

FORDER COMMUNITY & CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION

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"caring for the community: protecting the environment"

NEWSLETTER November 2019

NOTICES/FORTHCOMING EVENTS:

Coffee Mornings – see noticeboard/website for details

Film Nights – Wednesday 20th November

Friday 6th December

Creeky Crafters – 1st & 3rd Mondays, 10:30 – 13:30

Carol Service - 14th December, music at 6p.m, Carol Service at 6.30

FCCA Meeting Minutes 8th July 2019

- Apologies: Sue Hooper, John Beale, Derek Pilgrim, Jan Lidstone, Joe and Mavis Hall, Gloria Challen
- 2. **In attendance:** Keith Rawlings, Lynn Vickers, Jackie & Warren Keith, David Yates, John Lidstone, Jenny Pilgrim, Andrea Cohen, Carole Brown, David & Pat Salt, Marianne Beale, Tony & Sandy Parry, Gil & Jenny Jefferies, Sam Tamlin, Rebecca Pearce, Vivienne & Nigel Courtney-Crabb, Bryan Baker, Roger Fursier
- 3. Minutes of the October meeting have been circulated and agreed upon .

4. Matters Arising

Update on Committee posts

FCCA are still looking for a Correspondence Secretary. This is not an onerous task as only a small amount correspondence is received. Please come forward if you wish to help.

5. Chair's Report

It was good to report that the CIO was making progrees, Tony and Rebecca are meeting with Nick Skinnard on Monday 18th November.

Re-establishment of path rights to Antony Passage, very slow progress.

6. Secretary's report

A small amount of correspondence had taken place. Chairman had written to Nick Skinnard regarding finalising CIO. Thank you to Gloria Challen for acknowledging donation FCCA had provided for the Mayors Charity. Peter Stephens (ex Mayor of Saltash 1997/98) sent a e mail indicationg that he was still very interested in the presevation of Forder and sent his regards to all.

7. Treasurer's Report

Income since last report (6th May)

<u>Total</u>	<u>£</u>	<u>241.85</u>
Deposit interest	£	21.85
Mooring fee	£	75.05
Films (3) (gross)	£	111.00
Mooring Fees	£	33.15

Expenditure

Total	£331.0
Service of fire extinguishers	£ 42.00
Repairs to hall ramp	£ 195.00
hire of projector	£ 10.00
Film Costs – hire of films	£ 84.00

8. Moorings Officer

Still two outstanding amounts on mooring fees, it is not the income that is the problem more that, the FCCA are left with an unsightly wreck of a boat.

Moorings are still available.

9.Events

Film nights have been well received.

Coffee morning on 25thOctober was very successful.

RNLI are holding a coffee morning in Forder Hut on Friday 15th November

Future events

Carol Service arrangements are well in hand – if you have a child who would like to receive a present from Father Christmas contact details are at the end of the news letter. A donation to Air Ambulance will be made after the event. John Lidstone and Lynn Vickers are preparing the Mulled Wine and Sandy Parry providing the mince pies.

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10. Neighbourhood Watch

There is a new time table for the Weekly Hopper Bus – this is displayed on the village notice board. From January 3rd onwards a new service will start to include a trip to Kernow Mill.

The Neighbourhood Watch ask residents to be vigilant as there have been reports of individuals in a white panel van scouting around looking for scrap metal.

Always make sure all your out houses and garages are locked, there has been a report of a burglary from a garage in our area.

11. Conservation

Nothing to report.

12. Environment

If you are approached or are looking for a carrier to remove debris or unwanted materials from you house always check that they hold a licence for disposing of commercial waste. It is an offence to fly tip and if waste can be traced back to a householder they can be prosecuted.

If you are aware of fly tipping taking place, tell the individual responsible that you will report them to the Environmental Agency.

13 Planning issues

The appeal against planning refusal at Crannog has been dismissed.

14. **AOB**

Roger Furiser gave out the news that Colin Squires has died, his passing will be mourned by many in Saltash. If you wish to pay your respects his funeral is on Wednesday 20th November at Weston Mill Crematorium.

Carole reported that the posters for the Carol Service are ready for distribution, they are waterproof so suitable for being displayed out of doors .

Marianne Beale felt that after the last coffee morning the hut needed a good clean, Marianne to co-ordinate cleaning members for Tuesday 19th November at 2p.m. David Salt to clean the steps of leaves for the time being, however the green slime that appears at this time of year needs dealing with. Warren Keith has offered to purchase cleaner from Mole Valley Farmers, this will lift the slime without using a pressure washing.

Rebecca Pearce is giving the last of her environmental talks, her theme is 'De-Carbonise Fast and Grow Slow' at Wesley Church Hall, 28th November 7.30start . All welcome.

On election days, John Beale has always opened and closed the hut. . John will do so on the 12^{th} December

A Tree Surgeon has been approached regarding the trees on the edge of the creek, he is unable to undertake this project until January, meanwhile he will visit the creek to survey and report on what remedial works are necessary.

At the November meeting a new seating arrangement was trialled -, it was decided to continue with this format.

Meeting closed at 8.24p.m.

Next meeting December 9th at 7.15

FORDER COMMUNITY AND CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION ANNUAL CAROL SERVICE -CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

I believe that my child/children is/are eligible* for a gift from Santa (*ages up to 10yrs and Forder resident)

Name(s)	Girl/Boy
Applicants name	
Residents address	Tel. No
Please return to Santa's helper Pat Salt, Lisko	erritt, Forder(8480880) by Saturday 7 th December
drop off a present with Pat Salt for their chile	om outside the Forder area are very welcome to d/children to receive from Santa on the night.