

# Minutes of Henley Allotments' Association Committee Meeting 9th March 2020

Present: David Chilvers, Doug Richards, Mandy Taylor, Peter Anderson, Sharon Oldham, Tony

Robinson

1. Apologies for Absence: none

2. Minutes of the last meeting: passed as correct

- 3. Matters arising from previous minutes/ outstanding action points: attached sheet
- 4. Matters outstanding/action points: attached sheet

# 5. Treasurer's report:

- HTC NAS refund requested
- Approval for new bank account signatory (Sharon Secretary) requested Agreed by Committee
- Recent accounts show balance of £3642.22

### 5. Secretary's report:

- Seed Swap in conjunction with Greener Henley & Parks Dept held on 7<sup>th</sup> March possibility aired of holding another GQT, or getting an HSL/Garden Organic speaker – to discuss with Dave McEwan
- David Cook has expressed an interest in joining the committee
- Plot holders have expressed disappointment that manure supply is being discontinued. Mick Blackall's details to be given to arrange personal deliveries.
- New process for site structures agreed:
  - Applicant for shed, polytunnel, greenhouse, etc contacts Site Manager
  - Site Manager/applicant meeting completes checklist ensuring all site issues are covered
  - Completed checklist sent to HTC for approval
  - Size restrictions: 6'x4' shed; 10'x15' polytunnel. No non-commercial structures allowed.

#### 6. Greencroft:

- All plots taken; one on waiting list; one evicted
- Some issues with sheds against neighbour's shed Mandy dealing
- Some pallets to be sent from Waternams

# 7. Watermans:

- One plot size/position disputed; plots 67,68,69 not to be let until 68 is relinquished (summer) then area to be re-measured.
- Inspection 17<sup>th</sup> March
- All plots taken; none on waiting list; two evicted
- Parks tree survey done
- More scalpings to be supplied
- South perimeter: pile of 'dirty' soil to be removed; areas to be smoothed and weeds killed then seeded with grass

- 8. Website & Publicity:
  - Website needs updating
- 9. AOB:
  - Plant sale 6<sup>th</sup> June
- 10. Date of next meetings:  $6^{th}$  April;  $18^{th}$  May;  $13^{th}$  July