

Meeting held at 8, Beechey's Avenue 10th February 1960

The minutes were read & signed.

The chairman read Mr. Gammon's letter of resignation from the position of Secretary. It was agreed to write to Mr. Gammon to express regret at his decision, to thank him for his good work in the past and to hope that he would be willing to continue to serve on the Committee.

Mr. Pollard was elected Secretary.

The meeting discussed the misunderstanding with the Allotment Association Committee over the money due to the School for the use of the Hall for the Flower Show, and it was decided to write to Mr. Bowen to state the Village Hall Committee's position.

It was resolved to pay the architect's Messrs Walter Price the sum of £100 on account of professional services rendered.

(Proposed Mr. Hartington, seconded Mr. Johns)  
It was resolved to write to the Clerk to the Parish Council to try to forward the matter of the lease of the Village Hall site.

Concern was expressed on the possible effects of the proposed new road on the site of the Village Hall, and the Secretary undertook to try to obtain further information.

It was decided to hold a number of Social Evenings  
Bingo. The first two to be on 3rd + 17th March  
and bookings were to be made for these two.

F H Rumbold 7-3-60

Meeting held at 8 Beechey's Avenue 7th March 1960  
at 8.0 p.m.

Present: Mr. Rumbold (Chair) Mrs Horsington, Mr. Earl, Mr. P

A report was made on the first Bingo which raised a  
little under £5. Thanks were due to Mr. Gardner for  
running the Bingo and for very kindly donating a prize.  
It was resolved to purchase a Bingo set and to  
place bookings for a further six evenings.

The letter from Mr. Bowen concerning the 1960 Gala  
Day was read + after some discussion it was decided to  
appoint a sub-committee consisting of Mrs. Horsington, Mr. G  
and Mr. Rumbold to meet with the Althorpe Association's  
Gala Day Committee.

F H Rumbold

7-4-60

Meeting held on 7th April 1960 at 8 Beechys Avenue.

Present Mr. Rumbold (Chair), Mr. Jones, Mr. Earl, Mr. & Mrs. Hornington, Mr. Tasker, Mr. Richards.

The minutes were read + signed.

It was decided to hold 4 further Binges from 28th April at fortnightly intervals.

Letter of Renignation received from Mr. Brown. + verbal notice renignation by Mr. Harper was reported.

Golda Day Aug. 20.

It was reported that the Allotment Association wished the Village Hall Committee to share 50-50 in all expenses + profits, with the exception of Donations given expressly for the Village Hall Building Fund

The main attractions are to be Flower Show, Gymkhana, Bridge Building, Childrens Amusements, Aunt Sally, Skittles. There is to be a Derby Draw to raise funds for expenses.

The Village Hall Committee to organise the following:

Minerals, Ices & Crisps

Jumble, Bottle Stall, Crazy Dice, Tombola, Roll-a-penny,

Raffle, Book stall, Handiwork stall, Ringing the bottle (beer)

It was decided to hold a Public meeting to

re-elect the Village Hall Committee at end of May if there was news of the grant.

The Secretary reported on the draft lease & it was decided to urge a longer term than the 28 years suggested.

F.H. Rumbold 21-7-60

Meeting held at Apple Tree House on 8th December 1960

Present Mr. Rumbold (Chair) Mrs Harvey, Mrs Hornington, Mr. H. Mr. Johnson, Mr. East, Mr. Jones, Mr. Pollard.

A report on the Gale Day was given & the accounts presented showing a total profit of about £40.

It was decided to hold a Christmas Draw in co-operation with the Allotment Association. The Draw to be on 18th.

After discussion it was decided to postpone the draw to The secretary reported on the Architect's ~~own~~ reply to the Ministry of Education's comments.

The secretary reported on the correspondence with the Charity Commissioners on the subject of the proceeds of the sale of the Workman's Hall, and that the final outcome was that none of this money would be available for the Village Hall.

A provisional date for the Annual Public Meeting was fixed for the week beginning 20th March.

F.H. Pemberton 22-2-61.

Meeting held at Apple Tree House on 22nd February.

The minutes were read and approved.

It was decided that the annual public meeting should be held during the week commencing 20 March on an evening when the secretary could obtain a lettering of the Primary School.

The Ministry of Education's letter making a provisional offer of a grant was read and after some discussion of the various points it was proposed by Mr. Hornington and seconded by Mrs. Earl that the provisional offer of a grant from the Ministry of Education be accepted on the terms stated in the Ministry's letter. Carried unanimously.

F.H. Pemberton

31-5-61