

# Challenge North Leigh

## Minutes meeting held 16<sup>th</sup> April 2009

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Present: Jowanna Lewis (JL)  
 Steve Kennet (SK)  
 Geoff Feasey (GF)  
 Candy Kerpache (CK)  
 Greg Matthews (GM)  
 Matt Lane (ML)  
 Margaret Lupton (MLP)

Apologies: Rob Pritchard (RP)  
 Rita Cudd (RC)  
 Annie Reynolds (AR)

Agenda Item	Actions
<i>minutes of last meeting and matters arising:</i> Minutes approved	
<i>Financial Report:</i> JL acknowledged that the money to pay for window stickers is not on the financial report as presented. No update from RC but believed by JL to be correct.	
<i>Website Update:</i> GM gave update – website is ready to go live, awaiting domain transfer. GF updated group on WODC community website. David Luscombe has control over content of this. <b>GF to chase up DL</b> to get control over this content. Group thinks David and Polly are probably getting wed around now! CK suggested WM (Candy, did you really mean wendy here? Perhaps you meant AR?) or GF could review Age of Stupid. GF and BF are seeing it this month. GM suggested buying challenge-northleigh.org for the group, accepted by the group. <b>Action GM.</b>	GF, GM
<i>Screening of “The Age of Stupid”:</i> GF not volunteering to screen the film but is willing to brief anyone else. However, no volunteers came forward. GM suggested it might be good to screen it at the Green Fair or Green Picnic. This was dismissed by the group. <b>GF to email everyone</b> when he's found out release dates etc. Turner Hall is suitable for black out and around 60 ppl. Carried forward to next month.	GF
<i>Real Time Display update:</i> SK updated group but little to report. SSE appear to want us to design the front screen but it is not clear what will be on it, how large it will be etc. Need more guidance from SSE/RC. <b>SK to email RC</b> re above	SK
<i>Mail shots:</i> ML briefed group on printing. Apologised re not having a thermometer card ready for the printer. Will take a thermometer strip to get this finalised.	GM, MLP, SK, CK,

<p>Newsletter content is now out of date so <b>CK to provide additional content.</b></p> <p>GF suggested we put something in newsletter regarding our position wrt energy saving and prize money. And also new website.</p> <p><b>GM to provide this content</b> to ML ASAP.</p> <p>MLP informed the group of an anti waste campaign she witnessed outside the co-op. <b>MLP to find out who it was.</b></p> <p>SK asked if now was the best time to hand out thermometers.</p> <p>ML asked if could suggest turning off heating to get families to turn off heating earlier than otherwise.</p> <p>Group agreed that thermometers be handed out in September with next newsletter (provided it is not late!)</p> <p><b>SK to take delivery</b> of newsletters, group to organise delivery.</p> <p>SK queried just how the window cards would work. There will be no change to current arrangement.</p> <p>Sarah Bartlett (freelance PR for SSE) is keen to get coverage of the window card/sticker scheme.</p> <p>CK suggested AR could promote in school. <b>Action CK.</b></p> <p>CK informed that newsletter should be delivered by 5 May.</p>	
<p><i>"encouraging village groups to take up the challenge":</i> Carried over to next meeting</p>	
<p><i>Green Fair update:</i> CK MLP and AR meeting shortly to get stalls. <b>Action ALL to think of other stalls that could be approached.</b></p> <p>MLP informed group of electric bike provided to RP.</p>	ALL
<p><i>Give or Take:</i> CK to collect keys and open up 1130 from Diana.</p> <p>SK asks GF whether we had a bill for the banner, answer: no.</p>	
<p><i>Communications:</i> CK brought up Sarah Bartlett – she is very keen to get press coverage of the group and our projects. <b>ML to contact WODC press officer.</b></p> <p>NLN content: deadline Sunday 19<sup>th</sup>. MLP suggested <b>GF write about his radio interview.</b> Look out for newsletter and challenge cards. ML suggested touting free lighting audit to local businesses in partnership with WODC. New energy saving tip, JL suggested waiting for input from Give or Take.</p> <p>JL talked about <i>her</i> radio interview (ooh) mentioned CNL.</p> <p>SK said we should get stuff in forthcoming events in NLN but apparently this isn't open to contributors. Figures for March.</p>	GF, ML
<p><i>Council Meeting:</i> JL reported on PC meeting, lots of comments from councillors. Wanted us to promote the fact that we are the only village doing this in England and the leading one in the UK. In favour of the group, if we draft a letter of endorsement they will sign it – <b>CK to write it.</b></p> <p>One councillor raised that they had had the thermal images done but had no feedback.</p>	CK
<p><i>A.O.B.:</i> JL asked about plans for Green Picnic. <b>Bring ideas to next meeting</b></p> <p>SK brought up the subject of a village sign again.</p>	ALL, CK

<b>CK to cover Mays PC meeting 14<sup>th</sup> May.</b>	
<i>Date of next meeting: 14<sup>th</sup> May</i>	

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