

Monk Bretton Ward Alliance

March 11th. @ Silverdale Community Centre

In attendance:

Cllr Steve Green. Cllr Ken Richardson, Cllr Margaret Sheard, Sue Fox, Charlie Goulding, Caroline Donovan, Don Booker, Tom Sheard, Ann Moffett, John Marshall, Gavin Doxey.

1	Apologies: Paul Jolly, Glenis White – Glenis tendered her resignation from the Ward Alliance	Actions SG to write letter thanking her for her service.
2	Declarations of Interest: CG – Applications 2.3.4. He left the room for decision	
3	Presentation: Yorkshire Wildlife Trust - Not present	
4	Notes of the previous meeting: AOB, St Pauls Toddlers Group – equipment retained by Church, discussion ensued, equipment funded by WA and not needed (group has closed) must be passed on to similar minded group.	PJ, DB to write to Church Council
5	Project Feedback Clean for the Queen – 72 bags collected, thanks for catering and use of Smithies TARA office. Mainly 'football' rubbish. Air Scouts – logo required – agenda item next meeting, War Memorial arch completed.	
6	Ward Alliance Fund – applications received: 1. Friends of Monk Bretton Park – Agreed, but, with no forward maintenance 2. Carlton Park Alzheimer's Fundraising – Rejected, did not fit criteria 3. Friends of Carlton Park Gardening Club - Agreed 4. Hogwarts Monk Bretton Hedgehog Hospital – Agreed A question was raised concerning 3 quotes etc. This would be for high value grants – ideally required for projects over £2,500.	£1500 £400 £497.70
7	Funding & Finance: North East Area Council-The Area Council has resolved to devolve £10,000 to Wa's, this will be grant funding without match requirement for community projects. It was requested that decisions be made prior to April: Hanging baskets - £2200 Agreed, these should be badged up Monk Bretton Ward Alliance. Bedding plants - £200 Agreed Working Fund – £2000 Agreed Concern was expressed regarding late payment of agreed grants.	£2200 £200 £2000
8	Additional Items: School Award Ceremony 10 + 3 per school, 3 schools, photos to be taken, Mayor to present. Running order discussed and agreed. Thanks to MS, JM, PJ for work done.	
9	AOB: Ward Alliance Logo – agenda item next meeting Gala steering Group – TS, MS, PJ with £500 budget St Pauls has a new Vicar, Father Brown – possible member? Request for a name to be added to Memorial – need to refer to appropriate bodies. GD had received reports about the area team, well done for good work done.	
10	Date of Future meetings Next meeting will be held at Burton Grange Community Centre April 22nd. @ 9:30 Meeting closed by SG at 11:30	