



UPWELL HALL 6 NEW ROAD, Upwell, Wisbech

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Meeting held Tuesday 18th May 2021 'Upwell Hall.

Present: Brian Carr, Ros. Shorting, Christine Aston, Rob. Shaw, Mark Elliott, Pat Moat, Paul Williams, Amanda Williams and Charles Martin.

APOLOGIES RECEIVED: Linda Carr, Craig Horwill.

Welcome and apologies received – minutes of previous meeting approved and signed.

MAR: Meeting with Architect Swann Edwards Thursday 20th May @ 9.30am, all invited to attend.

PAUL: reported that an additional fee for a Fire Safety Report – would be £1,000. Grant applications applied for and will apply for further funding once tenders are in.

BRIAN: Nothing to grab attention – Paul informed group that a new door entrance, windows etc., Concrete window sills to be repaired. Ros – needs a sign near Church Bridge to indicate hall, similar to PROW finger boards make it multiuse. Brian Check insulation on roof – Ros thought it had been insulated when new roof.

TREASURERS REPORT: Amanda banked 200 club money £1,098.50, paid BT invoice £287.64. Christine to email BT regarding finish date of contra, Paul reported an increase of personnel BT account.

BAR: Lesley bar manager has emptied out all “drink out of date”, next event would be a Baby shower. Bookers card/account to be set up. Bank credit card is £1,000 limit, Lesley and Paul card holders. Ros had spoken with Lesley and told not to overstock, baby shower Friday and Fenland Wildfowlers 26th June.

HALL MANAGERS REPORT: - Already circulated by Paul.

HALL GARDEN: Conversation between PC. UPFC, new agreement drawn up, Parish Clerk has a copy of plan of the garden, last year PC unhappy with quality of work, Tim Dewdney handyman now cutting once a month £75 a cut or at his discretion including flower bed weeding.

At this point the group physically looked at the garden – Ros suggested removing some containers to make it easier for cutting – group thought it best to move to side, plus leave garden weeds as wild area. Buddleias to be planted when possible. Trees at back to be removed F.O.C. when containers moved. (Date was fixed then a downpour)

FUTURE EVENTS: June 21 – Paul may not happen. Yard sale 26 paid, banner on bridge two weeks before.

200 CLUB: £25 15 Charles Martin.

 £15 124 Margaret Watson

 £12 36 Jack Parlett.

AOB: Charles – flower beds at front of hall – he will replant with summer bedding, Paul suggest Craig to monitor flower beds for waterings.

WEBSITE: Rob request history and photos. Cost for the year would be £148/

Christine – Rob – article for Parish Magazine.

NEXT MEETING: Tuesday 15th June at hall 7.30pm, apologies to Ros by 6pm please.

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