Meare and Westhay Village Hall CIO No 1200097

Minutes of meeting held 10th October 2023

Present: Paul Bradley, Hazel Degregorio, Tim Hoskins, Rosie Lander

Apologies :none

The minutes of the meeting held 12th September were agreed and signed.

Matters arising: Santa has DBS and a meeting has been arranged to go over details R.L and T.H. to attend.

There is still no access to the charity commission so R.L will speak to them again.

A generous donation was received from Mr S. Ryan and a thank you card is to be organised.

Events: Beetle Drive. Tea, Cake and Scones are to be served, HD will get some cake. Refreshments will be payable. Raffle, we have tickets and prizes are being sourced. PD will provide a prize for the adult winner and HD the children's. Paper and pens are ready. Set up at 5pm

Santa Party. Look into grants to help with the purchase of prizes RL to write to local councils. Entry will be by donation but we will need to know the number and ages in advance. PD to produce a poster for advertising. Snacks and drinks will be served. Other entertainment to include simple science experiments and colouring a Christmas card..

We need an on-line diary to share with the other fundraising groups to avoid duplications and clashing RL to set one up.

Future Events: Film Night,

Table Top Sale

Strawberry Fair

Quiz Night

Finance: An offer of help with bid writing has been received and acknowledged. There is still no access to the existing funds and have now been informed by Barclays that only the ex trustees can access the account, it cannot be transferred to us.

£84.33 received from Easyfundraising

£20 cash donation received

£120 repaid for fork n ale tickets.

Fund as of 1st September £10,461.35 Barclays

£736.43 Nat West.

Next meeting 21st November Steps Farm.