

MINUTES OF THE WAG PUBLIC MEETING  
Held Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December 201 at 6pm  
In the Enterprise Centre at The Oakwood Academy

Present:

Sue Jablonskas - Chair

Pat Clark (PC) – Vice Chair

John Clark (JC) – Treasurer

Keith Eddyshaw (KE) – Secretary

Councillor Rachael Ellis – Representing Gedling Borough Council

Councillor Des Gibbons – Representing Gedling Borough Council

No	Item	Info/Action
<b>1</b>	<p><b>Treasurer's Report</b></p> <p>JC circulated the latest budget report and stated that WAG has enough money to cover the cost of the Christmas Tree and all the Christmas Lights. Thanks to Borough Councillors Ellis and Gibbons for their contributions.</p> <p>Thanks to County Councillors Allan and Payne for their contributions towards the costs of the Christmas events, including the Afternoon Tea for older residents.</p> <p>It was noted that Gedling will be launching a Lottery in February 2020.</p> <p>JC stated that he has submitted a grant application to the National Lottery and is awaiting a response.</p>	
<b>2</b>	<p><b>Muirfield Road Park</b></p> <p>The installation of the park is finished and is proving very popular with all age groups.</p> <p>Unfortunately, the Fire service has been called out to deal with an incident of attempted arson to the large tower/slide.</p> <p>Some incidents of anti-social behaviour have also been reported, including bullying/hate language towards 2 girls.</p> <p>Dog fouling/littering/fly tipping continues to be a problem.</p>	
<b>3</b>	<p><b>Annual Firework Display 2020</b></p> <p>It was proposed that the date of the display should be Friday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2020. This was agreed.</p>	JC to confirm booking of Display
<b>4</b>	<p><b>WAG website</b></p> <p>An offer had been received and accepted from someone who will update and host the website. There is also an offer from another person who will manage the website on an ongoing basis.</p> <p>WAG expressed appreciation for these kind offers.</p>	
<b>5</b>	<p><b>Future Events</b></p> <p>Possible Official Opening Event for the new Play Park in the Spring.</p> <p>Possible further bulb planning in October.</p> <p>Possible further tree/shrub planting at Warren Primary.</p> <p>Improving vehicular access to the recreation ground for events – discuss with GBC whether gate could be changed and/or tarmac laid at the entrance. WAG Committee to request a meeting with GBC. Cllr Ellis to be included.</p> <p>Arrange a meeting with Head of Oakwood Academy to discuss co-ordinating Christmas events.</p>	WAG  WAG
<b>6</b>	<p><b>Date of the Next Meeting:</b></p> <p><b>Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2020 at 6pm at The Enterprise Centre, The Oakwood Academy</b></p>	