

Normandale Residents Association

Notes from the meeting held on Wednesday, 18th March 2015 at St.Aidan's commencing 7.30p.m
Sandie introduced two new members prepared to help on the committee. Anna Corbin offered via email to Edit the Normandale Times. Sally Jansen offered to do the minutes and help in other ways. Thank you and welcome to both.

Present: Pete Matcham (chair), Sandie Matcham, Grant Roberts, Anna Corbin, Sally Jansen, Margaret Cousins and Caroline Dunbar.

Apologies:

Notes: for meeting of Wednesday 18th February 2015 had been circulated electronically. Agreed correct. *Pete/Sandie*

Matters Arising:

Will be dealt with during meeting.

Correspondence:

(by email unless otherwise stated)

In: a). Blair Simpson: Account of third cost for exercise equipment in Jubilee Park.

Sub Total:- \$2263.33, GST \$339.50, total \$2602.83

b). Anna Corbin re editing the Normandale Times.

c). HCC re submission hearing on supercity. Tuesday 24th March 2015 9a.m. At Boulcott Farm Golf Park.

Out: HCC submission on supercity.

Treasurer's Report: Sandie's Financial Report for March 2015

February 2015 Balance C/Fwd. Westpac: \$2,116.37 Rabo, \$15,324.66

Income :- \$15.00 from advertising. \$38.11 interest from Rabo

Membership Subscriptions:- \$80.00 including donations in January 2015 (44 households, 88 members)

The monies in accounts include HCC grants for skateboard ramp and the \$520. for plaques.

Committee members had agreed via emails from and to Sandie that Blair be paid one third of the monies of his quote so he could purchase the materials required for building the Exercise Equipment. The amount to be paid in March is \$2603.83. This will use all the HCC fund money re the Skateboard Ramp plus some of our own funds which will be reflected in the March report. Sandie recommended we record agreement of confirmation of payment to Blair in our notes.

Report and recommendations agreed *Sandie/ Margaret.*

The Information signs.

Response from Nigel Parkin HCC. Resulted in Pete making minor alterations to board plans to ensure Council compliance. Pete is hoping for help with installation but this is not confirmed yet.

Exercise Equipment: Blair will place position pegs when things are prepared. If placed too soon the pegs would interfere with mowing. Pete will ensure HCC are in agreement re position on the park land at that point.

Supercity Wellington: submission was done by 2nd March by Pete. He emailed the submission to us all for comment. The submission hearing will be Tuesday 9a.m. 24th March. Boulcott Farm Golf Park. Pete will go and speak but others are welcome to attend in support.

Normandale Signpost: graffiti had been cleaned off.

General Business:

- A car had been broken into in Poto Road. No other reports on damage to mailboxes etc.
- Website update. Include procedures such as that required for the Inorganic Rubbish Collection, the Health and Safety notes etc. Meeting notes to be available for public reading, maybe without the financial detail as these will be available at the AGM.
- Be aware and support Belmont Regional Park re tracks etc. on the Long Term Plan. As a result of the latest possum cull the residual trap count for possums was reported at around 1%.
- The Regional Council had issued request for tenders for new uphill multi-use track from Stratton St to Old Coast Road to Grade 2 cycle track standard. Financed from logging revenue to replace Danzig lost due to logging.
- Western Ward Committee members had driven around looking at the area.
- Anna Corbin has offered to edit the Normandale Times. Sandie will explain details. Sally suggested profiles of Normandale Personalities would make interesting reading. Sally offered to interview such people.
- Sally offered to write up the notes for the meetings of the NRA. This offer was gratefully received.
- The grass around the rhododendrons had been mowed and Sandie and Pete had watered them. Sandie felt the trees that looked dead may be reacting to sprays rather than drought conditions.
- It had been confirmed that a recent fire was at Alice Cleland's house. Caroline to send an email message of support if she can locate an email address.

Meeting Closed: at 9:30.pm.

Next meeting: 15th April 2015 *Please note April begins on a Wednesday.*