

**THE PARK BENCH  
GENERAL MEETING**

**7.00 Wednesday 24 October 2018**

**Minutes**

**1. Greetings and introductions**

Present at meeting: Heather, Lucy, Michelle, Richard, Andy, Tim & Hannah Mummery, Caring in Bristol

**2. Apologies:** Jenny, Carrie, Stella

**3. Minutes of the last meeting and matters arising**

Minutes of previous meetings have been circulated and are taken as read and approved. Matters arising are dealt with under the appropriate agenda item.

**4. Treasurer's report.**

Richard reported that the balance in the bank account stands at £132.60 at 12 October.

**5. Operations**

Summary Stats for the year to date are attached.

We noted that loans at the Wild Goose have been more frequent of late.

Hannah Mummery, Caring in Bristol, joined us this evening so we can discuss the opportunity to provide a service at St Anne's Shelter.

We agreed we want to be involved in some way with St Anne's but not yet sure exactly how. Hannah has a list of local volunteers who might want to be involved and can invite those interested to contact us through our email address [TheParkBenchBristol@gmail.com](mailto:TheParkBenchBristol@gmail.com).

We will need to visit the site & see how it is run before a final decision on the best way forward and Hannah will invite us over when it is sensible to do that.

We need to nudge progress on the Adult Literacy project at Logos House where it has been left that Dush will need to speak directly with Phoebe from Read Easy. Heather will follow this up with Phoebe and Lucy.

**6. Book Movements**

We seem to need more books at the Wild Goose. We always need more non-fiction, wildlife etc. and National Geographic goes down well at the Wild Goose too.

Heather will do a stock survey of our stored books and assess needs before we get going at St Anne's

**7. Volunteers**

No change. We have enough volunteers at the moment to deliver the service, but see Item 5 above re St Annes.

**8. AOB.**

none, except that we are all grateful for Michelle's hospitality & especially the chocolate brownies.

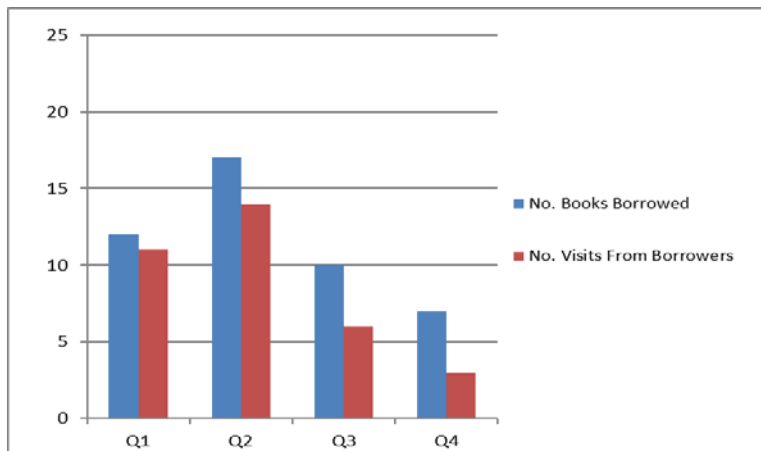
**9. Next meeting**

Our next scheduled meeting will be our AGM, agreed for 7pm 30 January 2019 at the Volunteer Tavern.

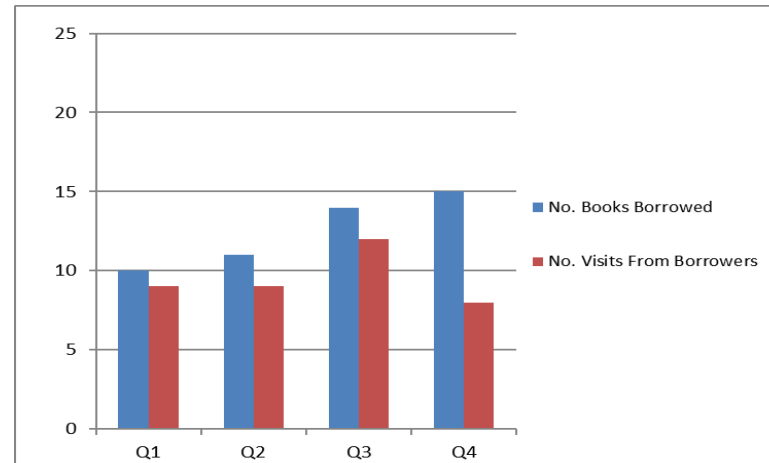
# SUMMARY STATISTICS – TO DATE

## WILD GOOSE

**2018**

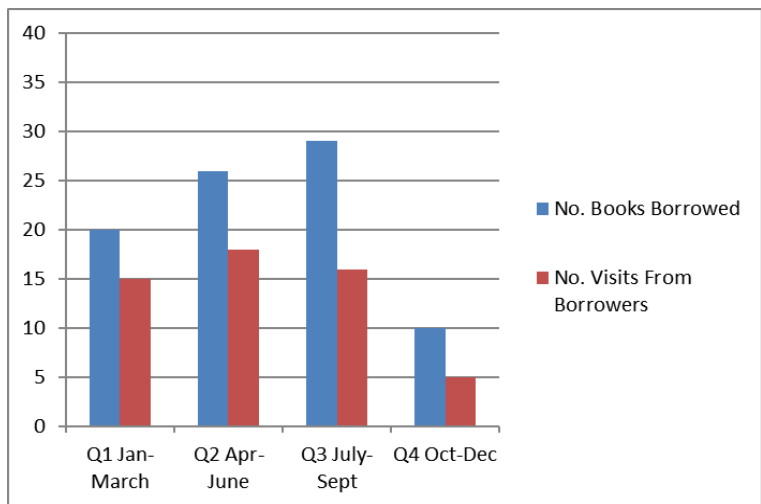


**2017**



## LOGOS HOUSE

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