

FRIENDS OF PORTSDOWN GROUP PRACTICE

Minutes of the meeting held on 23rd November 2011.

Present: Janet Flynn Paul Flynn Peter Jackson
Dianna Holden Brenda Hulme Mary Underwood
Jean Strangeway

Apologies: Frances Geeves Sue Chaplin David Underwood
Be Scaddon

Minutes:

The Minutes of the 26th October 2011 accepted and signed by the Chairperson.

Matters Arising:

Dr Neal and Mandy have been contacted to let us know what we can buy with the donation from Pat Brain in memory of her husband.

The LEG machine at Cosham needs updating as money raised is reading £50,000 and we have now raised over £60,000

The 1% legacy from the residue of Mr Eric Baileys will not be available for some time.

Chairpersons Report:

Nice to meet up again. Christmas nearly upon us. The main thing to stress is the Raffle. We have committed ourselves to giving £150 in cash so we need to at least double this amount in sales to make it worth our while. We have given tickets to all four surgeries and encouraged them to sell to all staff. We would like all of the committee to take tickets and sell to their personal friends and then if we can take it in turns to go to the surgeries and sell to patients. Paul will sell at Crookhorn on Fridays and perhaps other days. Jean has said she will do some time in Cosham. I am prepared to go to Kingston, but would like to go with someone else as we are not so well known in that surgery. Paulsgrove is looking after itself but, perhaps, it would be nice if one of us gave half an hour or so up there on occasion to sell tickets to patients.

We also have Peter and Lynda's Mince Pie and Sherry morning on Wednesday 30th November at 10.30 am. It is always most enjoyable at Peter's occasions so please try to come along. There will be a raffle and probably one bingo.

The Bingo at Crookhorn is on Monday 28th and it is "our" one. Please try to come along and make this a happy and friendly occasion. We are going to have mince pies etc. (supplied by Chris Jamieson) and Paul and I will supply a sherry or soft drink and we will stay for the evening and play bingo.

We will draw the raffle at 2.00 p.m. on Friday 16th at Crookhorn surgery.

There will be no meeting in December as this would be 28th and so we will meet again on 26th January. Do we want to continue meeting at Cosham Park House or would you rather meet in one of our houses?

Treasurers Report:

We had two donations from the relatives of patients who had died and another from Mrs Brain (re: Maurice) for £130 which totalled £300 in all over the last two months. There was also a cheque for £285 from donations from friends and relatives of Mrs. Harfield.

I did a tabletop Bingo the day after coming back from Spain and the self service book store continues to be a great source of income. We had an income for the month of £605.98.

I have restarted tabletops at Crookhorn this month and hope the weather is kind to me up until Christmas.

As we will not be having a meeting in December I can report that our income for November will include a possible 3 Crookhorn tabletops, 2 bingo tabletops. 1 bingo raffle, plus monies from book sales from all four surgeries and **Peter and Lynda's mince pie and sherry morning on Wednesday 30th November 10.30 a.m. £2.50**

INCOME.

Donation Mrs. Harfield	£285.00
Donation Mrs. Brain	£130.00
Tabletop Bingo	20.00
Bingo raffle	35.00
Books Crookhorn	74.63
Books Cosham	26.50
Books Kingston	26.34
Books Paulsgrove	8.51
Total income	£605.98

On 3rd November I wrote 3 cheques for:

2 Baby scales (2 chqs.)	£461.48
Back books for Physio (100)	£103.75

Current Account £12,604.39 Reserve Account £5,111.20 (as at
3.11.11)

December income will include: books, tabletops and Christmas Raffle. No Bingo.

A.O.B.

B's husband is going to build the cabinet for book storage at Crookhorn.

Kingston have purchased a bookcase for their books.

A reminder that there is a Sherry and Mince Pie morning at Peter's on Wednesday next at 10.30.

All committee members have taken some raffle tickets to sell for our Christmas Raffle.

Meeting closed at 7.10 p.m. (Thank you again to Janet and Paul for hosting)

Next Meeting 25th January 2012 at 6 p.m..

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS WILL BE HELD AT MARY AND DAVID'S house.