

Festival of Walks Working Group

Notes of Meeting 2

Date & Time: 15 November 2018, 9:30am Venue: Castle Park, Frodsham

1 Walks programme

The only walks noted below are those where further action is required. Walks where the walk leader has agreed the walk and date are included in the attached draft programme (PDF).

- i) Caroline will have a further discussion with Neil Flanagan about a "Walk the Beat" walk and with the Girl Guides about a walk for young people – possibly combining the two.
- ii) Peter to plot Iris Keating's route on Viewranger (supplied by Kath) for an accurate length.
- iii) Caroline has contacted Stephen Snowden at Peel Energy a walk around the windfarm. He is to check with operational team and let her know if it will be possible.
- iv) Liz to contact U3A walking group to see if they will lead a walk.
- v) Peter and Sue to come up with a Llangollen walk in lieu of the boat trip discussed at the last meeting.
- vi) Kath to enquire whether Runcorn History Society have someone with a strong voice to lead a walk and Liz to contact Halton Heritage Group to enquire of someone would lead the "Meandering Mysteries" circular walk from Runcorn Town Hall featured on its website.
- vii) Liz to email Weaverham History Society to see if they would be willing to lead a "blue plaque" walk or something similar.
- viii) Kath to talk on Sunday to Methodist Church Walkers about their walk.
- ix) Liz to contact Sue & Steve Smith regarding a Little Barrow walk.
- x) Andy Todd has agreed to lead a walk ending with a meal at the Helter Skelter. Tony to send Liz his contact details and Liz to get in touch to firm up details.
- xi) Tony to notify Liz of date and time of buggy push, which will start from Netherton Hall.
- xii) Tuesday Health Walk will run, without Brio branding.
- xiii) Paws & Claws walk will also take place but may need a name change as business up for sale.
- xiv) Liz to chase up a response from the Woodland Trust and Cheshire Wildlife Trust.
- xv) Liz to firm up a date with Joyce Porter for her Eccleston walk.
- xvi) Morning Chorus / Frodsham Natural History Society walk can't go ahead this year but invite again next year.
- xvii) Liz to contact Claire Birtles to ask Hob Hey Woods Friends Group to lead a walk around the wood.
- xviii) Liz to contact Judy Cross and accept her offer of a walk along the Trent & Mersey Canal from the ice cream factory.

2 Treasure Hunt

A sub-group comprising Peter, Tony and Kath will plan the treasure trail. Agreed to meet on Sunday 18 August to agree a route and possible questions.

Tony to liaise with Castle Park Arts Centre about using it as a hub.

Liz to contact recently involved mums from a playground project to see if they would be willing to have an input to ensure the event is child-friendly.

3 Festival "Fringe"

Discussion deferred to next meeting.

4 Date of Next Meetings

Thursday 29 November at 9.30am at Castle Park House.

Thursday 13 December at 9.30am at Castle Park House.