

Minutes of a Committee Meeting of the Fellowship of '1066'
Longmarkers held at 16 Brading Close, Hastings, at 8-10pm
on Tuesday, 16th February, 1993.

Present: Arthur Coleman (in the Chair)
Esther Carpenter
Denis Coleman
Ron Powell
Ernie Spray
Joyce Coleman (Secretary)

Apologies for absence were received from Barbara and Sid Powell and Colin Sinden.

Before the Minutes the Chairman reported the latest news he had of our President, Barbara Powell, and read out a letter from her thanking the Committee for flowers she had received on the day of the Annual Dinner and for the signed card received later.

Minutes: The Minutes of the last Meeting had been circulated and were taken as read and adopted.

Matters Arising: The Chairman reported that he has confirmed the Christmas Tea booking with the Ash Tree Inn for 12th December 1993.

Dinner/Dance 1993: 63 people had booked for this and all sat down for the meal. By all reports received so far it would seem that the occasion was enjoyed by all.

Income was £731.30 including £71.30 from the raffle and it proved to be a good idea to ask the Ashdown ladies to assist with the sale of tickets for this. Expenses were £754.68, which meant the function showed a loss of £23.38. Esther Carpenter produced a balance sheet to confirm these figures and this was approved by the Committee.

A vote of thanks was expressed to Arthur Coleman and Esther Carpenter for all their efforts in making the evening a success and the Chairman asked that the Committee's thanks be conveyed to Tim Carpenter for printing the menus, which were excellent.

Dinner/Dance 1994: The Chairman had booked for this as 29th January 1994 whilst at the Yelton Hotel and this date has since been confirmed by Esther Carpenter when paying their account.

When the Chairman writes to thank the Wild Oats he is to ask them about performing for us again.

Suggestions for guest speaker were Peter Bratt, C.T.C., or Gwyneth Holland, Southborough Wheelers C.C. It was suggested that Iris Stevens be presented with the Ladies Plaque.

Financial Report: It was mentioned at the last meeting that in view of the low interest rate we were receiving (approximately 1½%) we should change to Girobank but the Chairman had heard nothing further from members. In the meantime the Treasurer had changed to a different account with the Trustees Savings Bank which was giving 4½% interest at the time but it was feared this would drop again.

Since the last meeting donations of £10 in cash had been received from Norman Channon and John Ashdown. These amounts, together with an amount from Petty Cash, were used to cover the Dinner loss. A cheque for £7 was received from Bob Seward and this has been banked.

The Bank balance is now £471.44 and there is just over £5 in petty cash.

The Bank and Receipt Books were checked and approved.

Any other business: None.

Next Committee Meeting: The next Committee Meeting was arranged for Tuesday, 11th May, 1993, to be held at 16 Brading Close, Hastings, at 8-00pm.

There being no further business to discuss the Chairman thanked all for their attendance and a vote of thanks was expressed to the Chairman and Secretary. Best wishes were extended to the President, Barbara Powell.

The Meeting was closed at 9-05pm.

Signed: *Al Coleman* 11/5/93
Chairman of the Meeting.