



## **Co-ordinating Group Meeting**

**Minutes of the meeting held at 7.30pm on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2016 at the Great Malvern Hotel, Malvern**

**Attendance:** Ginny Lee (Chair), Ian Caldwell, Dinah Sage, Robin Coates

### **Apologies**

Received from Emma Gathergood, Seonaid Barber, Pam McCarthy, Jan Dyer and Chris Dyer

### **Gardenshare**

Emma has produced posters, and has made contact with a potential gardener and a garden owner.

### **Actions**

**Robin** ask **Emma** to send words to **Ian** for the website.

**Robin** tell Emma she can put posters in Malvern Cube, and on the MHDC official noticeboard, via Ginny, who has a key.

**Robin** inform Emma that the Town Council is happy to help publicise Gardenshare to the allotment society.

**Minutes of 18<sup>th</sup> May 2016** were accepted by general agreement, after correcting the Treasurer's Report to "A recent monthly donation is greatly appreciated."

**Matters arising** are covered elsewhere.

### **Chairman's report**

Ginny is frustrated with the lack of interest in the environment at local and government level.

### **Treasurers report**

Doing quite well.

The examined accounts are on the website.

### **Inner Transition**

Changing. Trying to split administration, convening meetings, and leading sessions.

Provisionally, there may be monthly sessions, some being tasters for a series of events, with the aim of encouraging openness to nature in our actions.

## **Action**

**Robin** ask for someone to take over the Inner Transition page on the website.

## **Annual Network Meeting**

The lounge at the Great Malvern Hotel has been booked for Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> September, 7.30pm. (Ginny may have to send her apologies)

Need to give people a reason to come – Bee research? Good talk? Someone from Inner Transition to say what they get out of it and what form it will take?

The roots of several local initiatives were in TMH – we're looking for more seeds to plant.

## **Newsletter**

There is not enough energy for Transition Malvern Hills to run events, but there is value in keeping awareness of environmental issues.

Gardenshare will be promoted.

Could cover:

CAT article on ecohomes.

Carshare and electric bikes - new brochure out

Carbon Trust Standard for supply chains

Hillistic webpage

Positive Money event run by Owen McCarthy

Simon Carte Just Money

Panels of different things we do eg MCE generated more electricity than expected.

Put on a film? Poor attendance except when joint venture

Cube market

## **Food hub**

This idea is being researched.

## **Tools for self-reliance query**

## **Action**

**Dinah** to contact

## **ElectrAA**

Demonstration of an electric car can be arranged.

## **Date of next meeting**

Annual Network Meeting Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> September, 7.30pm Lounge, Great Malvern Hotel