

Tuesday 21st March 6:00 pm
 Ramblers, Milton Avenue

Present:

Josie Betton
 Sue Cunningham (Chair)
 Mark Gale
 Gerry Hartin (Treasurer)
 Al Jack (GCU)

Lisa Jevens
 Marcus Ridler (V Chair)
 Penny Ridler
 Garry Slatter
 Cllr. Debora Smith
 Richard Noonan

1	<p>Welcome and Apologies: Justin Bryant (Local Trust) Isobel Edwards (GCC) (V Chair) Dave Hartell Mandi Holt (GCH)</p>	
2	<p>Minutes Accepted as a true record</p>	
3	<p>Matters Arising:</p> <p>a) Meeting dates: Future meetings, Sue to check members' availability. Update: having checked availability meetings will take place at Ramblers on the following dates: 26th April (HUB) 24th May 21st June 19th July 23rd August 20th September 18th October 15th November 20th December</p> <p>b) Website: Following the presentation of the Toothill website at the last meeting members were agreed that this would be the way forward for PBL. Panel members please contact Richard with any thoughts suggestions or questions so a decision can be made at the next meeting. Richard to contact web designers to develop ideas.</p> <p>c) Wireless internet access: Mark & Marcus to attend meeting later this week and report back to the next meeting.</p>	<p>SC</p> <p>ALL</p> <p>RN</p> <p>MG & MR</p>
4	<p>Finance Update: Gerry gave a brief overview of the current finances</p>	
5	<p>Podsmead Community Association: Marcus provided an overview of the current situation. The bar has become unviable and will cease trading. Present income does not cover expenditure, therefore PCA activities need developing. It was agreed PBL would work in partnership with PCA to develop a new business plan with help from the community development workers once the posts were filled.</p>	

6	<p>PBL Community Worker Posts: It was agreed to recruit using the current role profiles. Community work role to be advertised at £20 - £25k. The trainee post will be managed internally and would be advertised locally.</p>	
7	<p>HUB: Concerns that proposed redevelopment of Podsmead is having an impact on GCH approving PBL plans to develop the HUB.</p>	
8	<p>Any Other Business:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Panel members to contact: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Sue with preferences for Barnwood Trust workshops. b. Richard if they would like to book a place on Big Local Spring Event http://localtrust.org.uk/events/ Option for either London or Birmingham b) Following the consultation plans for the playpark will go to planning. c) Richard to contact Justin to see if there is a suitable check list when awarding a grant. d) The mayor will attend the Green Space launch event in April. e) Mark to send details of Gloucester Services job vacancies to Richard. f) Lisa to source office furniture through Emmaus and refurbish the garden at the HUB g) Weston-super-Mare visit: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Lisa to invite garden group members h) Family Funday to take place on 15th July i) What's On: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Members to send through articles or ideas to Richard b. Richard to circulate time-line for next publication date j) PCSOs have submitted a funding bid for Police Cubs after school programme. 	<p>ALL</p> <p>RN</p> <p>MG</p> <p>LJ</p> <p>ALL</p>
	<p>Date of Next Meeting: Wednesday 26th April 6:00 pm The HUB</p>	