

Minutes of the Committee Meeting of the Illingworth & Bradshaw Local Activities Group held on Thursday, 3rd April 2014 at the Community Room at Illingworth Fire Station at 3 pm	
Present: Jean Butler (Chair), Anne Lees, Irene Mulhall, Rita Parkin, Audrey Reid and Jean Coles.	<i>Resolved/Action</i>
1. Welcome by Chair and Apologies: The Chair welcomed those present and gave apologies from Rose Grant, Gordon Heron, Brian Sinnett and Joan Taylor.	
2. Additions to Agenda:	None
3. Minutes of the last meeting held on Thursday, 6th March 2014:	Approved and signed as a correct record by the Chair.
4. Matters arising from the Minutes:	There were no matters arising from the Minutes.
5. Correspondence: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An email had been received from Malcolm Kielty concerning the local radio station Phoenix Radio based at Dean Clough. A three hour slot every two weeks was being given over to the older population of Calderdale regarding activities, memories, interviews, health matters etc. These items could be pre-recorded or there could be a live chat. • The Secretary drew the Committee's attention to the big fund raiser event being held on Thursday, 17th April at Threeways Centre (formerly The Ridings School) for the over 60's from 12 pm to 3 pm. It includes lunch, live music, live singers, arts & crafts, sit down exercises etc. It was noted that following this event they will be launching 50+ weekly activities on Tuesdays from 11 am to 1 pm and the sessions will include new age curling and badminton at a cost of £2 per session. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Chair thought that the person in charge of this had been taken ill but the Secretary to check with Malcolm Kielty that this is still moving forward. • Members took note of the date and some said they intended to go along.
6. Activity Health Questionnaire: The Chair explained that to comply with our Insurance Policy, members taking part in Kurling, Tai Chi & Keep Fit need to complete one of the sheets which were prepared. One form needs completing for each activity taken part in. The Tutors should be made aware of it all. People refusing to complete the form will not be able to take part.	All members to be given a form and made aware of the need to complete the form and return to each activity leader. The Secretary to email copies to members with email addresses.
7. Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer reported that the group had £4,737.20 in the bank at the moment.	The Treasurer was thanked for her report.
8. Membership: In the absence of the Membership Secretary there was no report. Representatives from each group were collecting membership renewal forms and the money and keeping till her return.	
9. Short Report covering attendance/issues in the current week: Art Class – There had been six new members recently but they had lost four people also. The Community Room at the Fire Station now has one less table and chairs have disappeared also. There will be no Art Classes on Thursdays, 10 th April and 24 th April. Crafty Club –Numbers remain between 12 and 14 each week. Again mention of the disappearance of a table and some chairs making things difficult. The Crafty Club are having a day out to Boundary Mills, using Illingworth Moor Church Minibus, on Wednesday, 23 rd April. Keep Fit – There had been 10 people doing Keep Fit on the 1 st April. Kurling – Kurling still as popular with 21 attending on 1 st April. A lovely group of people having a great deal of fun. Tai Chi - There had only been five people doing Tai Chi on the 3 rd April. There will be no Tai Chi Classes on Thursdays, 17 th & 24 th April due to school holidays.	Thanks were expressed to those delivering activity group reports. The Secretary was asked to put the closure dates onto the website.
10. Report on Games Afternoon held 11th March 2014: Everyone agreed it was a most enjoyable afternoon although not many attended but there were more than previous time.	It was felt there was no need to change the format and the Secretary was asked to book the room with the Church for Tuesday, 10 th June from 2 – 4 pm.

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<p>11. Updates on Forthcoming Events:</p> <p>Ceilidh: Zig Zag Band booked for Saturday, 10th May 2014 to start at 7 pm. The Secretary had already invited each of the groups set up by the Neighbourhood Scheme to attend but she will send a reminder. We need to know how many tickets have been sold by Friday, 2nd May for the food order. People at each activity need a reminder. Tickets are available at all activities. Posters are available.</p> <p>Line Dancing: Agreed to leave this until the Autumn. The biggest problem would be the availability of a suitable room.</p> <p>Christmas Meal at The Moorlands on Wednesday, 3rd December 2014: The Chair has now booked The Loft at The Moorlands for arrival from 5 pm to eat at 5.30 pm. The Membership Secretary has spoken to a Country Singer who would do a spot of three quarters to an hour after the meal for £35. The Elvis impersonator is too expensive even when he reduced the amount to £200.</p>	<p>The Secretary to mention the Ceilidh in the email to members about the Activity Health Questionnaire. Posters to be displayed wherever we can.</p> <p>The Membership Secretary to be asked to book the Country Singer for £35.</p>
<p>10. Any Other Business:</p>	None.
<p>11. Date of next Committee Meeting:</p>	Thursday, 1st May 2014 at 2.30 pm in the Community Room at Illingworth Fire Station.

Chair