

Notes of the Executive Committee Meeting held at 7.00pm 22nd October 2019, Otterton Village Hall

Present: Bob Wiltshire (BW) Chairman, Jacqui Baldwin (JB), Peter Baldwin (PB), Haylor Lass (HL), Geoff Porter (GP), Jon Roseway (JR), Roger Saunders (RS), Martin Smith (MS).

Apologies: Clive Bowman (CB), David Daniel (DD), Nicky Daniel (ND), David Hatch (DH), George Maddaford (GM), Pat Porter (PP).

Minutes of the EC meeting held on 24th September 2019 were agreed and signed.

The EC discussed the following matters

1. Westcountry Rivers Trust have confirmed that money is available for an OVA gazebo.
2. Litter-pick date set for Saturday 4th April, 10.00am.
3. Christmas Party – Jenny Young is now in sole charge of the event.
4. Talks programme – Everything is ready for the first talk on Wednesday 23rd October (Dalditch Camp, Simon Fogg).
5. Planning: The OVA did receive an immediate response to letter to Mike Howe, chairman of the DMC (EDDC planning committee) regarding housing being built behind the Sir Walter Raleigh pub in East Budleigh. He suggested a meeting, possibly to include some of the concerned residents. OVA response to East Devon Pebblebed Heaths Visitor Access survey was approved.
6. Proposal to donate funds (£100) towards wild-life sanctuary at St. Peter's burial ground was approved.
7. October newsletter published and distributed