

Steering Group Meeting – 10th June 2014

Present: Di Greaves (Chair), Geoff Greaves, Josh Cooke, Margaux Taillaid, Martina Holmes, Don Holmes, Nick Talbott,

Apologies: Lucy Muir, Joe Botting, Peter Coleridge, Sally Bramhall

Di welcomed Martina and Don to the steering group meeting.

Minutes of May Meeting

Actions noted.

Thanks were expressed to all those who supported the TLT stand at the Queen's Baton Relay event on 25th May.

Social meeting programme

Consideration of draft list. Peter MacFadyen is being approached about talk to PTLCC, so no longer considered as a TLT meeting speaker.

July:

Still waiting to hear from Peter regarding speaker on fracking

Action: Peter to contact speaker. Nick to investigate film options on fracking.

August:

Action: Nick to investigate screening costs of “The Economics of Happiness” or consider alternatives

September:

Jasper Roberts if available, Judy Dennison as fallback

Action: Peter to confirm if JR available.

Action: Di to contact Judy re Sept or Oct date

October

Judy, or Timebank fallback

Sam Evans – Cymrhyd Rhan – revisiting setting up a time bank in Llandrindod

Action: Di to contact Sam

November

Wind farms, single wind generators, community wind generators, Green Valleys project

Action: All to consider what speakers / films may be available

December

Mince pie social

Other possible future topics:

health issues, psychologist

Repair Cafes update and request for funding ***(subgroup: Joe, Lis, Di and Martina)***

Martina reported on progress of the working group.

10 or 12 “fixperts” are willing to support of July 12th. Venue confirmed as Rock Park Café from

2.00pm to 5.00pm.

The working group has put in a funding bid to the Llandrindod Recycling group for £750. If that bid is not successful the working group need some working capital for publicity, materials, storage boxes, accommodation costs.

Agreed: £150 to be made available from TLT funds in the event that the bid is unsuccessful.

Di recorded thanks to the working group.

Green Man Garden / Incredible Edible Llandrindod *(led by Josh and Margaux)*

Approx eight volunteers came to the working group on the Green Man garden. Josh pleased with turnout and with progress made. Meeting has been arranged to discuss signage, logos and interpretation. David Strachan has volunteered to do a free sign.

Action: Di/Nick/Margaux to prepare photos and videos to be prepared for website. Martina offered to write articles. Di has offered to provide slate for labels.

Links with RENEW

TLT has provided letter of support for RENEW grant application.

Di to provide Josh with copy of book on Community Bio-blitz

Slow Summer Sundays

Early July – Ashfield? Di to discuss with Alan/Ken

Joe has offered to do a 6-mile earth history walk – late July?

Visit to the Walled Garden on 10th August. RENEW will organise a barbecue and jumble sale. Tours of the garden will be provided.

Trosnant – September 7th.

PTLCC conference update

Di reported that the next PTLCC conference will be 8th October – The Shepherd Theatre in the Wise Centre at CAT.

Transition Evaluation and Monitoring

Di reported that the research project will provide some funding for participating groups. The work will focus on projects and in TLT the focus will be on the Repair Cafe project.

AOB

Car sharing. Agree to pick up in September steering group.

Josh drew attention to “The Leek Link” on Facebook which helps match up lifts wanted and offered.

Next meeting 8th July

Meeting closed at 9.30pm