The Stokesley **Pride-in-our-Town Association**



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MINUTES OF MEETING HELD on Monday, MARCH 10th 2025 at 19.30 in STOKESLEY TOWN HALL.

Chair's Welcome.

Attending: Caroline Rathmell (Chair), Fiona Wilson (Secretary), Ajit Patel (Treasurer), Sue Sutton,

Helen Fletcher, Adrian Rathmell, Kate Fulton, Tricia Virgo, Jenny Strachan, Ken Ridgeway,

Linda Purnell.

Apologies: None

The Minutes of the previous Committee Meeting were accepted.

Matters arising from previous Minutes:

- 1. <u>Spring Planting:</u> The plants will be removed and tubs and beds fertilised on 15th May. On Tuesday May 20th the summer plants will be selected, sorted and prepared for planting on Thursday. On 29th the Roundabouts will be planted, the window boxes replanted with water reservoirs this time and small conifers.
- 2. Fred's tree ceremony: A multi-stemmed birch will be planted outside the library on Wednesday April 2nd.
- 3. <u>Summary of tub replacement.</u> This year we can replace the final twenty-five tubs.
- 4. <u>Discussion on new tub and trough sponsors.</u> The Methodist Church have sponsored a tub. The secretary will approach Mrs. Lamplugh about moving her tub from the Drying Ground into town. The new window boxes have all been sponsored.

It was noted that the plants in the council tub at the Leven level have all died.

- 5. <u>Planting the Ziggurat:</u> Various ideas were discussed for the next planting.
- 6. <u>Litter Picking</u>: It was decided that SPIOTA has a great deal of work coming up and although we will do our best, we must stick to our primary function.
- 7. <u>Any other business</u>: The Ziggurat needs oiling. Tricia Lee and her daughter wish to attend the planting.

Next meeting: At the Town Hall to be confirmed.

The meeting was closed at 19.59.