

# **Perth Probus Club**

## **Minutes of Committee Meeting 29<sup>th</sup> November 2017 At The Sports Bar, Bells Sports Centre, Perth**

Present: Duncan Naysmith Graham Cox Gordon Croft Ken Wood  
Wasil Siddiqui Murray Scott

### **1.0 Apologies**

Bill Farquhar and Ian McLaren tendered their apologies.

### **2.0 Minutes of Previous Meeting 20<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

There were no amendments and the Minutes were duly adopted.

### **3.0 Matters Arising**

Duncan reported that entertainment had been arranged for the Christmas Lunch and is to confirm whether Mark will attend for lunch. Graham will provide the final menu spreadsheet to Gordon. Gordon and Ken will liaise regarding payment to the hotel.

### **4.0 Secretary's Report**

One of our members, who holds a Blue Badge, had received a parking ticket whilst forced to park on a double yellow line due to all three disabled spaces being occupied. Gordon had written to the Bell's management to raise concern regarding the lack of allocated disabled spaces. A reply was awaited.

### **5.0 Registrar's Report**

Nothing significant to report. We are still looking to identify a suitable successor for Graham.

### **6.0 Treasurer's Report**

Ken reported that 49 out of 52 members have now paid their subscriptions.

## **7.0 Outings**

Bill was not present. It was noted that the visit to Lindores Distillery had to be postponed due to a lack of numbers. It was hoped that this can be re-scheduled for next spring.

## **8.0 Speakers Update**

Our speaker list is now filled until 7<sup>th</sup> March 2018. Thereafter Murray will take on the task. Stewart McLeod had discussed a possible talk on the Kylesku Bridge. Murray will progress.

## **9.0 AOCB**

**9.1 Parking at the Bowling Club** – Murray asked whether we should consider a small thank you payment for the use of their parking space during our meetings. It was agreed in principle, with the amount to be discussed at the next Committee Meeting.

**9.2 List of Past Presidents** - One member had queried whether it was appropriate to continue listing all past presidents. It was agreed that this was part of the Club's history, and that we should continue to list all past presidents.

**9.3 Newspaper Reports** - Duncan queried whether this should be continued. However, the reports provide publicity for the Club and all other Probus Clubs in the town submit reports. We will continue to send reports to the Perthshire Advertiser.

## **10.0 Date of Next Meeting**

The next Committee Meeting will take place on 27<sup>th</sup> January 2018.

**There being no further relevant business, the meeting closed at 12.00pm.**