

# ALBRIGHTON AND DISTRICT FOOTPATH GROUP

Minutes of a meeting held Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September,2017 in the Red House, Albrighton at 7.30 pm

1.Present:-Tony Wrighton-Chairman,Andy Gilson-Treasurer; John Crossland,John Rideout,Gordon Peacock,Malcolm White,Peter Illes-Secretary

Apologies: Brian Maylor, Rick and Elaine Shaw,Malcolm White, Jon Earle,

2. The Minutes of the last meeting held 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2017 were accepted as a true record,noting the mis-spelling of Andy Gilson,s name.

### 3. Matters Arising

3.1 Efforts would be made to undertake the garden work at the Melville within the next 2 weeks.

3-2 Shropshire Council had been invited to consider improving their web site in line with provisions applied by Somerset Council.

### 4. Path Reports

A1. Green Lane to A464 John Rideout –No issues

A2 Windmill Lane. to Bowling Green Lane – John Rideout –no issues

A6. High Street (side of Harp) – Peter Illes-slightly overgrown-needs lopping

A7. Cross Roads to A8 – Jon Earl- No issues

A8. to A10 behind the Harp – Jon Earl-Ok- had recently been strimmed..

A9. Newhouse Lane to A8 – Peter Illes broken stile needed replacing.

A10.High Street to A8 –Elaine Shaw No issues

A11.A10 to Pebble Brook –Tony Wrighton No issues-recently strimmed.

A12.Kingswood Road to Pebble Brook – Tony Wrighton The top run on the stile had been removed to ease access.

A13.Highhouse Lane to County Lane – Peter Illes -There had been no feedback from the Enforcement Team at SCC regarding failings by the land owner prior to harvesting of the crop. The stiles at both ends had been repaired/attended to.

Pebble Brook Permissive Path- needs strimming

All Boningale Paths – Andy Gilson

B1.Pebble Brook to Woodhouse Lane no issues

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B2.B1 to A464 -bridge repairs done.

.B3.Newhouse Lane to A464 (Long Path) -no issues

B4. Newhouse Lane to A464 No issues and largely defunct

B13.Pepperhill to County Lane recently strimmed

B14.A464 to Pepperhill no issues

B15.Woodhouse Lane(East) to Pebble Brook loose step done and new block provided.

Boningale Permissive Path strimming done

Donington Paths

D1.Bypass to Blue House Lane – Brian Maylor- strimmed twice.

D2.Blue House Lane to Shackley Lane – Brian Maylor/Malcolm White

No action taken by landowner prior to harvesting crop despite representations to Shona Butter at SCC. Work on stiles needed adjacent to John Parry,s land.

D3 Mill Lane to M54 – Malcolm White. No issues

D4 Renshaw Wood Lane to Codsall Road – Brian Maylor No issues

Boscobel Paths

Bos 1 White Ladies to Parish Boundary – Jon Earl No issues

Bos 2 Boscobel House to White Ladies – Jon Earl No issues.

## 6. Treasurers Report

6.1 – no changes since the last report with No 1 account standing at £552-86 and No 2 account at £610-39.

6.2 The Treasurer suggested a cash account be kept for ease of low value transactions such as £7-35 secretarys expenses.

6-3 Quotes had been received to reprint the walk leaflets with set up cost for full colour being £550 and 500 prints being £260.1000 would cost £345 with plastic wallets costing £240.

## 7. Any Other Business

7.1 An group publicity article for the Parish Magazine was desirable which JC would progress.

7.2 -Helen Beresford at SCC had been advised of the 80/90 hrs of voluntary hours worked.

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7.3 -Heart Start Training had been offered to the Group which would take place on 6 th October and all members were invited and encouraged to attend.

7-4 –logo,ed HV vests were issued

7-5-A rescue group at Much Wenlock had asked all county PPP groups to be aware of hedgehogs when strimming

## 8-Date of next Meeting.

This will be on Wednesday 3 rd January 2018 at 7.30 pm.

Peter Illes,  
Secretary 11 th October 2017