

RHSO (Rivers Heritage Site and Orchard)

Meeting 21/08/2024 7.30pm

23 Rowney Gardens, Sawbridgeworth

Present: Ruth Buckmaster, Adrienne Richardson, Colin Gill, Hazel Mead, Elizabeth Waugh, Lanier Pole, Steve Rogers, Eric Buckmaster, Nickie Hancock

Apologies: Steve R, Geoff,

Purpose of Meeting: Apple Day planning

Topic	Discussion/ decision	Action
Welcome	Ruth welcomed everyone & we received apologies from Steve R and Geoff	
Apple Day	Apple Day plan updated and Risk assessment – Nickie to distribute & put on website. Adrienne to send to STC	Nickie Adrienne
AOB	<p>The Logo for 300 was viewed and approved – thanks are extended to Steve K Lanier to send to Chris for formal approval Lanier reported that grants had been approved New Trees - Provisional date of 1 December agreed for digging holes & physical planting on 8 Dec Town Council 300 launch outline given thumbs up, with thanks given to Eric – 1 hour, 6pm, week commencing 6 Jan – Ruth to explore best date Next meeting to run through 300 plans & Town launch agreed for 8th October 7.30 – at 23 Rowney Gardens Wassail date agreed as 18/1 as long as Zoe available Elizabeth W talked about the song she has explored with Zoe & possibility of singers from schools helping – committee enthusiastic in support Ruth will explore with council about battery operated speakers/ amplification Elizabeth W updated us on the progress with Rivers displays at hospital Eric updated us on how he has registered the Orchard as a ‘site of interest’ with Herts Local Nature recovery plan He will send details of webinair to us New notice board in Orchard – Ruth will talk to Chris We agreed that we do not have enough juice to do Scarecrows – Nickie to confirm with volunteers we agreed that our deposit for the stall will be a donation</p>	<p>Lanier</p> <p>Colin</p> <p>Ruth</p> <p>All</p> <p>Adrienne Elizabeth Eric Ruth</p> <p>Eric Ruth</p> <p>Nickie</p>
	Next meeting Wednesday 8 th Oct 7.30 to discuss 300 plans & Launch event Meeting closed at 21.00	