Ladies Choir, e) darts evenings, f) table tennis competition. Jenny,Pat

12. Activities 2025: 15th March Quiz, 19th April afternoon tea 4th July Pub Lads, 17th August Bowls Tournament, 6th September village show, 27th November Wreath-making.

A.O.B : a) Jenny: Kevin Young would present a story with music and acting in November/December and would come free of charge. We could sell refreshments. b) Gerry reported that grant applications are time consuming.

15. Date of next meeting: Tuesday, 11th March, 2025, 7pm.

Signed: Dated