

1st PARK STREET SCOUT GROUP

**MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING HELD AT THE SCOUT HUT
ON MONDAY 5 MARCH 1984**

PRESENT: ANN HARDY, LIS CUMMINS, CHRIS ABINGTON,
JEAN GOULD, STAN & HAZEL BIRCH, ANNA &
MIKE COX, STEVE REES, NIGEL CARRUTHERS,
MIKE TURNER, MIKE FLACK.

1 **APOLOGIES:** None.

2 **MINUTES OF LAST MEETING:**

Agreed with an amendment to item 6 : D Davidson should read D Davis.

3 **MATTERS ARISING**

.1 Concrete Path - no further progress, however, Mike Flack is to approach the YOP team.

.2 Hut Painting: - now in progress by YOPs. Patrol boxes can also be painted if required, with each leader providing necessary paint. Anna Cox to contact guides to establish whether their cupboard in the hut is still needed.

.3 Christmas Dinner - enjoyed very much at The Three Hammers.

4 **FUND RAISING COMMITTEE**

Disco held on 22/2/84 raised £46.65p.

Barn Dance 10/3/84 - venue changed to Park Street School.

Jumble Sale on 24/3/84 - help needed.

Raffle - a first prize was to be purchased.

Newsletter to parents going out shortly.

Summer Market 23/6/84 at Town Hall.

Sports & Bar-B-Que evening might take place on 12 or 19 May at Park Street School.

5 **TREASURER'S REPORT**

C/A £395.18p. D/A £539.43p. Cash in Hand £5.85p.

The sum of £500 had been transferred from C/A to D/A.

Capitation Fee to pay - approximately £6 per head. (List of names and addresses needed by Mike Cox).

Income expected: Toddler Time, Birch Pack, Scouts.

Homewood School paid at the beginning of term £3 for 1½ hrs. They have used the hut each Tuesday and Thursday afternoon up to half term and now use it also on a Wednesday and Friday.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

.1 Mr Davis, would not be using our mini-bus, as the insurance position becomes rather complicated - therefore, this rules out useage by other groups.

.2 Cuprinol - not yet purchased.

.3 Venture Unit - Mike Turner

Now Named "OLD PARKYE VENTURE SCOUT UNIT"

£550 had been received from the Parish Council towards initially the VUs 'Peak Assault'. Purchases made include: four specialist tents, two summer tents, six rucsacs, lamp, two stoves, flag and two tea pots! All this equipment will stand the group as a whole in good stead.

VU, held a 'seconds' sale (M & S) last Saturday and raised £50, however, this could have been more if the whole range of goods had been available. Also possibly the fact that it was held on a Saturday a few people expected it to be the usual Scout Saturday jumble sale. About 120 people attended. Almost certainly will hold another one next year (?) - probably on a week night.

.4 Mike Turner, outlined to the committee a draft letter it was proposed to forward to local Companies, together with an accompanying booklet, outlining the aims of 'their' local VU and enquiring if they would wish to be associated/support the local VU. The committee as a whole agreed that this letter should go to local companies only taking a boundary up to the Little Chef. Nigel, congratulated the VU on an excellent idea.

.5 The Parish Council, would like to receive a report from the VU on their Peak Assault Project, as would the Park Street Residents Association Newsletter.

.6 Lis Cummins, read to the meeting a letter which accompanied the £550 cheque from the Parish Council, asking for help in clearing Greenwood Park football pitch of flint stones, following numerous football accidents and hence now rendering the pitch unuseble. An agreed date was set at 15 April 1984 and Lis Cummins was to convey this date to the Parish Council and ascertain the equipment we would need to bring. It was understood from the Parish Council letter that the pitch would be m^{ark}ed out in sections by their own staff.

.7 It was agreed the following could be purchased:- Guy Lines (Steve Rees), New Football £13-15 (David Ward), 2 Mop Heads and 2 Broom Heads.

.8 Cub Football, David Ward, will be giving up at the end of next year(?) and hoped that somebody would be willing to work with him and eventually take over.

.9 Van Head Light needs looking at - could VU help ?

.10 Ann to write advising hut users that owing to District Council Elections on the 3 May and Euro Elections on the 14 June, the hut would not be available for use. At the same time Ann to enquire whether the guide leader (Mrs Virji) would wish to use the van in future, stating that this point needs to be clarified for insurance purposes..

.11 1984 AGM this would take place on the 11 June at 8.15pm followed by cheese and wine refreshments.

7 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

14 May 1984, 8.15pm.

Meeting closed at 9.45pm.

Eustace M. Cairns
CHAIRMAN

Ann Hardy
SECRETARY

