

## Minutes of the fund raising meeting held on Feb 15<sup>th</sup> 2010

**PRESENT** – Joy, Eveline, Nicola, Rosemary, Bob, Pat, Tammy, Jackie, Lucy, James, Phil A

**APOLOGIES** – Ruth, Nancy, Phil and Mary G

**SMARTIES** – collection currently stands at £239.90 with 5 more tubes handed in tonight

**BROWN ENVELOPES** – collection currently stands at £450.00 with 2 more handed in tonight

**PANCAKE SUPPER** – 71 tickets have been sold in total. Pancake chefs need to do approx 30/35 each

Jackie will collect the key and meet at the hall at 5.30. Plenty of raffle prizes have been donated and raffle tickets. Joy will sell tickets on the door on the night, £1 per strip. Paper plates have been donated. Joy has lent us some table cloths. Jackie and Tammy will shop for wine, sugar, lemon, tea, coffee, milk, squash, nutella, fruit, chocolate sauce, golden syrup, cheese, beans, squirty cream. Jackie will make signs

**CAR BOOT SALES** - 7am start on March 27<sup>th</sup>, finish at noon.

We have 2 spaces free of charge. Phil H will make some display notices to advertise what we are fund raising for. Evelyn has 2 tables we can use. Rosemary will collect good quality bric-a-brac 1 week before the event. Nancy has a gazebo we can use. Left over goods will be donated to Helen House hospice shop. Rosemary has a rail we can use for clothes. It may be easier to pre-price some of the better quality goods but be prepared to barter. We need to help the Carterton Lions shake buckets on the gate, they keep a percentage of the money and we get the rest. Jackie will ask Phil H to do 4 posters to advertise it through the village. We will need a good float to start with

At the next meeting we will try to organize a rota of helpers

**CAR TREASURE HUNT** April 25th

Tammy has several possible routes. Tammy Jackie and Ruth will organize so that everyone else has the chance to take part. £10 per car

**BLUEBELL WALK**

This is confirmed as May 9<sup>th</sup>, Jackie will circulate sponsor forms at next meeting

**FOLK NIGHT now changed to AN EVENING OF VILLAGE ENTERTAINMENT**

The provisional date will be September 17<sup>th</sup> in the church, 7 – 9.30pm. It is planned that local people will take part in a variety show, 10 minute slots each. We need to suggest acts. Phil A will check out the sound system. Lucy will ask a couple of local rock bands. Rosemary will ask the Lions if they have any contacts. Jacquie Griffin will be asked about her group.

**NEOLITHIC MARATHON**

James and Phil A have registered for this run and now need sponsors. They will write to local businesses so that we might be able to hit a wider area of people. We are concerned that everything we are doing is asking the same people to spend money. James will try and go to Foxbury farm on a Saturday with his form and ask their customers – first getting permission from Colin and Di Dawes

### **3 PEAKS CHALLENGE**

James and Phil A have been chatting to various people to help make up a team. We may have to look at it for next spring otherwise we have too many sponsored events taking place.

### **CAR WASH**

We have permission from Keith at the Chequers to do this in his car park over the Easter weekend. We would like to do it the same day as the easter egg hunt, Tammy will check which day this is.

### **MUSIC AND FOOD IN THE CHEQUERS**

Keith at the Chequers would like to put on a live band and serve food to raise money for our funds. Jackie, Tammy and Ruth will go and see him to get more details of his ideas.

### **DOG SHOW**

Lucys investigations are still ongoing

### **BUY A TILE**

This idea was discussed again for contacting people who have been married in the church or baptized etc. No solid plans were made

### **BRIDGE LUNCH**

Judy Gush and Ann Ellesmore would like to organize a bridge and lunch event in the Elderbank Hall in half term, June 2010, for about 60/70 people. They would like our help with the food, several of us are willing to help.

### **NEXT MEETING**

Monday March 15<sup>th</sup>. Meet at James house at 7.15 to walk round to Phils house for 7.30pm (9 Park View Lane, Shilton Park)