

Ewhurst Local Environment Action People

Meeting Notes

18th April 2022

Notes of the LEAP meeting held on Tuesday 18th April 2023.

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

Apologies: James Bloomfield, Joanna Cadman

Matters Arising

- Treasurer's Report

Amount in Bank May 2022 £ 1020.63

Credits: £ 300.00 grant from Parish Council

£ 400.00 from Surrey County Council

Debits £ 99.30 (banners **Joanna**)

£ 385.00 (**Eddie/Richard** - First Aid Course at Headley)

Balance = £ 921.49

- Ancillary Items:

- Gazebo still needs repairing – **Action: Eddie/Richard**
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- Village Hall Project

- For safety and other reasons, planters have been removed – Joanna to check whether wood can be reused – **Action: Joanna**
- Planters were oiled.

- Solar Streets

- 4 houses in Cranleigh and Ewhurst have participated - not enough to be eligible for discount.
- Solar panels difficult to obtain.
- Campaign still to continue – **Action: Alice**

- Footpaths

- Footpath coming up from Cobblers Brook has been cleared.
- First path between Wykehurst Lane and Coneyhurst Lane has also been cleared.

- Pond and Surroundings

- Top of compost needs to be moved during Autumn/Winter. **Action: Eddie**
- 2 spare bins for clay and soil – one is empty and could be used for compost. Put 'Compost' label on empty one and 'Clay & Soil' on the other – **Action: Joanna**
- Inform Horticultural Society of spare compost – **Action: Joanna**

- Big Help Out Day

- Remainder of the Woodland Trust trees (30-40) to be planted on the Recreation Ground – **Action: Eddie/James**
- Claire to do solo Litter Pick on the Ockley Road – **Action: Claire**

- Bring & Take Morning
 - Not this year as Ewhurst Carnival taking place.
 - Last year, rubbish was still brought down to the Rec despite efforts to prevent this happening and was not as well attended as in the past.
 - Consider whether worthwhile for next year – **Action: All**
- Sayers Croft Garden for the Disabled
 - It was suggested LEAP could become involved with this initiative.

AOB

- Dates agreed for 2023:
 - **Monday 8th May** – Big Help Out Day
 - **Saturday 3rd June** – Possible Himalayan Balsam bashing
 - **Saturday 1st July** - Rest
 - **Saturday 5th August** – Ewhurst Carnival
 - **Saturday 2nd September** - Cutting back footpaths
 - **Saturday 1st October** – Pond and Compost
 - **Saturday 4th November** – Pond and Compost
- Next Meeting: TBA – **Action: Claire**