

Ewhurst Local Environment Action People

Meeting Notes

10th September 2019

Notes of the LEAP meeting held on Tuesday 10th September 2019 at Joanna's house.

At the meeting were: Joanna Cadman, Eddie Breeveld, Richard Sellwood and Claire McGill (Secretary).

Apologies: Jenny Lewis

Matters Arising

- Treasurer's Report

Amount in Bank = £ 1214.67

Debits:

First Aid Kit Water = £ 11.28

Website Costs = £ 67.19

Balance = £ 1136.20

- Ancillary Items:

- Change of signatory still to be changed – initially Claire McGill and then Jenny Lewis added as back up signatories – form filled in by Claire and awaiting Bank's action - **Action: Eddie/Bank**

- Clerk of the Council still Joanna – no need to send separate minutes.

- Jenny Beer had 3 pairs of shears, which have been kindly donated to LEAP.

- LEAP Website:

- It was thought that a link could be made to LEAP from the Parish Council Website – **Action: Eddie/Joanna**

- LEAP Facebook page – decision was taken not to go ahead with this.

- Footpaths and Litter Pick

- 5th October 2019 – footpath between School and Village Hall, leading to steps, to be cleared and, if possible, scrub cut back to improve view of road.

- Ponds

- 2nd November 2019 – pond and surrounds to be cleared.

- 7th December 2019 – final clear up round pond

- It was suggested that wild flower seeds could be sown by the pond and the area temporarily fenced off. Parish Council to be asked – **Action: Joanna**

- Parish Council also to be asked if dead tree could be cleared and brambles cut back – **Action: Joanna/Eddie**

- Richard suggested information boards on wildflowers/wildlife be placed by the ponds – to be discussed next year with Jessica - **Action: Richard**

- Recycling Day

- This went well and it was decided to continue Recycling Day + Plant Sale on an annual basis.

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- LEAP Social
 - It was thought that a social event to promote LEAP would be a good idea. Drinks and small eats – 7.30pm at Glebe Centre. Claire to draft email invitation - **Action: Joanna/Eddie/Claire**
 - Parish Council to be informed of all LEAP working parties – **Action: Eddie**

- Dates agreed for 2019/20:
 - Saturday 5th October – Footpath clearance between Village Hall and School
 - Saturday 2nd November – pond and surrounds to be cleared.
 - Saturday 7th December – final clear up round pond
 - Saturday 4th January – No meeting
 - Saturday 1st February – Footpath clearance

- Next Meeting: 14th January 2020 – **Action: Claire**