



Wombwell Ward Alliance meeting notes

15th Jan 5.30pm Wombwell Cemetery Community Hub

1. Present - Cllr Brenda Eastwood (Chair), Cllr James Higginbottom, Cllr Robert Frost, Clare (CDO), Theresa, Chelsea, Karen, Sabeena, Reece
2. Welcome & introductions – Andrea Walker Environmental Project Officer introduced herself and her role, Reece Milthorpe team leader for the South Area Caretaking team also gave an update on their work.
3. Apologies – Darren
4. Notes of last meeting /matters arising – agreed and passed as a true record
5. Budget - remaining £3,288
6. Funding bids
 - SWS Sports £225 towards Feb half term camp, members had concerns regarding funding the camps for 3 consecutive holidays, CDO to ask Ryan for more information before a decision is given. Questions to ask - What efforts have you made to secure further funding or source an alternative venue that is more affordable? What happens to any surplus monies? Do you do any fundraising to try and match funds?
 - Defib enquiry Almshouses on Summer Lane, Wombwell – this will be picked up by members of the ward alliance who are part of the Almshouses group, feedback to be given at the next meeting
7. Updates
 - Everyone invited to the Wombwell Station Celebration Event – 2pm 8th Feb
 - Reminder for the 10 year Celebration event on 15th March
 - Hanging baskets 2024 – it was agreed due to the change in supplier and time constraints to just run a summer scheme this year
 - Feedback on Christmas 2023 –A discussion took place on the Christmas activity, including the high street event, community tree and mini trees mini trees. Overall it was a great success.
8. Any other business – CDO to send out dates for the year ahead
9. Date of next meeting Monday 18th March 2024 5.30pm @Wombwell Cemetery Community Hub