

Battle Health Pathway Project Group

Minutes of the meeting of the Battle Health Pathway Project Group held in The Almonry on 20th June 2019 at 1.30 pm.

Present: Sue Burton, Meg Beckett, John Boryer, Vikki Cook, Glenna Favell and Caroline Would (Battle Town Council)

Welcome and Apologies

Apologies were received from Dale Wheeler.

Minutes from previous meeting

The minutes from the meeting on 11th April 2019 were reviewed.

Matters arising not on today's agenda

The collection box at Jempsons has been renovated.

DW has another contact at Optivo.

M&S only allow bag packs for their chosen charities.

The new contact at the Lottery Reaching Communities has responded that it would be better not to combine the applications for the café and the Health Pathway.

JB has postponed his fundraising coffee morning

SB has not had a response from B&L School regarding possible fundraising

Fran doesn't have capacity to make applications to potential local funders currently.

The Girl Guides may not take advantage of their Charitable Status to fundraise for a part of BHP.

Photos are still in the Deli

Project update

There are no changes to the plans.

The Fit for Battle Working Group recommended that BTC select Clark and Kent to provide the pump track.

The Lottery Reaching Communities Application remains positive and will be contacted again when the cost of the Pathway is known.

Update from Battle Town Council.

BTC accepted the recommendation from the Fit for Battle Working Group to accept, in principle, the quote from Clark and Kent for grant funding purposes.

The tenders for the Pathway will be opened on 1st July 2019 by the Town Clerk in the presence of SB from BHP and GF from BTC. Each tender will be assessed against criteria recorded on customised forms.

Account update and income. Outstanding funding sources

Total £18,793

REG – still no response.

Sussex Lund – we should expect a decision in July.

Hastings Round Table – an application for £5k will be submitted

New funding sources and applications

SB will make an initial contact with The Source. It may be possible to hire the facility for an event and charge a little extra for BHP or perhaps even have a session free of charge.

Forthcoming fundraising events

Coffee morning in Netherfield has been postponed

Coffee Morning at the Nationwide is arranged for 1st July.

- Cakes are needed,
- GF will provide name badges for MB and CW,
- VC will cover 12.00 to 13.30 and
- MB will attend from 13.00 to 14.30.

Run on the Rec will take place on 16th August.

- VC will organise a children's tombola,
- VC will organise the refreshments,
- Helen Baker will provide a craft activity,
- A number of 'face makers' are required.

1066 Country Ride will take place on 18th August.

- Representatives from BTC are requested to distribute medals.
- MB will do refreshments for the Ride and the Ramblers.
- Suggestions for shops who may donate vouchers would be welcome.

Super-circuits will hopefully also take place on 18th August. SB to check with Debbie.

Ramblers will finish their walk in the Rec on 18th August

Muddy Toddle will be arranged by VC

Street collection is being arranged by VC for 7th September.

- It may be possible to ask for assistance from the RAFAC and/or the Guides.
- Collectors can park at the Church.
- DW, if available, could hand out and receive the collection receptacles.

There will be a table at the 1066 Cycling Festival

Cycling Treasure Hunt by 1066 Cycle Club

Family Film event on 16th November

Publicity

Run on the Rec should go on Rother Alerts.

Next Steps

DW to chase Optivo

SB to monitor REG application

SB to check whether Super Circuits will happen

SB & DW to request £5k from Hastings Round Table

VC to arrange a Muddy Toddle

VC to arrange street collection in September (7th Sep between 9.30 and 13.30)

JB to organise a coffee morning

SB to contact The Source

GF to provide name badges for MB and CW

ALL to provide tombola prizes for Run on the Rec

ALL to suggest shops/businesses that could donate vouchers as prizes for 1066 Country Ride

AOB

JB will write the minutes of BHP meetings in future – thank you, John!

Time and date of next meeting

Thursday, 5th September 2019 at 14.30