Meeting: 14 February 2019

Present: Mags, Lucy, Wilma, Laura, Jackie

AGM – accounts complete, annual report to put together. Date confirmed as 14 March 2019. Red Lion Hotel.

Xmas Meal - agreed 22 February at Red Lion.

Facebook/Website – new page now sent to all Facebook EDCT group members to invite to like the page. Posts to appear on both pages initially. Website receive very positive feedback, community groups have been asked if want to appear on website. Church newsletter to include info on website.

Community Action Plan Theme 3 – meeting held 23 January minutes to be published.

Theme 2 – February meeting to be confirmed.

Theme 1 – Awaiting feedback from SBC regarding funding for Primary School.

Community Facility – Mags to contact Newtown Community Wing, discussion followed regarding consultation and needs of the community.

Events:

Big Lunch idea discussed, dates suggested 1st or 2nd June.

Community Day – possible date 8th September, confirmed Border Pet Rescue had no plans that weekend. Discussed revamp putting info on social media to ask for ideas – current ideas discussed: silent disco, more food – fish & chip van, no bikes, big attraction, obstacle course, raffle prizes. More discussions to be had.

Easter Bike Relay – Mags to contact Trevor to check his availability.

Orchard Town Project – Mags gave details on the trees that had been lifted at the Cauldie, Scottish Water confirmed they would replace the trees.

Public Toilets - SBC confirmed no plans at the moment to close public toilets.

Community Lottery - discussed funding ideas, can be run in the village by direct debit for residents, 50% winnings, 50% to community projects. Could use house number and post code for draw, agreed good idea.

Next Meeting - 14 March 7.30 pm Red Lion - AGM