

Move 2 Improve Minutes 21st October 2008

Present: W Leszke, C Ross, P McNeish, J Hardie, M Stewart, I Mathew
M. Williamson, E Dewar, B Kinnear (visitor)

Apologies: J Adams



Minutes of Previous Meeting: Approved - J Hardie Seconded - M Stewart

1. **Available Funds.** Update of funds from Treasurer and a review of outstanding bills.

2. **2008 Season:**

Ongoing Maintenance. Tubs at the monument, bridge, WBG offices, train, and car park to be emptied of summer bedding by the committee during the next few days. WL and MW to put up winter baskets in the square. WL to ask Euna Scott about the availability of free compost. CR to liaise with Pete Butters ref further work by Breadalbane Academy at the car park.

3. **2009 Season.**

Hanging baskets. WL to order baskets for 2009 asp. It was decided on red/yellow begonias for streets leading to and from the square. Orange begonias with blue and white trim for the square and pink fuschias for the new basket trees to be in situ by next spring. Quotes are being sought for next years watering.

Portfolio. Any forthcoming photographs or articles to MS.

New Displays and Ideas. MS and MW showed proposed diagrams of flower bed for entrance to Upper Birks, and for the new hanging basket trees. The committee agreed that plans should go ahead with these subject to quotes. A design was also approved for the sculpture of a large metal deer followed by a discussion on the best place to situate it to give the best wow factor for the village. Consensus was the eastern approach to town with the exact siting yet to be decided .WL to investigate if planning is needed. MW to contact Paul Summers ref design of the red hackle at the putting green.

4. **AOCB.**

Xmas Market. 10am Sat 6 Dec. Donations for tombola stall to CR. PM to write to Distillery ref donation of whisky.

Sweat Shirts. WL suggested that M2I have its own sweatshirt. This was agreed by Committee. CR to get quotes from Grandtully Logos.

Honours and Awards. Committee agreed that the awards won in Perthshire in Bloom Competitions should be hung up in the Locus Centre.

Xmas 'Do' 7.30pm Fri 12th December at Chillies Indian Restaurant.

NEXT MEETING THURSDAY 27 NOVEMBER AT 2 RANNOCH ROAD