

West Hagbourne History Group

Minutes of Meeting 26th April 2010 at Silva Felix

Present: Josie Hill, Ted Kendrick, Eva Pinkava, Sheila Taylor, Val Walton, Mary Wiley

Apologies: Eve Setch, Linda Thompson

The main aim of this meeting was to look at lists of holdings, arrange the Annual General Meeting, and discuss the future of the History Group.

Lists of Holdings:

Josie Hill: Feast Day 1990, St. Andrew's magazines, Photos of Thatch Cottage, Mogg's Cottage, Village Open Day 7th July 1996, 1911 Census, Maps of 1840 (enclosure awards), copies of 1774 (boundary markings), Jubilee Parish Mags and video, newspaper cuttings.

Mary Wiley: Maps: Enclosure 1843 (3copies), Village maps of 1754, 1775, 1933 (2 copies). Other Items: Indenture of Thomas Widmore Loder, St. Andrew's Glebe Terriers of 1634, 1692, 1704, 1710, York Place tenancy between Windsor and Aldworth, Martha Tyrell's plea and Edward Sherwood's reply, Inquisition Post Mortem, Henry VII, Edmond de Chelrey and Watlington's Manor, Roll Call General Services Portfolio, West Hagbourne Enclosure Award 1843, Census Returns 1841-1911, British Museum drawings of Hagbourne Hoard, Fr. Anthony file, Woodley family file, Copies of Mr. Fletcher's letters, 1 book damaged for display only, Research file containing requests via village website, 2 videos (Queen's 25th Jubilee and Millennium), Box of various photos, War Memorial Dedication cuttings.

Sheila Taylor: Archive, all research and documentation for history book, photograph collection, Millennium Questionnaire results, House project, Correspondence File, Maps, Village Newsletters.

Ted Kendrick: House project, Video of Millennium Open Day.

Eve Setch: Record of Memorial trees.

Val Walton: Silver Jubilee Celebrations 1997, Village History Group Minutes, Report of Archaeological Research re Chapel of Ease at West Hagbourne, Report of Font Conservation, St. Andrew's Church, History of Postal Services in West Hagbourne, Photocopied census records of West Hagbourne for 1881, 1861, 1851, 1841; West Hagbourne Conservation Area Character Appraisal (2006), Photos of village events and scenes.

Treasurer's Report:

The accounts are currently being audited. Petty cash is with Edna Scott who reported that sale of tea towels is good.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF HISTORY GROUP

**Date and venue: Monday 24th May at Hagbourne Village Hall
(small hall), 8pm**

All members are requested to be present plus as many other people who may be interested in the future of our group. Members are asked to be there at **7.30pm** for preparations. This is a very important meeting as we need to decide whether the History Group can continue to function in the present state, (more members are required).

Val will invite members of the Village Association and Sheila will do Posters for Village notice boards and fliers to be delivered to each house in village.

Any Other Business: Parish Meeting 15th May at 3pm at Manor Farm