

Minutes Oxenhope Millennium Green Fete Committee Meeting 23rd September 2013

Present. Jeremy Mackrell (Chair), Pauline Bedford, Andrew Collinson, Anne Collinson, Celia Holmes, Chris Coupland, Margaret Hindley, Ken Eastwood, Richard Berry, and Tony Jones.

Apologies. Jan Berry, Arthur Leng, Sarah and Neal Brown.

1. Fete 2013

1.1. The report written for Outreach by Anne Brown on this year's Fete, was well received and her efforts were appreciated.

1.2. The concern over lack of tables and chairs were not realised, and sufficient were available.

1.3. There had been a poor response for the fancy dress and children's cake making, suggesting that these may be dropped from future Fetes. The lack of response from the school had been overcome by Nigel's efforts.

1.4. A profit of £1080.34 was made, notably from the plant stall, raffle and programmes.

2. Fete 2014

2.1. Due to the "Tour de France" next year's Fete would be held on Saturday 28th June 2014. Unfortunately, due to this change of date Richard and Chris would not be available.

2.2. The following suggestions were made:-

Tug of War to be continued, with the Fell Runners offering a Team.

Action Celia/Tony.

Possible Children's bike race.

Action Ken

Archers had indicated a presence.

Action Tony

Raffle which will be organised by Chris, winning tickets to be published in Keighley News, Millennium Notice Board and Co-op.

Action Chris

Graham Smith who did the announcing in 2012, to be contacted for 2014.

Action Tony

A good activity for the arena as a main event is required, suggestion Police Dogs?

Check to be made that we have sufficient safety tape.

Action Margaret

At the subsequent Trustees Meeting Ken advised that children had been seen walking across the weir on Fete day and this should be patrolled future events.

Action Trustees

Meeting closed at 8.10 pm, next meeting Mouldgreave 7.30pm 24th February 2014