

## Croft Good Neighbours

### Minutes of meeting Wednesday 25 September 2018

6 p.m. The Pavilion, Winston Avenue, Croft

Item	Detail	Action
Attendance	Kath M, Marjie S, Deb S, Janet T, Jean T & Di W	
Apologies	Brian C, Chris G, Geoff B, Janet T, Julie H & Ray A	
Accounts	Janet presented the accounts. All expense have been paid out this year leaving a very healthy balance of £685.46	
Useful contacts sheet	It was agreed that at the moment we don't need to update this as we never refer to it.	
Tasks performed since last meeting 09.05.18	We are on job number 143, so have undertaken 70 tasks in approx 4 months. We discussed the need to fill out and return the second job sheet (Volunteer copy) and it was agreed we did not need to keep them BUT Deb did say we need to make sure that volunteers disposed of information correctly - Data protection and confidentiality issues.	
AOB		
Happy Circle	Di asked if any volunteers would be willing to go to a Happy Circle meeting to prepare rolls and cakes for their lunch, Thursday PM. Some of the Happy Circlers have used our services and it might encourage others to. Di to sort details with Maureen Collins. Di will let everyone know when dates have been agreed.	Diane
FUNDRAISING/EXPANDING CGNS	We have a healthy bank balance but those present agreed we still need to keep our 'presence' within the village. We need to book a stall at the Church Autumn Fare, 24 <sup>th</sup> November, Di to book a table (£10.00) Deb has some brown paper bags – it was agreed we would spend a little money for prizes to go in these bags, 25 adult, 25 children's – Jean and Di will get suitable prize items. Kath will decorate bags to make them look 'festive'. We will sell a bag for £1.00.	ALL Di Jean & Di Kath

	<p>The Croft Players are NOT doing a Christmas Cracker event this year – they are putting on a show 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov - wartime themed variety show – we offered our help, if needed, to Bev Slaney.</p> <p>Discussed ideas about where we could put the banner - nothing definite decided.</p> <p>We should contact media next time we ‘do’ something – Litter pick etc – get a bit of publicity for CGNS.</p> <p>Di mentioned a scheme called The Lightbulb Project–Over 2,300 residents from across Leicestershire have been helped to remain independent in their own home. Residents can find out about the project by visiting <a href="http://www.leicestershire.gov.uk/adult-social-care-and-health">www.leicestershire.gov.uk/adult-social-care-and-health</a> or calling 0116 305 0004. Worth keeping this in mind as could be helpful for our service users.</p>	
New volunteer	Kathleen Carey – just waiting for confirmation of DBS check.	
Next Meeting	THURSDAY November 15 at 6 p.m. in the Pavilion – mainly to fill the ‘PRIZE’ bags.	