

Minutes of the Brockeridge Committee 17th May 2006
Held at the Brockeridge Centre, Woodend Road

Present Mr T Clothier (Chairman), Mr D Broome and Mr R King (Parish Councillors); Mrs M Harraway (Volunteers' Representative)

Apologies Mr G Hayter, Mr G Keel, and Mr D Manfield (Parish Councillors); Mr D Kelman (IT Volunteers); Mr A Wilkes (Leader-in-Charge)

294 Declarations of Interest Under the Local Government Act 1972

None was made

295 Confirmation of Minutes

Following a proposal by Cllr Broome, seconded by Mrs Harraway it was:

Resolved:

That the minutes of the Brockeridge Committee of 26th April 2006 be confirmed and signed.

296 Youth Group Report (*attached*)

This was noted

297 Criminal Records Bureau (CRB) Checks

Successful CRB Checks had been received for all committee members and staff had now been received with the exception of that for Mr Longden:

- The Clerk was asked to chase this.

298 Fundraising

Cllr Clothier reported that an application to Quartet for IT funds was about to be posted and further avenues for raising funds were being investigated. This was noted.

299 IT Reports

Cllr Broome reported:

- A copy of SGC's IT competencies had been received and the IT volunteers were going to use it as a comparative bench mark for the training in the IT Suite.
- Another computer had been sold and two more were ready for sale, leaving three older computers in the IT suite in need of updating.

300 Kitchen Cleaner.

An application had been received and an interview arranged for Monday 22nd May 2006.

301 Roofing Problems

The roofer had failed to turn up as arranged. It was noted that this was ongoing.

302 Terms and Conditions of Hire of the Centre.

These were in need of updating. Cllr Clothier and the Clerk to bring a draft for consideration at the next meeting.

303 Floors in the Café and Youth Room

The Clerk asked that it be recorded that the Caretaker was finding it increasingly difficult to keep these floors to a good standard and was spending more and more time trying to achieve this. This was noted.

304 Brockeridge Centre Plans

Copies had been obtained from the architects and Cllr Clothier and Hodges were progressing the Planning Application for further storage.

305 Neighbourhood Policing

Inspector Hedgcock of Chipping Sodbury Police Station had enquired if the Brockeridge Centre could be

used as a base for the neighbourhood policing team hoped to be in place by the end of the year. This would consist of a Beat Manger and two Police Community Support Officers (PCSO's) and space for a computer link and three bicycles.

RESOLVED to recommend:

- That this would be good for the parish and should be welcomed.

306 Date of Next Meeting

WEDNESDAY 28th JUNE 2006 AT 12:00 noon AT THE BROCKERIDGE CENTRE.