



WINDERMERE – DIESSEN TWINNING ASSOCIATION

MINUTES

Committee Meeting held Wednesday 11 April 2013 – Burnside Hotel at 8.00pm

Present: J Borer, R. Park H MacFarlane-Wenzel Joan Stocker A. Pearson S Thompson Tony Blaney.

1. Apologies for absence: Norman Borer K Hertel J Jones P Bayliss
2. Minutes of Committee Meeting held on 28th February agreed as true record as presented orally.
3. Matters arising not covered by agenda:- nothing to report

4, Visits from Diessen

Jenny arranged hosting for guests from Diessen - . three people including the Curator of the Carl Orff Museum in Diessen coming in time to perform at Carmina Burana concert with Staveley Choral Society. on April 20th .They need to be fed on Friday April 19th and a meal will be booked locally to will allow Chair to catch up with news of Diessen. Transport needed on Saturday to get to concert etc rehearsal 2pm at School. Meals needed after that and before concert in evening. Rosemary/ Peter and Jenny to sort. Annette and Joan to do raffle for Choral Society.

Action School to push concert and get parents to support TLS choir at the event, email to be sent by Joan Stocker.

Visit from Diessen Carl Orff School to Lakes School setting off May 3 and they are travelling via York to Ambleside Youth hostel. Sunday Keswick., Monday Kendal Morecambe Bay, In Lakes School on Tuesday and they will walk up Orrest Head in Afternoon and Bowness ready for sail back to Ambleside and back to Lakes School for 7pm.43 pupils and 4 teachers. Mayor to be invited to Lakes School evening. Party leaving lunchtime May 8th.

5. Visits to Diessen:

Topfermarkt will be visited by a small group from 8 to 15th May for this major annual event. Most accommodation to be provided by hosts in Diessen together with other activities..

Lakes School group going July 7th -11th. Flying and using a coach over there. Visiting Munich, visiting school and Castles., joining twinning for lake swimming and BBQ. 40 pupils, 6 staff. Twinning committee will give a cheque for £200.00 for "extras" for the group.

Jenny to be informed of date and time of parent briefing at TLS and invited.

6, Events:

May 18th stall at St Mary's Church community day for information and fund raising. Garden Party June 8th at Fairfield hotel.coutesy Tony and Liz. Christmas Market still being planned for November 30/Dec 1st. Christmas Tea will be planned at Marchesi Centre if Market does not take place. Chamber and Diessen Twinning Committee need to work together and steering group formed.

7. Finance :

No report available but funding sound.

Group visiting Diessen Potfest would appreciate support for the Airport Taxi. Those not going felt uncomfortable about setting a precedent but are willing to fund the gift to be taken at £25.

8, Correspondence:

Peter Bayliss has offered basic German lessons for visitors to Diessen. We have received minutes of Diessen Twinning group AGM which were read.

9 Any other business

10 Date of next meeting : To be advised but probably not until September

The meeting closed at 9,30 pm

