BELTHORN VILLAGE COMMITTEE

Minutes of the meeting held at 7.00 pm on Tuesday 13 March 2018 in The Dog Inn, Belthorn

Members Present: Gary Riding, Collette Riding, Clive Carroll, Judith Hamilton and Marianne Davies

	Action
1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE	
There were no apologies for absence for absence.	
2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	
Clive declared that he was a member of the Dog Inn board but that there was nothing on this meeting agenda which would be impacted by that membership.	
3. MINUTES OF THE 7 FEBRUARY 2018 MEETING FOR APPROVAL	
The minutes of the last meeting were approved as a correct record.	
4. MATTERS ARISING	
There were no matters arising from the last minutes.	
5. CORRESPONDENCE	
No correspondence had been received.	
6. TREASURER'S REPORT	
Judith circulated the latest income and outgoings statement showing the current bank balance and petty cash total. She would add the insurance costs and upload onto the Charity Commission website after the end of this month, our financial year end.	
7. COMMUNITY ROAD WATCH SCHEME UPDATE	
There was no up-date available from Mark Griffiths. Gary agreed to try to catch up with him for an update.	
8. 2018 SOCIAL EVENTS	
Plans for this summer's events were discussed:	
Easter egg hunt:	
 Prizes will be awarded for pace eggs, decorated eggs and best Easter bonnets as well as how many eggs each child could find hidden in the pub 	

- Judith will organise an Ice the biscuit contest for children in the upstairs room.
- Entry cost will be £2 per child and a raffle held.
- Prizes will be awarded for each child's efforts only, not collectively as a family or group of children.

19 May - Garden Party to celebrate the wedding of Harry and Megan.

- BBQ to be held
- Big TV screed to watch the wedding
- Raffle to be held
- Royal wedding theme event so people invited to wear a red, white and blue themed outfit or wedding outfits including hats.

30 June - 1940s themed event to celebrate Armed Forces Day. Plans for this event to be discussed at the next meeting.

Jennie had kindly agreed to organise pub decorations for these summer events.

10. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Marianne advised that she had had permission from the Dog Team for the committee to put a whisky bottle on the pub bar for donations towards the village childrens and Over 60s Christmas parties.

Collette agreed to try to obtain a large whisky bottle.

9. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 3rd April 2018 at the earlier time of 7.00 pm, in the Dog Inn.