

# Suffolk IVC Committee Meeting

## MINUTES

Meeting Date– Thursday, July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at 7:30pm

Venue– A Zoom meeting hosted by PR

### Those attending

Debbie Gant	DG	Anna Ifejika	AI
Brad Rawlings	BR	Gill Reeve	GR
Phil Riches	PR		

The meeting was opened at 7:40pm

### 1) Apologies for absence

There were apologies for absence from Graeme Mount. It was noted that both Jenny Lowless and Judith Scott had resigned from the committee in the past month.

### 2) Adoption of Minutes

The minutes of May 23<sup>rd</sup> were approved.

### 3) Matters Arising

PR said the date for the Ipswich barge visit had been fixed and it now remained for him to do a detailed write-up for the August bulletin but to be sent to all asap. It was agreed that the suggested donation should come from club funds. DB said that there had been no take-up for her visit to Green Island but that she planned to put it in the bulletin again at some future date.

### 4) Officer's Reports

Treasurer and Membership -- GR reported the current balance in the account to be £1,507, after payment of the aIVC levy of £72. Membership currently stands at 32.

Webmaster -- PR said that the changed contact form seemed to have cut down the amount of spam received. He had also spent a lot of time purchasing and setting up software for the aIVC website and commented that the cost for WordPress users is still less than Agoria. He had a meeting with Bob Clifford in Ipswich to discuss the Agoria position and his plans to change its payment structure. He had completed a WordPress site for Exeter and provided some working details, which he hoped to expand for future members joining WordPress.

### 5) Events

GR had organised a Christmas social evening for Friday, November 29<sup>th</sup> at the Bowls Club in Ipswich and had a planned event at The Wooden Fender in August. PR hoped to be able to organise a walk in September after recovery of his knee from the operation.

### 6) AoB

There was no other business to discuss.

### 8) Next Committee Meeting

This was set for Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup>, at The Crown in Ardleigh. This was dependant on PR's ability to book the required date. The time of the meeting to be 6pm to eat for a 7pm meeting.

The meeting was closed at 8:25pm