

Minutes of Bolsterstone Community Group (BCG)
Annual General Meeting
Tuesday 25 March 2014
7.30pm Bolsterstone Village Hall

1. Apologies

8 members plus representatives from Stocksbridge Town Council, EPIP and our local MP sent apologies. Full list is filed with these minutes.

2. Attendance

List of 38 attendees filed with these minutes

3. Minutes of Last meeting

Agreed and no matters arising.

4. Chair's Report

50 new members had joined BCG and changes in the committee were explained. Colourful slides and commentary accompanied the following list of activities in which BCG had been involved over the last year:

- * St Mary's Summer Fayre
- * Garden Open Day
- * Winter and summer planting around the village and in troughs and baskets
- * Christmas Fayre
- * Christmas Wreath making evening
- * Updated website

Thanks were expressed to BAHG for sponsoring a flower basket and to everyone who helped support the above events in any way. Paper copies of the Chair's and Treasurer's reports and balance sheet were available for everyone at the end of the meeting.

5. Treasurer's Report

A balance sheet for the financial year March 2013 to March 2014 was put up on the screen for all to read. Sheffield City Council was thanked for providing a Grant for plants and Dransfield Properties and AMEY were thanked for services provided without charge. Thanks were also expressed to those donating Christmas Fayre raffle prizes and to the many volunteers who gave their time over the year. There were no questions about finances and following questions about assets, a detailed asset list will be sent to anyone requesting it.

6. Election to Management Committee

On the resignation of Frances Tivey and John Johnson in September 2013, Cheryl Rodgers has become In Bloom Co-ordinator and Anthea Peers became Treasurer from January 2014. Chris Prescott and Bryan Howard also joined Dorothy Kirbyshaw, Phillip Verhamme, Tony Peers and Alan Rodgers on the BCG management committee.

7. Presentations from Associated Groups

Interesting presentations were given by the following groups:

- (a) Bolsterstone Archaeology and Heritage Group (BAHG)
- (b) Bolsterstone Quilters
- (c) Bolsterstone Male Vice Choir
- (d) Walkers are Welcome
- (e) 4SLC

Everyone was invited to the Tuesday Art group and refreshments were served.

