

Chester World Development Forum

Minutes of Committee Meeting held on Tuesday 30 May 2023, 7:30pm at Annie's



- 1 **Welcome:** TG chaired the meeting
Present: TG, JT, BP, GM, LC and AM
- 2 **Minutes and matters arising**
 - Committee meeting 01 May:
 - JT checked with Steve Hughes re speaking at AGM
 - Reports for AGM completed
 - JT has contacted Sam Dixon re 13 July and suggested topics for her talk plus sent her a copy of the annual report
 - JT has confirmed with Peter Speirs regarding Quaker speakers for our November meeting
 - Forum Meeting 09 May: Minutes are work in progress, as there are some issues which may need input from all – eg HyNet Project.
- 3 **Finance update**

No further monies have come in as far as John knows. He should get bank statement when Unity Centre pays in the cheque from our AGM.
- 4 **Website/Social Media update:**

BP is keeping the events page up-to-date and has managed to compress the information on the play “The Mistake” to be put on in Wesley in September.
- 5 **Future CWDF meetings events:**

13 July: Sam Dixon - what issues do we want her to speak about? Suggest that it would be useful to have something more specific on Labour policies concerning the “climate crisis”. Perhaps she could give her thoughts on the differences between Council work and being an MP.

19 September: Gill Miller - “Dealing with Disease - the role of global institutions and local players”.

14 November: Final Meeting - Peter Speirs and Philip Austin – Quaker work for peace plus a celebration of 30 Years of CWDF.
- 6 **Events with Eco Communities on 17 June**

TG and AM will set up at 9:45 and do early stint, and BP will do later stint.
AM will send note for JT to send out asking for volunteers to help out.

23 September Green Event in Grosvenor Park – decision as to whether we take part in this event to be made at the next committee meeting.
- 7 **Diary update**

JT will circulate later in the week.
- 8 **Arrangements for next email and surface mail circulations**

Diary will go out by the end of the week; minutes of the AGM to go out later.
- 9 **AOB**

Cafod's campaign “Seeds for All” – **AM will get her notes and letter ready for the meeting on 13 July.**
- 10 **Arrangements for next Committee meeting**

Monday 3 July 2023, 7:30pm at John's.