

Helston & District Town Twinning Association
Minutes of the general meeting,
held on 12/03/2019

Present: Ruth and Martin Bywaters, Phil Hanman, Shirley Bassett, John and Esther Osborne, Martin and Heather Maylam.

Apologies: Giuliana Hanman, Paul Phillips and Neil Bassett

Firstly Phil advised the group that following on from Maura not feel well in October, she was critically ill and was being cared for in a hospice. In light of this very sad news it was decided to cancel any plans for a visit from Sasso Marconi this May. Only two people were planning to come on this occasion anyway, but Ruth did not feel up to the work involved.

Plans for a visit in October could still go ahead, if mutually acceptable.

Minutes of the last meeting held on 08/01/2019 were read and proposed as a true record by Martin B and seconded by Martin M.

Matters arising from these minutes:

Ruth questioned if the carved tree gift was put in the cabinet and she would ask Chris Dawson.

The social evening was deemed to be a success, everyone enjoyed the food and venue.

Martin or Ruth will drop a cheque into Vicki at some point for the Plougasnou share of the Christmas fund raising, as Vicki was not at the meeting to give it to directly.

Martin read out the treasurer's report and is available on request.

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Phil had been researching information regarding a British soldier who had been hidden in a church during the war. Detailed information to be confirmed.

Ruth requested that a memorial bench for Maura be placed in the town somewhere. She would ask the council for advice and possible funding.

It had already been decided not to hold a meeting in May due to Mayor choosing, so the next meeting will be the AGM on 9 July 2019 at 7pm in The Guildhall.

The meeting closed at 19:35