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## **Meeting Minutes**

Attendees	Pat Huxley (Chair) (PH), Sarah O'Connor (Secretary) (SC), Sophie Blaken (Vice-Chair) (SB), Terri Slade (TS), Pamela Duesbury (PD), Lindsey Barnes (LB), Ann Gerty (AG), Jeremy Pratt (JP)
Also Present	Cllr Andrew Rule (AR), Cllr Roger Steel (RS), Stuart Grantham <i>Moderns Rugby Chair</i> (SG)
Where	The Ferry Inn, Main Road, Wilford
When	20 <sup>th</sup> January 2020
What	Wilford Community Group Meeting

Item	Description	Action
0	Agenda	
0.1	1. Apologies	
	2. Minutes & Actions from 21st October 2019 Meeting	
	3. Rugby Club Update	
	4. Iremongers Pond Update	
	5. Litter Picking Update	
	6. May Day Planning	
	7. Items for Spring Newsletter	
	8. Parking Plans Update	
	9. Heritage Project Update	
	10. Facebook Group Rules	
	11. Any Other Business	
	- Response to new Social Club Site owners re: derelict land and future use	
	- Wilford View Care Home re: inviting residents to events, cooperation, etc.	
1	Apologies	
1.1	Daniel Atherton (DA), Robert Dodson, Christian Nardoni, Clare Roughton and Bill Roughton.	
2	Minutes & Actions from 21st October 2019 Meeting	
2.1	Apologies to AG for November meeting that was cancelled without her knowledge. Greater commitment to communication agreed.	
	AG welcomed as new member.	
	Minutes unanimously approved.	
3	Rugby Club (MRFC) Update	
3.1	SG provided update on some events, realises communication could be improved. Wednesday 26th February, partnership with Leicester Tigers to bring rugby to the community. Tigers are organising an evening 5-9pm that evening. It is open to everyone, mainly aimed at children,	

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Treasurer: Clare Roughton, 83 Main Road, Wilford, NG11 7AP Secretary: Sarah O'Connor, 11, Barnes Close, Wilford, NG11 7FZ

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	there will be a lot more visitors. MRFC are encouraging them to use the tram and speak to schools to see if possible to use their car parks for parking. Information will be posted on social media to make people aware.	
4	Iremongers Pond Update	
4.1	Alan Schofield now link, keen to help, looking to help getting board at entrance to the pond. RS mentioned about replacing the fishing pegs to make the pond look better. PH to raise at next meeting. Co op money come through over £2000. AR to see if he can source a lime tree.	PH RS AR
5	Litter Picking Update	
5.1	NG11 was mentioned in House of Commons with a mention to Alma for her and the group's efforts. Big litter pick arranged for 1st March. LB raised issues re litter at the end of Bader Road, AR to speak to the council.	AR
6	May Day Planning	
6.1	SB to set up WhatsApp group for helpers, please help where you can.	SB
7	Spring Newsletter	
7.1	DA to look at printers again but not as many. Suggested items for newsletter for next time.  Daffodil fund raiser to go on newsletter, May Day event.	DA
8	Parking Update	
8.1	AR: letter out before Christmas with options, to date 60 responses, permits were most popular choice, support in favour for limited parking at tram stop to prevent commuters parking all day. You still have time to respond but only until Tuesday 21st January.	
9	Heritage Project Update	
9.1	Check sub-committee members, DA to delegate anything out so sub-committee can meet up and put something together, AG has list of people who are willing to have input into the audio section (oral history) as they are keen to have their views. Dan to coordinate this with the group so this can progress.	DA AG
10	Facebook Group Rules	
10.1	Business spamming has become prominent issue and concern/effort for admins, if they continue to do this they will be deleted. Rules agreed by group. DA to update group rules.	DA
11	Any Other Business	
11.1	PH to invite Dino, owner of old Social Club / Bowls Club site, to next meeting to see what his plans are for the site.	PH
	Wilford Care Home, PH to invite them to next meeting to establish links with them.	PH
	Email list to be updated adding Rob and Ann; signing up link to be shared by DA.	DA

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	Highbank Community Centre Shine event for children interested in drama to get involved.	
	Clifton Community Centre event Friday 24th January 12pm.	
	Complaints raised about large groups of children on bikes becoming a nuisance. The issue has been reported, residents urged to keep reporting if you see this.	
	Ollie boy who lives outside of the village, looking for donations, do we feel it's appropriate to offer anything. SC, PH or SB will go back to family to suggest if he wants to propose a fund raising then we will support this.	SC, PH, SB