Nailsea Neighbourhood Watch Committee

Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 8th November 2016 at the Tithe Barn Nailsea

1. Present

Sue Lomax, Colin Oliver, Trevor Lyons, Brenda Dashfield, Pam Wakefield, Nick Hastings. Anne Slade.

1.1 Apologies

Geoff Collard, Jill Collard. Sarah Davies.

2. Minutes of the last meeting

Minutes of the meeting 13th September were taken as read.

3. Treasurer's report

Bank account at 08 November 2016 was £4,670.64

Cheque for £228 issued for Adroit Print.

Subs collected to date: £1,481.00 from 75 schemes, 63 of which were paid directly into the bank leaving 85 schemes still to pay.

4. Schemes progress

4.1 Replies awaited from contact with North St 3, Cricklade Court and Wyatts Close.

New coordinators for Hazelbury Road North and HeathfieldRoad/Heathfield Way.

4.2 10 schemes have been de registered. Situation will be reviewed next year.

5. Christmas Social 7th December 2016 in the United Reform Church

5.1 Clevedon Windows, Nailsea Scouts and Police have been invited to attend.

Prizes for the raffle, the quiz and bingo, 19 in total have been collected. 3 Committee Members agreed to provide additional prizes.

Gifts to be provided for the Accountant, Margaret and Janet.

5.2 Lengthy discussion took place regarding Committee Members duties on the night and the timings of the various activities, details of which are outlined on a separate sheet.

6. Advertising

The October Public Meeting was advertised in the North Somerset Times and attendance was improved; this advert was free. The Christmas Social has a striking paid advertisement in the Nailsea Paper.

It was agreed to consider the attendance at both meetings at the February Committee Meeting before placing further advertisements. The next advertisement should ask the question "is there a scheme for your road?"

7. AOB

- **7.1** Signs the current stock of signs is down to 13 and it was agreed to purchase a further 40. 50 new Cable Ties are ordered at 13p each instead of 50p via Police.
- **7.2** Neighbourhood Watch has had a fresh update to logo and brand Ourwatch. The new logo and brand can't be used until licence is granted to Avon and Somerset Force Area.
- **7.3** 2017 Public Meetings 4 speakers have been booked.

8. Next Meeting

The next meeting will be Tuesday 14th February 2017

The meeting closed at 8.30pm