

Mickleover Library User Group
Minutes
Thursday 20 December 2007
5pm to 7pm

1. Introduction and welcome

Martyn Rothwell

2. Attendance

Jane Buckley, Carmel Canavan, Jean Craggs, Maggie Hird, Mick Hird, Gerald Towers, Millie Guyler, Evelyn Johnson, Jenny Shaw, Jo Greenway, Sue Jones, Maureen Carruthers

3. Apologies

Sue Walker, Julie Topham, Susanne Jones, Kath Ratcliff

4. Accuracy of minutes

Apologies to Sue Jones whose attendance was not accurately recorded.

5. Matters arising from previous minutes:

Update on yellow lines (Maggie Hird) –to be completed
Licences (Julie Topham) –to be addressed at another meeting

6. Ideas for activities

MLUG quiz

February 27th – 7.30pm to 9.30pm

Gerald to devise questions

Mike to be question master

Jane – fish and chips

Carmel – poster in library

Jenny will advertise on multiscreen

Jenny will hold list in library

Carmel to invite a team from Derwent group

BYO + glass

Prizes –

7 Main agenda

7.1 Focus group Martyn Rothwell

Bactive team.

Aim – develop physical activity in the Mickleover area

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Main focus – 16+

Action so far

- Consulted residents to ascertain priorities
- Piloted Bactive work at Brookfield school – engaged whole school community – hoping to involve the parents further
- Mapped what is on in the area and what venues are available

Future action

- Identify groups to work with – e.g. who might ask for Salsa
- Identify what to promote
- Hoping there will be an event at the Community Centre – Chairobics

Issues

- Space
- Expense – charges are realistic but the venues have to be paid for

Further action

Jo expressed interest in walking programme (city wide initiative). There is walk leader training. Next course – January 30th. Jo will attend. Bactive offers insurance.

A meeting point would be needed – Library would make an excellent meeting point. This would make an ideal family activity.

Website Bactive.Derby.co.uk

Email martyn.rothwell@derby.gov.uk

6.2 Debrief craft day (Maggie Hird and Jo Greenway)

This was a very good day. Next year it should be held a week or two earlier. Time of day should be shorter. Children should be accompanied. Catherine Hird worked indefatigably all day – many thanks.

6.3 Debrief on coffee morning (Millie Guyler)

This was also good.

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6.4 Dates for future coffee mornings

February 7th

March 6th

April 3rd

May 1st

June 5th

July 3rd

September 4th

October 2nd

November 6th

December 4th

Timing of coffee mornings – to be changed from 10.30am to 11.30am.

Jo will put up her poster a week before the coffee morning

We can use the flipchart

6.5 Library calendar

Next year is the national year of reading

Jenny will get us a calendar of events

July 12th – the library's first birthday party.

6.6 Photographic competition

Decided that it should coincide with birthday.

My Mickleover

Photos to be brought from May

Things to be finalised at another meeting

8 Any other business

Carmel to investigate funding from Derbyshire Community Foundation