

CARDINHAM GARDENING CLUB
MINUTES of the Committee meeting held on Tuesday
20th January, 2014 at the Callywith Inn, Bodmin

Present Libby Pidcock, (chair), Loveday Sutton (treasurer), Penny Ball, Gill Bate and Richard Brice

Apologies: Peter Scholes David Flynn and Margaret Bate

Minutes of the previous committee meeting held on Tuesday 29th October, 2013 were read approved and signed.

Matters arising:

The club signed up membership of Cornwall Garden Society which will entitle the club to free tickets to events and a full programmed of events for the year.

Treasurer's report

Loveday reported a healthy balance to take us into 2014 of £537.40

2014 Programme

February 10th Monday – The club celebrates 25 years this year and decided to celebrate this occasion at the AGM with a cake. Libby confirmed Claire Woodbine is coming to talk on ‘Garden Art’

June 13th and 14th June – Coach trip to National Botanic Gardens of Wales – Committee discussed this event and noted last year's trip was not well attended and we struggled to fill the coach. Libby suggested a day trip by coach to Taunton Flower Show, Libby to look into more information.

Social evening and Christmas event to be finalized at a later date.

AGM

Committee members are due for elections and Richard Brice has decided to stand down from committee. Committee thanked Richard for all his hard work over the years and will still look forward to seeing Richard and Linda at the club events. This year is the Club's 25th Anniversary and

agreed to mark the occasion with a cake, cheese and wine. Libby to order the cake, Loveday to buy the cheese and biscuits, elderflower, Gill to buy 12 bottles of wine. The Raffle was discussed and decided to make it a special raffle with prizes of a plant, bottle of wine, a single subscription to the Gardening Club and chocolates. We thought the event would be lovely to celebrate with past members and Loveday to try and contact them inviting them to the event with any old photos they might have to remember the years. Richard Brice suggested a little quiz whilst members are enjoying their glass of wine – Richard to come back with quiz questions.

Any other business

Loveday to send out newsletter advising members of the AGM, elections and nominees.

Meeting closed at 9pm

Signed -----Dated-----