

MINUTES OF THE U.U.V. MEETING HELD ON 5th DECEMBER 2018 AT THE RAREBIT CENTRE, DEFYNNOG

PRESENT: Sharon Millar, Sian Miller, David Blazer, Julia Blazer, David Howells, Julie Haile, Linda Wickham, Malcolm Liddell, Christopher Spry, Sandra Thomas, Les Williams, Roos Geraedts, Nikki Alderslade, Barry Alderslade, Eryl Liddell, Les Williams, Angharad Loveluck. Hugh McMillan.

WELCOME: Sharon Millar welcomed everyone.

MINUTES OF LAST MEETING: Agreed as correct by those present.

SENNYBRIDGE TOILETS: The Building Regs package, plus drawings, have been submitted. £265 plus VAT is now payable. It is not possible to proceed with building quotes at present. The papers from Powys for asset transfer are still needed.

C.I.C UPDATE: Sian Miller has sent off the information, but there is no feedback as yet. Angharad Loveluck has started on Articles and once these have been completed we will need a professional person who is experienced in C.I.Cs, not just a solicitor or accountant. Rose Geraedts will ask her solicitor if she can advise on this. We also need UUV members who are willing to be directors.

FUTURE PROJECTS:

Malcolm Liddell has had a meeting with NRW. Ash dieback disease is a current problem. Maps of demarcation around USK Reservoir are available. Broadleaf has ready been planted. Malcolm felt that areas not densely planted are of the most interest for biodiversity. He suggested a joint application with Wildlife Trust of S.W. Wales to obtain data on the area, but payment would be needed to carry this out. Christopher Spry suggested that the Woodland Trust were quite a helpful group. Malcolm will contact them. Green Valleys also want to undertake more projects on this side of the National Park.

Litter Pick Date: Sunday 13th January at USK Reservoir, concentrating on the most easily accessible fishing areas. Malcolm will assess area before the visit. Julia Blazer mentioned that Plan B Brecon Litter Pickers might be able to be involved.

WALK LEADER TRAINING: The Swansea date is now full. Nikki Alderslade and Angharad Loveluck are prepared to go on next course.

TOILET ROTA: Sharon Millar asked that if people cannot do their shift that they inform the Whatsapp group and see if somebody can do it for them.

MEMBERSHIP ISSUES: None.

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Additional Keys for Toilets: There are some spare radar keys. People on standby need keys. Rose Geraedts suggested two spare sets - one at Rarebit Centre and one at Glanusk Stores. Les Williams will arrange to get extra keys cut.

Plans for Sennybridge Toilets: Hugh McMillan would like to view the drawings as he was not around at the initial stages of the project.

NEXT MEETING: Wednesday 9th January 2019 at the Shoemakers Arms, Pentrebach at 6.30 pm.