

# WEST CHRISTCHURCH RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

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Committee Meeting Minutes

Hall on the Hill: 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2015 at 7.30 pm

In these minutes: ACRA=Affiliation of Christchurch Residents Associations; ARC=Amphibian and Reptile Conservation (previously known as HCT=Herpetological Conservation Trust); CBC=Christchurch Borough Council; CED=Christchurch and East Dorset; CQC=Care Quality Commission; DCC=Dorset County Council; DPCC=Dorset Police and Crime Commissioner; DWP=Dorset Waste Partnership; EDDC=East Dorset District Council; FOSCH=Friends of St Catherine's Hill; HENRA=Hengistbury Head RA; NE=Natural England; PC=Parish Council; RA=Residents Association; SBW=Sembcorp Bournemouth Water; SSSI=Site of Special Scientific Interest (Town Common and St Catherine's Hill for example); TPO=Tree Preservation Order; WCRA=West Christchurch RA; WW=Wessex Water

1. **Present:** Chairman Jim Biggin; David Barnett; Maureen Biggin; Sue Fotheringham; Chris Gordon; Malcolm Green;
2. **Apologies for absence:** Steve Roberts;
3. **Minutes of last meeting:** The minutes of August 2015 were approved
4. **Treasurer's Report:** David Barnett reported that to date income now exceeded expenditure by £43.98 whilst assets stood at £7663.86.
5. **Public Liability Insurance:** in order to comply with the terms and conditions of our Public Liability Insurance we have contacted the Treasurer of The Hall on the Hill and he has confirmed that they do have their own Public Liability insurance
6. **Membership:** Maureen Biggin reported that: Suffolk Avenue has been collected.
7. **Collectors:** Maureen Biggin reported one new recruit for 2016 in Endfield Close
8. **ACRA:** David Barnett reported on the last Airport Consultative Group, minutes of which are on the website [www.wcresidents.co.uk](http://www.wcresidents.co.uk) . It was felt that the decision by the police to enforce the no stopping zone outside the airport whilst ignoring other parking violations in and around Christchurch was wrong in principle
9. **Hall on the Hill:** Malcolm Green had nothing to report
10. **The Fozard Affair:** Jim Biggin reported that after discussions with ACRA Chairman Mike Collard and local Hospital Trust Representative Derek Chaffy a letter had been sent by ACRA to the Hospital Trust Representatives outlining local concerns over the handling of this issue. A reply is awaited.
11. **Planning Issues:** Malcolm Green reported that the **31 Clarendon Road** application had been granted and a new one behind **49 Clarendon Road** has been submitted. **The Crooked Beams** have submitted a revised scheme.
12. **St Catherine's Hill Management Plan:** Chris Gordon had nothing to report
13. **New School at Marsh Lane:** Jim Biggin reported that a reply to our letter to Councillor Robert Gould dated 9<sup>th</sup> July had been received and had been distributed via our August newsletter together with our comment. Also, there has been a change in personnel in the DCC team and he has established contact with the new person.
14. **Autumn Printed Newsletter:** the draft was approved for printing
15. **Autumn Meeting Poster:** the draft was approved for printing. Malcolm Green will let Jim Biggin know how many to print

16. **Ward Budgets:** it was felt that the provision of defibrillators might be sensible expenditure under this initiative
17. The meeting closed at 8.30pm. Next formal committee meeting is on **Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2015 at 7.30pm**, at the Hall on the Hill