

**Minutes of a Committee Meeting of the Fellowship of 1066 Longmarkers held at 16 Brading Close on October 3rd, 2000.**

The meeting open at 7.50 p.m.

**Present:**

Arthur Coleman (in the Chair), Sid Powell, Esther Carpenter, Ernie Spray and Ron & Connie Longley.

**Apologies for absence:**

Apologies were received from Dennis Coleman and Dave Morris.

**Minutes:**

Before the minutes the chairman noted the sad passing of founder member Colin Sinden. The minutes of the previous meeting having been circulated were taken as read and adopted.

**Matters arising:**

Peter & Gwyneth Holland have now accepted associate membership and received their membership certificates.

Esther is progressing with the membership list.

**Financial report:**

The remaining dinner profit of £29.50 has been banked and the balance is now £753.29 with £2.71 and stamps in petty cash.

The bank and receipt books were checked and approved.

**Dinner/Dance 2001:**

The Chairman has been in contact with Joan at the Yelton Hotel and once again obtained the same price, i.e. £9.50. This is now the seventh year at this price.

Our tickets have been priced at £10.50 as usual and yet again sincere thanks are due to Dave Morris for printing these at no charge to us. Dave has also given the Chairman some more headed writing paper.

Speakers were decided as follows after it was agreed that Marion Ball should receive the Lady's Salver. The Fellowship - Michael Bridgeland. The Visitors - Wilf Baker. Citation to Marion Ball - Arthur Coleman. Grace and the Loyal Toast - Connie Longley. Toastmaster - Pete Wall. The menu to be - Carrot & coriander soup; roast turkey, sprouts, roast parsnips, peas, roast and creamed potatoes; apple pie and custard; coffee and mints.

Joyce Oliver's music has been booked but Esther will confirm this.

Raffle prizes to be donated by members but Esther to buy more if required. She will also print our menus and thanks to her were expressed.

**Christmas Meet 2000:**

It was agreed that the Chairman contact the Tower House Hotel to see if they will do a buffet for us after they put on such a good one for Colin's funeral. The date to be December 17th.

**Any other business:**

It was decided to send a £10 donation to St. Michael's Hospice in memory of Colin Sinden, and also to invite Colin's ex wife and former member of the Hastings club into full membership of the Fellowship. Her name is now Joyce White.

**Date of next meeting:**

The next committee meeting was arranged for Tuesday January 16th 2001 to be held at 16 Brading Close at 7.30pm.

There being no further business the Chairman thanked all for their attendance and a vote of thanks was expressed to the Chair and agreed by all. The meeting closed at 8.56pm

Signed:.....Chairman                      January 17th 2001