

CORSHAM TWINNING ASSOCIATION
Minutes of Meeting held on 01-06-15

1. **Present:** Roger Fido (RF), Jane Gater (JG), Matt Wingrave (MW), Sue Wingrave (SW), Joy Wingrave (JW), Margaret Smith (MS), Lindon Collins (LC), Maurice Hancock (MH), Christine Bastow (CBw), Sally Fletcher (SF), Keith Stephens (KS)

2. **Apologies:** Maggie Rayner (MR), Felicity Hurlow-Jones (FHJ), Charles Boyle (CBo),

3. **Minutes of 11-05-15 meeting** - agreed with no comments.

4. Matters arising:

- a. Membership: Tony Reiley has passed away recently. Charles & Graham attended his funeral. Membership database to be updated. **Action: SW**
- b. Further new leaflets are needed for committee members. The cost needs to be claimed. There was little or no return from advertising through the junior schools so they will not be distributed there again. **Action: SW**
- c. RF confirmed that the Chair's Chain can be amended to 1 plaque per chair to reduce from 35 to 12. These are now being amended for collection 19-06-15.
- d. Subs update - All members for 2015 have now paid. There are 116 members on the database listed as 64 entries.

5. Events:

- a. Following the BBQ 3343.52 was banked with all expenses out.
- b. 13th June 2015 - Wine tasting at RF's home. 18.30 arrival with a cost of £10.00 per person. Advert to be sent out. MH to help putting up the gazebo on Fri am. RF to ask Mark Campbell too. Help to take the gazebo down on Sun pm will also be needed. Advert to be sent to all members including a request to bring a chair and raffle prizes. CB & SW to run the raffle on the evening.
- c. 20th June 2015: Armed Forces Day. FHJ booked a table under a shared gazebo. JG, MH & SF offered to help man the stall. £20 to be spent on nibbles to offer to passers by. **Action: JG to supply these**
- d. 11th July 2015: Boules Competition. 18:30 at The Queens Head in Box. £1.00 per head with teams of 4 to be made up on the night.

6. Visit October 2015:

RF visited Berkleys Coaches & reported that the coach is pristine with toilet & drink facilities. 300 cups for coffee & tea have been ordered. There are 53 seats with 46 members booked, giving spare seats for the Friday day trip.

Mark Fisher, Travel Agent has maps for the stop over in Amiens. Copy of map to be sent to each family going. Suggested restaurant list to be translated by MS & returned to RF. Depart Amiens 12.30pm with an expected arrival in Jargeau at 17.00. **Action: MS**

MH to ask if we can park in the senior school as we will be leaving from the Community Centre.
Action: MH

RF to request Emergency Contact details for each family. One copy to be taken with us and the other left with Ann Fido. **Action: RF**

Gift to Corsham groups have gone to Jargeau Court, St Patricks, Regis & Corsham Primary. CB to give RF details to contact the Scouts to see what they would like.

7. **Treasurer's Report:** Balance is £9421.20. Of this, £5,155 is deposits for Jargeau and £4266.20 belongs to the committee. 1 bill for the new twinning leaflet is outstanding.

8. AOB

Poster to go up in the Town Hall. JW to pass to the office & email too. **Action: JW**

9. **Next Meeting: Monday 6th July 2015 at The Corsham Club from 7.30pm**