

Minutes from General Meeting on 4th February 2016

1. Present: Catherine Hesmer, Paula Chapman, Emma Beardshaw, Sharon Minter, Grace Dorn and Sammie Taylor.
2. Apologies: Joan Hesmer, Richard Chapman
3. Minutes agreed by Emma, seconded by Paula.
Waitrose green token scheme has been applied for in Hailsham and Eastbourne. We have also applied for ASDA at Eastbourne.
February talent show has been changed to a children's quiz.
April bag packing has been booked for the 3rd April at Tesco Bexhill.
June jumble sale needs to be organised.
Bank to be notified of Grace's change of name now she has marriage certificate.
Fort fun now booked for June 18th
7 day reminders for members re payments is not feasible.
4. The word "/or" to be removed from the statement on website etc. Sharon to send out emails to all members to explain what that means. See agenda. We will also remind members places are non-transferable.
5. Swimming and coach trips, all people pay regardless of age. Days out will be determined by the venue. Most general activities are from 18 months, excluding those with their own specific age range.
6. Insert "in addition to our ratios, members must also make sure they are up to date and abiding by the ratios and rules each swimming pool has" into our code of conduct. Sharon to update and email out the additions.
7. Bexhill Lions Club has granted us £500 towards PGL trip. We are still waiting for Bexhill Rotary about additional funding for PGL.
Sponsored walk – we need to notify paper, also contact boots and ask them about advertising and sponsorship. Shoes and mobility aids only. Bright/Neon colours.
Coast now has a collection tin on their bar.
Jumble sale hopefully either 11th or 25th June
Lottery funding will be applied for in March
Raffle prizes are being collected.
Asda bag pack – Sammie to look into possibility after next meeting as we will have dates available then.
Emma to check with Tesco about use of a table.
27th June Georgeena Hesmer will be doing work experience with us ending 1st July
Andrew Cain from AAH pharmaceuticals is looking into supporting SKB as their charity for the year.
8. Rules around overnight trips – we will still have a deposit and balance to be paid, but will reduce the amount of time to approx. 8 weeks.
Black marks change from payments only to any breaches of the code of conduct. Any breach will result in a black mark. If 3 black marks are issued members may have their membership revoked. If no re-offending it will be reviewed after Easter, summer and Christmas holidays. They (black marks) will be removed.
Non-member prices to be advertised for the events but non-members only allowed at trustee discretion and when requested in advance.
9. Next meeting is AGM 14th April 7.30pm at 1 Constable way, Bexhill TN40 2UH