

# CORSHAM TWINNING ASSOCIATION

## Minutes of Meeting held on 07/01/2019

**Present:** Roger Fido (RF), Jane Gater (JG), Christine Bastow (CBw), Maggie Rayner (MR), Maggie Smith (MS), Felicity Hurlow-Jones (FHJ), Nigel Millward (NM), Susan Wingrave (SW)

**Apologies:** Maurice Hancock (MH), Matt Wingrave (MW), Chris Taylor (CT)

The Chairman wished everyone a Happy New Year.

**Minutes of Meeting 5<sup>th</sup> November 2018:** Agreed.

### Matters Arising:

- SW updated Committee on hosting Colleen from Jargeau, who would arrive this Thursday and stay with the Wingraves' for one week.
- George Mills Trophy had been engraved with names of MS and the previous winner

### 2018 Events Programme:

- Sat 17<sup>th</sup> November: Race Night at Corsham Club. A fun evening with a small profit.
- Committee Christmas dinner at the Bell, Lacock, had been most enjoyable.

### 2019 Events Programme:

#### Thurs 9<sup>th</sup> – Mon 13<sup>th</sup> May 2019 Visit to Jargeau:

- RF had received proposed programme from Carole. Parts of it were not acceptable to us so RF had replied explaining that "Thursday Rocks" Choir members don't wish to be involved with all of the Twinning activities and do not wish to host visitors next year. Also our preferred visit is to Montigny rather than Orléans. Response from Carole awaited.
- There will be 31 people travelling on the coach and possibly 4 more which makes the trip viable.
- RF will write to members to ask how many would be willing to host in July 2020 so he can give Carole an idea of numbers. **Action: RF**
- We will propose Oct for our 2021 trip as more people are likely to be available at that time of year
- Committee thanked RF for his efforts in clarifying the programme with the Choir and Carole.

### Other Events 2019:

- Sat 12<sup>th</sup> January: Quiz at Corsham Club, 7.30pm with first question at 8pm. No buffet available. Raffle prizes required. Entry: £5.
- Sat 9<sup>th</sup> February: AGM and skittles at **Corsham Football Club**. Free entry. Note, Cricket Club not being used for this event as costs are prohibitive.
- Sat 16<sup>th</sup> March: French meal at Gastard Village Hall. Booked.
- Thurs 9<sup>th</sup> – Mon 13<sup>th</sup> May: visit to Jargeau

- Sat 8<sup>th</sup> June: Boules at Box
- Sat 13<sup>th</sup> July: BBQ at Wingraves'
- August: no event
- September: possible joint concert with Corsham Band (RF to confirm)
- Sat 26<sup>th</sup> October: Wine tasting
- November: Race Night (tbc)
- December: No event

### **Membership:**

- SW will review membership with MC in line with General Data Protection Regulations, once January standing orders have been paid. **Action: SW and MC**

### **Treasurer's report:**

- Balance is £8181.26 at 31/12/18
- MC to take cash to AGM to pay for hire of Football Club
- RF to take cash to Jargeau to pay for wreath for M Landré

### **Any Other Business:**

None.

**Date of next meeting: Monday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2019 at 7.30pm at the Corsham Club**