



Sherborne Town Band Committee

Minutes for 25th March 2015

Present: Alan Derrick, Richard Frost, John Derrick, Natalie Miles, Joe Miles

Apologies: Sean Beechey, Andrea Beechey

Matters Arising:

For Sean: the committee wanted to find out if the band still pay for the photocopier

Proms concert date confirmed as 26th September

Another key has been cut for the Yoga

Band dinner is set to go ahead on the 28th March, 30 members will attend

Concert on 11th July has been accepted

Correspondence:

Job accepted for the 16th May for a wedding to play from 5-6 at Leigh village hall

Treasurers Report:

Contest has cost the band £2,283 this year which is less than last year

The committee would like to thank Stuart Hunter for organising the accounts to be audited

Agenda:

Band printer: Joe has found a suitable printer to replace the photocopier, one is by Samsung and another by hp, prices range between £300 and £400. Joe would like to seek further technical advice before purchasing. The committee agreed to allow Joe to purchase this.

Open Day: The date was confirmed for this year's open day for the 13th June 2015 from 2-4pm. Joe to contact Jim to ask for plan, committee to advertise event and to put the date to the senior band.

Beer band outfits: Natalie asked if she could have permission to purchase more outfits for the beer band as some of the old ones have fallen into disrepair. The committee agreed the purchase, John suggested looking for outfits with pockets.

November contest: A request for the band to take part in a surprise for Terry Bartle has come through which clashes with the Torquay November contest, Terry's family need to know the committee's decision by the end of this week. The committee unanimously decided to accept the

booking on the grounds of the strong family connections Terry has with the band and his honorary vice chairman post, also that it is uncertain that the band will compete in this contest and there are other optional contests the band can partake in.

Other Business:

Richard Frost took this opportunity to advertise an event at Henstridge airfield on 4th July this year, this event will be all day involving vintage vehicles. He is also exploring whether the band could be involved with this.

The committee would like to thank Steve Rogers for the work he has put in for the contest.

Natalie will donate her laptop for the band to use in the library.