

THE DOVER SOCIETY

38th Executive Committee Thurs Sept 12th 1991 at 19.30 at Cambridge Terrace

Physical attack on Brian Munt: letter of sympathy

Apologies: PK, JG, PJ, JC, MR, KB

Present: Chairman, Secretary, Editor, Membership Sec, M. McFarnell, J. Owen, A. Galley, S. Standing, Budge Adams, K Wraight, P. Dobbins, C. Taylor

1. Minutes of Executive Committee No 37 of July 11th signed as correct:

2. Matters Arising: from Oct 11

f. Sewage: NRA reproached for delay and pressed for sensitive classification: reply to L Sensicle (LW): gross ambiguity to be questioned: subcttee offer does not arise: Tues Oct 1st meeting with Dunks and MP at Kearsney manor

: from Jan 17

2b. Wye Conf Sept 14/15: KW to report.

: from March 14

3a. DDC Riverside Walk Fund: D. Express riparian rights: letter to D. Express correspondent: MF/LW to write to KCC Estates re Buckland scrapyard

: from May 9th

3a. Peverley publication: silence: reminder by AJW

d. Living Over the Shop: Newsletter article by LC when details noted: for newsletter & "Kent Matters"

: from June 13

e. Guided Walk Aug 18: 22 takers - all local: £16 collected

f. Awards decisions all notified:

: from July 11

3a. Sea Cadets Jul 12: JO: Aug 31 St Radigund's tour: LW/JC: both reported: St R. visit by DSoc in 1993?

b. Chamber of Commerce AGM Jan speaking invitation accepted

4a. Open Day Southern Water Canterbury Jul 25/26: LW/KW report: v. good PR but primary treatment only, highly probable

c. Company of Water Rangers contacted: useful national organisation: possible future cooperation

3. Chairman's Report

a. Invitation to Connaught Hall refurbishment Tues 10 16.30 reported

b. " " White Cliffs Experience 150,000 toast Fri 13: LW to report

c. One off Gallery Castle St invitation to view Gardens Exhibition Sept 20,

4. Secretary's Report

a. Tpt Museum support agreed: LW to contact Clayton

b. Deal Society invitation for Nov 22: AJW & Mr & Mrs Lilley

c. Congrats to Castle St Area Society: LW

d. F'stone Water seeks new wells: LW to ask capacity for more wells and extraction nearer mouth of Dour

e. Stone Hall landfill: AG to investigate if rubble or rubbish

f. Transport 2000 £10 affiliation agreed

g. Various publications distributed to be read, passed on & returned

5. Treasurer: cash in hand £801.76: Concert Fund £1210.59: project Fund £350.63: largest expenses awaited: Newsletter: Wye trip? Pfizer £100 donation: JC opinion covenanting probably not viable: Diect Debit proposed

6. Membership Secretary:

a. Highest no. 373: actual membership 319: new 7: left 54: unpaid 19:

7. Social Secretary:

1. 1992 Programme

- a. Mon, Jan 13th Melanie Wrigley on White Cliffs Project in DHB Hall
- b. Fri Feb 24 Conundrums & Conviviality in Dover Museum or Wisdom & Wine (Booze and Brains) in St Mary's.
- c. AGM Mon April 13: Lord Rees or Sir John Arbuthnot
- d. Sat May 23 Dover Festival trip to vineyards and Stour trip or Sandwich visit
- e. Sun May 24: Guided Walks from Town Hall/ Market Square: AJW/KW/LW
- f. Sat June 20 Chatham Dockyard
- g. Sat Sept 19 or 26 Boulogne: Mrs D. Sutton to organise?
- h. Mon Oct 12 Awards
- j. Mon Nov 16 Members Meeting
- k. Sat Dec 12 Xmas Feast
2. 1991 programme
 - a. Sept 7 Wye College and village: £150 profit!
 - b. Sept 21 Kent Concert Orchestra: help with publicity and on the night
 - d. Calais visit October 5th: presents for maire-adjoint and guides: large colour print of DHB:KW
 - f. Oct 14 Awards meeting: Architect Koralek, Designer Reed, Pauline & Mr Gould, Miss Waterman, Paul Watkins, KCC Refuse, Miss Kay: NB hosts for River commendeers: Hall arrangements: Budge 30 minutes: 10 mins each recipient: refreshments & raffle 30 mins, Miss Kay up to 45 mins
 - g. Nov 25 Members Meeting: drinks & raffle
 - h. Dec Xmas Feast Sat Dec 14th: Sec to invite headmaster
8. Press Secretary: seven press notices so far for Concert publicity
9. Planning Committee report:
 - a. Local Plan: our suggestions incorporated: Honeywood sympathetic design, Castle visiting facilities, Officers Mess, Guest House monitoring and upgrading, no listed building demolition for mere lack of use, Tourist signs, skyline safeguards, waste disposal, Tpt Museum site involvement b. Battle of Britain Memorial: see Newsletter 10
 - c. Victoria Hospital & Conservative Club: building control surveys: DDC pressing new owners for repairs: grants available
 - d. LC reported Metropole refurbishing: rumours of Littlewoods/Argos shops/bar/flats
 - e. Dover Express: no Capel business park/hotel: Guston & CoC v. Honeywood III business park: (lack of DDC option on cost of infrastructure but previous errors admitted)
 - f. Letter of support to Broad Oak Steering Cttee: LW
 - g. Resiting of Webb satisfactory: DHB to be approached re Rolls!
 - h. D. Soc to initiate for Cannon St renaissance with DDC Econ. Dev Officer/CoC/developers: AG.
10. Projects:
 - a. Mkt Square Shop refurbished: final display of splendid concert posters
 - b. Lydden Pond: good progress: Working Party Oct 6
 - c. Lousyberry Wood: weeding in autumn Tree Week
 - d. "Goodwin" Light Vessel: DHB reserved
11. Editorial:
 - a. Newsletter congratulations
 - b. Roy Chambers drawings in transit
 - c. Ivan Green offer to be accepted for Jan issue
 - d. Member Steve Peters to take on adverts
12. DONM: Thurs Oct 10th: USUAL AGENDA *mutatis mutandis*
13. AOB: