

Lochalsh Woodland Park STEERING GROUP

Minutes of meeting held at Rag, Tag & Textile, Balmacara Square on
Tuesday 24th March 2009.

Present at the meeting: Fiona MacEwan, Tim Sowood, Elaine Hunter, Audrey Sinclair

Apologies: Iain Turnbull & Buce Taylor, Frank Burstow

It had been intended that this meeting should begin at LWP but in the light of the bad weather and poor attendance the only person who actually turned up at 6pm was Audrey Sinclair - sorry Audrey!

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Matters arising

Chainsaw course

Colin Parsons emailed with a list of suggestions as to whom to approach for funding for the Chainsaw Course - we need to follow up.

AfA funding

Awards for All funding grant needs to be spent by April 17th - still a few invoices outstanding and minor items to be purchased. (Since meeting Fiona has managed to gain an extension to the time limit.)

Reception Building

We will continue to progress terms of lease for above building. FC not prepared to move on the term of the lease or compensation issue. It was decided that we should move forward regardless as time is marching on. Frank to be asked if he would secure some quotes for work on refurbishment.

'O' Training

The last round of 'O' Training seemed to go well. Feedback received was positive. We got a mention in the British Orienteering magazine - perhaps Tim will bring along a copy?

Tim produced a tally of where we are with to date with spending and produced samples of map printed using the new high quality printer.

AOCB

It was decided we should produce a notice to be displayed at LWP, reminding users of the park that the felled wood lying around there belongs to the LWP. Folk are welcome to come along and help themselves (especially to the stock that is hard to access...) but a donation to our funds would be gratefully received!

**Next meeting is to be held on THURSDAY 30th April 2009 at 6:00pm,
beginning at LWP for a walkabout, then concluding at Rag, Tag &
Textile, Balmacara.**

Please note new time for meeting is WEDS 6th at Rag, Tag 7pm