

Branston and District U3A

Minutes of meeting held on Zoom 16th June 2020 at 2.00pm

Present: John Tyerman (Chair) Gary Snelson, Janet Foster, Elaine Johnson, Chris Hodson, Mary Corbould, Rick Smok, James Hewson, Heather Sharpe

Apologies; Brian Sentance

1. Minutes of the last meeting Accepted

2. Matters Arising None

3. Chair's Report

TAT (Third Age Trust) Data records now up to date

TAT Newsletter says U3A's must follow Government guidelines for insurance to be valid

Parish Clerk, Sarah Stead e-mailed re a meeting on Thursday evening at the Pavillion about new building plans for the Recreational Hall. Chairman to attend Plans to be e-mailed to committee members for comments for John to take to the meeting. Rick to send copy of plans to all convenors

4. Treasurer's Report

Report to be circulated

£60 invoice received for PAT Testing. Paid from main account.

Croquet Club payment of £98.40 to Ashby Grass Care. Also requiring £40 out of their account to upgrade their membership to The Croquet Association.

5. Membership Secretary's Report

One new paid up member

6. Groups Coordinator's Report

Peter Robinson wanted to start the Walking Group again in August, but not yet possible because of insurance

PAT Testing now done, all OK. Invoice received but not the certificate yet.

7. Programme Secretary's Report

Speakers and meetings for September and October to be cancelled James to see if members would like to have meetings on Zoom in the meantime.

8. Website

Competition Solution pages are being well read. More quizzes needed.

9. Newsletter

Well read

10. Other Reports None

11. Keeping in Touch

James to continue with his weekly letter online Contact to be continued with single members via telephone.

12. Returning to Normal

James to investigate holding group meeting on Zoom, cost of £11.99 a month.

13. AOB

John to reply to an e-mail received from Christine Metcalf about splitting groups into smaller numbers to comply with guidelines.

October Open Day now very doubtful. James said when it is re arranged, he would like someone else to take the lead

14. Date of Next Meeting

Tuesday 21st July at 2.00pm by Zoom

Meeting ended 3.10pm