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Committee meeting October 20th 2011 Committee members

Attending:	Paul Oldring	Chairman	Chris Hutchins	Treasurer
	Lynne Hutchins	Secretary	Steve Fionda	Caretaker
	Bill Fry	Football		

Apologies: Odette Henderson, Jill Hamilton and Tony Turner.

Minutes of September meeting agreed.

Chris stated that the accounts standing at £8938, which is approx £250 more than last month, which is due to Steve keeping his expenses down and good hall use in the September.

Chris has also stated that Suntraps electric solar panels are going to give requite for the roof panels on the main hall.

Lynne has spoken to Pauls Robinson about the community workers, she has responded by stating that she will send a team during November, for at least four weeks to wood stain the outside of the building and will liaise with Bill for starting date and equipment required. Lynne also stated that she has arranged for the alarm systems annual service/maintenance check up during November.

Lynne also informed the committee that she has had no response yet to filling Jill's position of booking clerk and is re-advertising it in the parish magazine.

Paul informed us that John Broxis, parish chairman, has advised us to apply for a grant from the 106 monies towards the changing room refurbishment. He also has contacted New Greenham trust to see if we can get matching funds for this project.

Steve Fionda said we have a few problems in the hall, we require a heater to be replaced on the wall because a child sat on it, he also needs a new Hoover and fridge/freezer. The committee authorized him to purchase these articles. He also informed us that Jill's new user group, are using the Kingmill room on Wednesday for band practice, except when the parish council are using it. He came home one evening, while they were in the hall and there was no noise disturbance at all. This group will help with extra funds for the hall.

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Bill Fry informed us that the football is going well and he still has other interested teams wanting to use our pitches when they are not in use by the regular teams. He also had to inform us though that the compact tractor cylinder head has got a crack in it, which needs to be rectified as soon as possible. This was found during the service by Deanwood mowers, he intends to get it fixed as soon as possible.

It was discussed amongst all the committee members that December could be a good month to try to raise extra funds to cover the cost of the summer/autumn extra expenses of the hall by having a race night at the beginning of the month. Lynne will contact Odette to see if it is possible to have a meeting in the Oak one evening to pull it all together, a provisional date of Friday 2nd December was agreed.

Chris asked Bill if it was possible for him to put a notice up in the changing rooms reminding football teams to observe speed limits in the village on Sundays, as some local people seem to think they are travelling too fast for pedestrians on walking dogs etc. Bill agreed to do so.

Next meeting to be held on Thursday 8th December 2011.

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