

OVING PAVILION PROJECT

FUNDING GROUP MEETING NO 3

11.02.08 AT 7PM IN THE READING ROOM

Present

Roger Ball – Chairman
David Smith
Roger Hawkins
Stephen Stokes

Apologies

None

1. Note of Funding Group Meeting No 2 on 07.01.08

This Note was approved by all attendees before circulation in the February Parish Newsletter, on the Oving Village Web-site and on the Notice Board.

2. Banking arrangements

Roger B has taken advice from the Clerk to Oving Parish Council about opening bank accounts for the pavilion project. New accounts will need to be authorised by the Parish Council at their next meeting on 13th March. The Parish Council will also need to consider how funds will be used if the pavilion project does not go ahead. **Roger B** will ensure these items are on the agenda.

3. Race Night (29.03.08)

3.1 Quanton Village Hall has now been booked for 29th March and contact has been made with Quanton Football Club about providing the kit for the races.

3.2 Ticket sales have commenced, and it seems likely that the original print run of 50 will all be sold. **David** will therefore arrange for a further 50 tickets to be printed, as a maximum of 100 is considered appropriate.

3.3 Sponsorship of £100 per race has now been secured for all six races.

3.4 Louise Davies will provide the catering, while David has applied for the necessary alcohol licence.

3.5 **David and Roger H** will arrange the printing of the programme, and the staffing requirements for the night.

4. Other planned events

4.1 The Oving Villages Cup Final will take place on Easter Monday, 24th March, five days before the Race Night. Both David and Roger B have spoken to members of the Villages Cup Committee, and there is no objection to fund-raising at the event. However, it was agreed that there is insufficient time to arrange a full catering facility, although the sale of snacks and soft drinks could be organised. **David** agreed to speak to Tony Skeggs, the Villages Cup Secretary to suggest that Oving Football Club may wish to help with fund-raising at this event.

4.2 Clive and Maxine Myatt at Church Farm have offered to organise a nature quiz with cream teas at the farm in the summer. It was felt that we may be able to combine this event with another fund-raising activity to maximise the attraction of residents of surrounding villages to Oving. **David** agreed to speak to Clive and Maxine about the arrangements and a possible date.

4.3 Roger H has now agreed with David Hayle, the landlord of the Black Boy, that a Book Sale will be held at the pub on Saturday 17th May. Food will be available and proceeds will be shared with Macmillan Nurses. **Stephen** will seek to publicise this event in the local media.

4.4 Stuart Nicholls, a Parish Councillor, has advised the Group that Aylesbury Rotary Club have about 30 dart boards available for hire if we wish to arrange a sponsored darts marathon. It was agreed that we would keep this in mind for fund-raising during the winter months.

4.5 Roger H reported that he has spoken to the publishers of the Guinness Book of Records, and they are preparing detailed guide-lines for the record-breaking attempt at the Bucks County Show. Proceeds are likely to be shared 50/50 with the Show organisers.

4.6 No further progress has been made regarding the car-boot sale.

5. Aylesbury Vale Funding Day (11.03.08)

Roger B has registered his intention to attend this event, and is making appointments to speak to WREN (Waste Recycling), AVDC and Bucks Community Action. He is also co-ordinating an entry for the WRG Communities Challenge organised by WREN.

6. Date of next Meeting

Monday 17th March 2008 at 7pm in the Reading Room.

RCB 12.02.08