



Registered Charity Number 1070462

General meeting of Better Braybrooke on Tuesday, 13th September 2011

Present:

Peter Messett, Marion Messett, Godfrey Daniel, Dominic Sabetian, Trevor Goodwin, Robin Holmes, Lin Holmes, Nigel Gossling, Nick Hennessy, Peter Wales and Graham Crane, and for the police panel PC Vicky Sykes and PCSO Rob Sears.

Apologies: Judy Cubison, Jocelyn Tilbrook, Barry Lovell and Helen Gossling

Police Panel

PC Vicky Sykes and PCSO Rob Sears ran the Police Panel. They reported back on previous issues and captured member's issues for the next period. For further information, please see the Police Web site @ <http://www.sussex.police.uk/>. To find local information enter your post code in the "Find a team or police station" box on the left. They were thanked, especially Rob who turned up even though it was his day off.

Better Braybrooke General Meeting

1. Welcome

Peter welcomed everyone to the meeting and thanked them for coming.

2. Confirmation of minutes for last meeting

The minutes from the last meeting were accepted as an accurate record.

3. Chair's Report

- i) Volunteers from the Better Braybrooke committee and membership had spent the evening of the 14th July clearing up the Pocket Park. Children from the area joined in enthusiastically. The park looked a lot better as a result and several local residents expressed their thanks. Peter thanked everyone for their efforts and HBC for arranging for all the rubbish to be collected.
- ii) The signs for the two Twittens to be named, "Langham Walk" between Baldslow Road and The Langham pub, and "Fox Walk" between Lower Park Road and Amherst Road, had been made and would be put up shortly.
- iii) The grit bins had been ordered and would be put in place before the winter.

4. Treasurer's Report

- i) Trevor handed out a statement of Better Braybrooke's finances and read through his report. He was thanked for his excellent report.

5. Talk on Rangers Service by Nick Hennessy

Nick Hennessy, from the Hastings Borough Council Ranger Service, gave a very interesting talk on the history and role of the rangers. See http://www.hastings.gov.uk/community_living/places_spaces_facilities/allotments_parks_beaches/rangers_arboriculture_grounds/ for more details.

6. Any other business

None.

7. Raffle

We then held the raffle and closed the meeting.

8. Future Meetings

The last meeting in 2011 had been arranged for 13th December

All meetings were at Sherwood House. They start at 7.00pm with the Police Panel. The Better Braybrooke meetings start at 7:30pm