



Windermere
& Bowness | Chamber
of Trade

Notes of a general Members Meeting held on **12th November 2019** in the Romney Snug Bar, Burnside Hotel, Kendal Road, Bowness on Windermere commencing at 7pm.

Several members were present.

Apologies

Stuart Bailey (HaytonWinkley – Hon Solicitor)
Eve Blatchley (Hon. Member)
Stephen Broughton (Mountain Goat)
David Carter (David Charter Chemists)
Clayton Butchers
Tim Farron (MP)
David Ferguson (Old Pump House)
Paul & Rebecca Frain (Helen's Chocolates)
Mike Graham (Hackney & Leigh)
Alex Kirby (Oakhill Vet Practice)
Helen Lawrie (Land & Sky)

Michelle & Chris Harcourt-Poole (All Seasons)
Michael Holden (Michael Holden Chartered Survey)
Caroline & Jonathan Kaye (Cedar Manor)
Paul Liddell (Lakelovers)
Jonty Mayo (Musgraves)
Adrian North (Edge of the World)
John Reynolds (Booths Supermarket)
Paula & Graham Smith (Lingmoor Guest House)
Tim Swaine (NatWest Bank)
World of Beatrix Potter Attraction

Scott Keen took the chair and welcomed the assembled members.

Police

Nothing to report.

Minutes

The Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday, 1st October 2019 were approved as being correct.

Correspondence

The Secretary reported on the following items of correspondence:

- The Cumbria Neighbourhood Watch AGM and Conference – 14th November 2019.
- Cumbria Community Integration Project – AWAZ Workshop

Report from the Windermere Town Council Representative

There was no representative from the Windermere Town Council in attendance. However the Secretary read out various items of interest from their minutes of the 16th October:

- 1,000 native bulbs are to be planted in Elleray Woods together with some tree felling in the new compartment.
- PCSO Sarah Blacow had submitted a written report in which she stated the 27kg of litter had been cleared by the 'mini-police' from around the Baddeley Clock area. Under-resourcing continues!
- Cllr. Jenny Borer underlined and praised the work done by the Chamber of Trade to get the works to the Glebe Road Car Park delayed until after half-term.

Sculpture Trail

Scott Keenan gave a quick update on the Sculpture Trail reporting that he was chasing the costings for the miniatures. He also circulated a profile booklet of the artists.

The Secretary was requested to forward to Barry Butler a list of the potential sites in order for him to ascertain who the landlords are.

Alison Tordoff has been chasing the proof for the plaques.



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Windermere Catchment Restoration Programme

Barry Butler handed to the Secretary a handout from the 'Strategy Key Stakeholder' meeting held on the 4th October 2019. He also reported that due to United Utilities works, the Glebe Road Car Park would be closed with the loss of 88 parking spaces – see the Windermere Town Council report above.

AOB:

The Secretary brought to the attention of the meeting two items of interest as reported in the Westmorland Gazette:

- 31st October 2019 – a local resident's plea for a 'tidy-up' of the abysmal unkempt roundabout in Bowness, and
- 7th November 2019 – the call for the courts to be re-opened in Windermere.

Scott Keenan closed the meeting at 8:46pm.

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