

KAPOSVAR TWINNING ASSOCIATION

Committee Meeting

Minutes of the meeting of the Bath-Kaposvar Twinning Association held in the Mayor's Parlour, Guildhall, Bath, 25th January 2007.

1. Present: Zsuzsa Jenkins (Secretary), Jim Cook (Treasurer), Rob Daru, Marika Rae.

2. Apologies: Kean Maslen, Peter Metcalfe, Valerie Inwood.

3. Minutes of the November meeting were agreed as a true record.

4. Chairman's report.

In the absence of Kean Maslen, Zsuzsa gave this. A meeting with the editor of the Chronicle has yet to be arranged. Action: Peter Metcalfe.

A cheque for £30 towards Martin Tompkins' expenses travelling to Kaposvar was given to Zsuzsa to forward to him.

More new members have joined; Mr and Mrs Horvath, and Patricia Sullivan.

5. Hon. Treasurer's report.

Balances are:- Current a/c, £ 981.06, Deposit a/c £12,319.58.

Cheques for £380 for the Hungarian food and £86.75 for Connections 13 were handed over.

Charter trustees' Grant. A form of application has been received. Action: Jim Cook.

6. Secretary's report.

Twinning Forum. The Bath Council website now includes Twinning information and the current issue of Connections. (Note: our contact details to be updated!).

Making contact with Hungarians in Bath. Publications such as Metro and Bath Magazine to be contacted. Action: Marika Rae.

International Evening. Cllr.Curran will discuss bringing in the Twinning Associations to the next Evening with the Racial Equality Council, which is the organising body.

Heart and Hand. Zsuzsa is following up with Beaumont House.

Culverhay School link. All four schools had a meeting and their bid for a grant is in hand. Valerie Inwood is our contact with the Kaposvar school.

Kinga Mogyorosine has had a daughter, Julia, and is on maternity leave, but there is as yet no replacement for her. A congratulations card was signed by all present.

Jan and Roy Jones sent a Christmas card from their new house in Devon; copies of Connections for 2006 will be sent to them. Action: Zsuzsa Jenkins.

Wine Tasting Evenings. The Aix association are holding theirs on February 9th, ours will be a month or two later, and will be organised and run by Lajos Mayer. The tickets may be priced at £12, to generate some profit for us.

7. AOB.

KaposArt accommodation. The White Hart at Widcombe at £14 for a dormitory bed or £40 for a double room looks both reasonable and convenient.

Compass International Youth Camp invite applications from 16-25 year-olds for the 15th - 30th July to stay in Budapest, Balaton and Kaposvar. Cost, £160. Marian Hutchings at Bath Spa University to be contacted re possible student interest. Action: Marika Rae.

8. Date of next meeting.

27th February 2007 in the Mayor's Parlour.