

## **Notes from Croxley Green Residents Association Committee Meeting on 8<sup>th</sup> September 2014**

24 residents attended plus Chris Lloyd, Chairman of TRDC

1) **Apologies for Absence:** Judith Turnbull

2) **Minutes of last meeting** prop RH sec DN

3) **Inspector's SALDD** hearing in July re Green Belt and extra housing etc  
There was a report from those who attended the hearing and we await the final recommendations report from The Inspector.

Other issues: do we need more benches on Green? memorial garden? If so where. DN and Alison Wall reported back on Croxley House renovation and refurbishment of house and single storey building behind the wall. MM also attended. They reported this was necessary to make the house fit for purpose eg kitchens up and down and no steps they all agreed it was a good presentation.

4) **Little Green Pond**

Mr Britton reported on the progress following meeting with Little Green Res. Ass. They discussed grant, liability, and ownership of land at a meeting with CGPC, they have contractor, materials organised hoping to start work in early Spring. It was suggested that the land was historically common land, and MP informed the meeting of the previous efforts by the CGPC to reinstate the pond.

5) **Rights of Way Long Valley Woods area**

At the Public Enquiry application earlier this year the Inspector advised that there would be a modification in respect of the course of one of the pathways and that this would be subject to a consultation process which would be followed by his review of any responses. It is anticipated that the final outcome, a positive one will be announced early in the New Year.

6) **Community Plan progress**

The Chair of the CGRA is working with Cllr Jordan in order to summarise the narrative data provided by respondents.

7) **History Project and media matters**

MP and Ross were making good progress but more people were needed with proofing. Fabian mentioned Northampton University putting Herts on one map

8) **Croxfest, Apple Day**

Everyone agreed the Croxfest was a great day out with the children having armbands with numbers a good idea.

MP explained that the Apple Day had to be cancelled due to circumstances beyond our control and that it was hoped to hold one next year. The financial side of holding the event was the main reason for cancellation and it was hoped to obtain more help with the project by next year. There will be regular meetings of FOSO held in the library anyone can attend.

**9) Finance**

MM gave an update to the meeting and queried the cheque that we were promised – no information available.

**10) Presentation by the Chairman of 3 Rivers D.C. followed by the chance of a Q & A session.**

The meeting found Chris Lloyd's presentation on his role very interesting and helpful.

**11) Any other Business**

It was commented that it is a shame that whilst there are various other Residents Associations around Croxley Green, representatives do not attend our meetings unless they want help with a problem they have. We will endeavour to ask representatives for their input at our meetings.

The Meeting closed at 9.30