MINUTES of the ALL PURPOSES COMMITTEE held 22 October 2015 at The Annexe, Euxton PC Community Centre, Euxton.

Present Cllrs J Bamber K Reed

M Bamber A Riggott (Chair)
E Jones M Thornhill

1. Apologies Cllrs M Jarnell, J Prayle, T Reed

Councillor Cook had submitted his resignation from the Committee. Received.

2. Minutes of last Meeting

Resolved: Minutes of the All Purposes Committee held 25 August 2015, Cllr Thornhill's apologies were added and they were agreed to be accurate record of the meeting, signed by the meeting Chairman.

3. Website and Communications

Members were updated that the website had been created and needed members to take a look through the constructed pages to check they are correct and how to fill in the blank pages. Dates will be circulated to get the working group together to go through items, Clerk will circulate the link to the website.

Facebook and Twitter will be reviewed after the work on the website has been started.

Resolved: Members agreed the photo competition winner to be the Malaysian entry, Clerk to contact winners and arrange a photo and prize giving.

4. Volunteer Kits

Resolved: Members agreed to buy a 20 man volunteer kit of pickers, gloves, vests, rings at a cost of approx £475 from budgets 05-7 and 06-5.

5. <u>Christmas Celebrations</u> (Item 5)

Resolved: Members agreed to purchase new Christmas Tree lights, at a cost of £645.

Resolved: Members agreed to book Coppull band to play at the carol singing at £110.

Members agreed that the band, EWMG AND Community Centre could put out collection buckets. Members volunteered to help with the refreshments after the singing.

6. Flower Contract

Resolved: Members agreed the contractor to be G & A Marskell.

7. Grant Applications

Members discussed application in detail.

Resolved: Members agreed to give to Euxton PC Community Centre £800 but to note in the letter to them that, the Committee would look favourably on an application which improved the wi-fi to the rooms as this has been a problem for the Council not having access at meetings which needed it.

The suggestion of financing a defibrillator was referred to the next agenda.

8. War Memorial

An update was given regarding Remembrance Sunday arrangements. A request from the WI was discussed regarding planters, this was referred to Cllr J Bamber to take to the EWMG meeting.

9. Heritage Fund

Resolved: Members agreed to order one Euxton Ornamental sign using budgets 05-9 and 08-3, from Ozzy Wrought Iron at a cost of £365 not fitted, to be installed at the planter opposite the Bay Horse.

10. Other items this Committee can take forward

Clerk to circulate the Grant Policy with its changes.

Cllr Wellerd project of the stone plaque, ask for update.

The seat at the top of School Lane on Pear Tree Lane is to go on the next agenda if CBC is not to replace it.

There being no further general business the Chairman declared the meeting closed.