Little Budworth Parish Plan Steering Group Minutes of Meeting on Tuesday 19 February 2013

Present: Malcolm Carnegie

Peter Robinson

Tony Hall
Andy Martell
Jack Martell
Joanne Jeffs
Cora Cowap
Debra Jones

Apologies: Barbara Iceley

Stuart Robinson David Roberts

1 Matters Arising from Previous Minutes

Little Budworth Country Park – Mr Bill Egerton is very keen to keep the Country Park open and has offered this to the Council for a peppercorn rent with the Parish Council having some say with the regard to the Country Park. At this moment it is hopeful the Country Park will remain open.

Houses on the Glebe Land – A builder came to assess the field behind the Village Hall (known as Glebe Land) and it was felt it would be unsuitable for building. The PCC had earmarked this for a graveyard when the church graveyard is full.

Car Fest – The organisers of Car Fest are very keen for villagers to attend and have set aside 600 tickets for villagers. Villagers need to go to Oulton Park with proof of ID and residency to apply for their free tickets.

2 Matters Discussed

The leaflets have been delivered and this was found to be quite a learning curve. Many houses do not have letterboxes and their post is left in "secret places". Our local Postman was very helpful with regard to where to leave the post. There were more houses in certain parts of the village than anticipated and we will try to get hold of the electoral roll for more clarity when we deliver the questionnaire. There has been some feedback on the leaflets – residents saying it is a great idea and one could not get on the website. Google does not recognise the website as yet so you need to type the correct address in.

MC has done the first draft of the questionnaire. Committee members were very impressed with this. The questionnaire was read through and comments asked for. A version will be sent to members electronically and comments and feedback are needed for the next meeting.

3 Any Other Business

There will be a tree planting on the Village Green on Friday 22 February to commemorate the Jubilee last year with Mr Egerton and members of the Parish Council.

4 Date and Time of Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 19 March at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

J Jeffs 22 February 2013