

New Wokingham Road Surgery Patient Participation Group

Minutes of the Meeting held on 14th January 2022

Present:

Andy Wells-King (AW-K) - Chairman
Sue Honey (SH)
Brenda Metcalf (BM) - Secretary
Mary Twomey (MT) - Treasurer
Noel Twomey (NT)
Jasmin Bushnell (JB)
Rhona Stainthorp (RS)
Garry Curran (GC)

1. **Apologies:** Brian and Judy O'Regan, Laura Dalwood and Sheila Dinan.
2. **Minutes of the Meeting:** – held on 19th November 21 were approved.
3. **Matters Arising:** – Name badges for RS and GC have arrived.
4. **Treasurer:** Online banking is now available. There is £211.19 in the account, including the £100 belonging to the surgery* see Health Event. £36 had been raised from the three most recent walks.
5. **Health Event:** - The Morgan Centre has been booked for Wednesday 27th April and Dr Bishop and Michelle Yeates have confirmed they will speak at the event. AW-K is waiting to hear from Diabetes UK regarding a speaker and whether they will have a stall. *AW-K has paid £100 deposit and asked the Treasurer if he can be reimbursed.

Each speaker will have 20 minutes. Following all the speakers there will be a question and answer session. Stalls confirmed are Wokingham Healthwatch, and Foot Dynamics Podiatry. AW-K will email the committee if he hears from Diabetes UK or Diabetes Prevention Programme before the next meeting.

Update: Nick Durman has confirmed that we shall be covered by Healthwatch insurance and that he is able to print the posters. Nick will be attending the meeting on 4th March at 10.45.

6. **PPG Joint Venture email and social media accounts (SH):** It was agreed to change the name of the accounts to New Wokingham Road Surgery Patients Group. SH will liaise with LD with regard to advertising on the surgery Website and Facebook page. Finer details can be decided at the next meeting.
7. **Update from PPG Forum:** - Nothing to report.
8. **Information from the Practice:** - LD and SD were unable to attend due to Covid sickness at the surgery. We wish all the staff affected a speedy recovery.
9. **Walking Group:** The Christmas lunch at the RBL Crowthorne was well attended and was very successful. AW-K has been in touch with a couple who are interested in joining the group.
10. **Any Other Business:** - None
11. **Date of Next Meeting:** Friday 4th March at 09.30 followed by Event Meeting at 10.45