THE DOVER SOCIETY

MINUTES of 41st Executive Committee Thurs Dec 12th 1991 at 19.30 at Cambridge Terrace

Apologies: MR, BA, AG: (PD for Jan & Feb meetings)
Present: Chair, Sec, Treasurer, Vice-Chair, PK, ML, LC, SS, JO, MMF, JC, SC, KW, PD

- 1. Minutes of Executive Committee No 40 of Nov 14th signed as correct
- 2. Matters Arising: from May 9th
- 3a. Peverley publication: reply awaited: PK reservations noted
 - d. Living Over the Shop: Newsletter article received
 - : from Sept 12
- b. Deal Society invitation Nov 22: warmly appreciated social gathering: reciprocation suggested
 - : from Oct 10
- 3c. Corresp w. Shaw re DHB privatisation: Hartlepool Port privatisation documents awaited: DS's Port Bill amendmts: draft reply to McCloughlin Min. of Shipping by JC/JG:
- d. One Off Gallery invitation 1 Dec: LW et al appreciative
- 3. Chairman's Report
- a. KRAG meeting: British Rail equally in the dark:
- b. Mozart Requiem Town Hall Dec 5: LW to congrat M. Foad, AJW to Ron Joslin
 - c. Tourist Board visit to Dover Museum: AJW introduced to officer
 - d. ET Env. Forum Nov 25: KW: presentations and platform visit
- 4. Secretary's Report
- a. MR to report Green Forum, Deal: Experimental fuel at Richboro power station
- b. BR Travel Centre only marginal improvement: EK no reply on buses to Priory Station
 - c. Marine Station monument: no action
- e. Periodicals: Civic Trust Env. Week May 11-19 1992: grant: JO to process
- 5. Treasurer: cash in hand: Concert Fund : Project Fund £1652.18 £.578.86 £760.47
 - : no change in methods of subscription payment
- 6. Membership Secretary:
 - a. Highest no. 384 : actual membership 316: new 3 : left 68:
- 7. Projects:
- a. Lydden Pond: Dec 9 free clay for 9/10 of whole pond: generosity of Star Plant Hire: congrats!: summer celebratory occasion: work parties Jan 15 & 19; Feb 9 & 23
- b. Lousyberry Wood: weeding in autumn Tree Week, Nov 30/Dec 1: JO, AO, MR, LW, KW, AJW
- d. "Goodwin" Light Vessel: DHB Property Manager still pursuing + square rigger: KW/JG reported development of W. Docks: Cambridge Rd and car-

parking: public consultation early 1992: ?Feb: 500 berth yacht marina: P. Manager to address Feb cttee on 20 yr plan

- 8. Planning Committee report:
 - a. Cannon St renaissance
 - b. DExp: Hellfire Corner Memorial Site:
 - : Whitfield new Grammar School Sept 1955: farmland: inf. later
 - : Rise & Fall of Crabble Mill: Ian Kilberry: review?
- : KCC land sell-off: Westmount & Elms Vale: KCC & DDC building land allocation: papers from MR
 - c. D Exp: Victoria Hospital: Salvation Army housing
 - : Granville Hotel/ St Margt's Conservation group
 - : Morton to chair Task Force to create new jobs
- 9. Editorial:
 - a. Binders to continue available at meetings
 - b. Jan Newsletter even thicker: distribution Dec 28
- 10. Press Secretary: Members Meeting, Pond success, PK's Anerican Exhibition all reported: radio & TV less cooperative
- 11. 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: all museum available: PK i/c
 - c. AGM Mon April 13: Lord Rees accepts: with Anthea: Blake's?
 - d. Sat May 23 Dover Festival vineyards and Stour/Sandwich trip
 - 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 Saint-Omer
- h. Mon Oct 12 Awards ?: L.Kay's Amer. Prof. Curry Dovorian/BGS: chargeable printed programme: Town Hall venue???: sponsorship from David Copperfield House?
 - j. Mon Nov 16 Members Meeting
 - k. Sat Dec 12 Xmas Feast
- 12. DONM: Thurs 9 Jan: USUAL AGENDA mutatis mutandis
- 13. AOB: MMF reported proposed Lions' clean-up of river at Buckland