

Churchill and Blakedown Sports and Recreation Committee

Meeting

Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> January 2008

At The Old House At Home

Blakedown

**Present:** Diane Welbourn (Chair) Ian Challis (Treasurer) Freda Griffith (Secretary)  
Amy Chatwin Judy Stokes Nigel Maguire Mark Swindells

**Apologies:** James Brown Russell Welbourn Jo Gardiner

DW Welcomes those present and accepts apologies

1. **Minutes from the last meeting.** Read and signed as correct.
2. **MATTERS ARISING.**  
**Ian** to do online charities return in January date to confirm with **Fred** , **Amy** to approach S Tubb for door repairs. **Ian** Pavilion keys check, distribute and check payment and padlocks to be sourced for changing room doors. Thank you letters still to do **Fred**.
3. **TREASURY REPORT.**

Fundraising account	5455.81
Sports Account	1980.51

More Blakedown Bolt cheques to bank, another Legal and General donation on the back of Russ Welbourn's fundraising, Parish council cheque for weather damage which will be earmarked for pavilion ongoing repair.
4. **SPORTS REPORT.** **Cricket** – Rope, **Ian** to buy at week end or text Fred on Monday with length required. **Russ** to book nets at Stourport. Cricket committee to be formed. Mark is asked to be Cricket rep for this committee (Thank you for taking on this position) **Football** – **Ian** to chase up suspects for the dirty littered changing rooms. **Ian** to consult **John** about the connection and therefore the leak at the back of the toilets. **Ian and Phil** with Ben Watkins to be included in talks with Blakedown football clubs Sunday league team. Pitches all taken on Saturday with junior sides as our priority due to their established support of the ground. Any extra slots over and above this would be too much wear and tear. **Nigel** to promote the sale of Ballroom Glitz tickets, flyers and ticket sales 10am Saturday or 2.30 Sunday. **Amy and Judy** to promote junior side in Blakedown School, using a flyer in bookbags and leafleting the village.
5. **WATER.** Severn Trent's bill is now £4623.88. Diane and Fred have met with an Engineer at the ground, away change shower drips and so do some other pipes but stop taps are used at the pavilion, not enough to explain this huge bill. Engineer again next Thursday to check pipe. Meter said to be ok. Discuss next meeting after 2<sup>nd</sup> engineer been.
6. **PLAYGROUND UPDATE.** Email sent round informing us all prior to work starting. Jim and representative visited school to inform Children there for safety (and anticipation!) Watch the space at a safe distance and remember that even once it is finished the grass etc will need time to grow and settle so it won't look its best straight away!
7. **BALLROOM GLITZ.** Saturday March 8<sup>th</sup>.

Posters	<b>Ian</b> – as many as poss – Hagley pub Post Office, Belbroughton, Work, Stourport sports club, etc <b>Amy</b> – Parish notice board, Parish Room, School, Crossing notice board
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	and some leaflets to access villagers not in school/other organisations. Flyers for book bags approach HP. <b>Judy</b> – Hagley dancing lesson rooms and some leaflets to access villagers not in school/other organisations <b>Diane</b> – Sculthorpe board, Primary care, example poster in colour for Simon to copy and supply the above and display in Old House? <b>All</b> – please ask for posters if you have an idea to promote this event.
Food	<b>Fred</b> – provisionally book 120 with Greg.
Tables	<b>Everyone</b> please help set up on night. <b>Jane</b> offered to help decorate (Thank you)
Website	Diane has sent details to Malcolm
Bar	<b>Diane</b>
Tickets	<b>Fred</b> – to number them and initially to distribute and pass money to Ian.

8. BUSINESS PLAN It is nearly finished, to be typed up, reviewed by us and then for general criticism!

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE. Thank you every one who supported the raffle, selling tickets, buying tickets, providing prizes.

## 12 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2008

Old House at Home

7.45 for 8pm

*If you are new to our list and not able to attend meetings I hope you understand the above! Any queries or if you want to be removed from the list let me know. Please support us if you can!*

### **DIARY DATES**

**BALLROOM GLITZ SATURDAY MARCH 8<sup>TH</sup> 8PM. BLAKEDOWN PARISH ROOMS. TICKETS FROM DIANE 01562 700623 OR FRED 01562 777471**

**BLAKEDOWN BOLT 10K RUNNING RACE FRIDAY JUNE 20<sup>TH</sup> RUNNERS START 7.15PM.**

**IF YOU WISH TO RUN, LOOK ON CHURCHILL AND BLAKEDOWN VILLAGE WEBSITE FOR AND ENTRY FORM.**

**TO HELP WITH BAR, BBQ, OTHER FIELD EVENTS OR TO STEWARD THE RACE CONTACT ME, FRED (via return on this address) OR VICKY, JUDY, ROS OR LESLEY.**

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**THANK YOU,**

**CHEERS**

**FRED**