Minutes of Loxley Environment Group - 15/3/18, 8pm

Present: Julie Fewins (chair), Dan Bate, Glynn Jones, Matthew Watson

(Loxley Primary School)

Apologies: Jonathan Baker, Maria Garcia,

1. Wild Flower Garden/Forest School Project Open Morning

The date of our 'open morning' was agreed for 28th April 10-11am. Informal gathering on the playing fields to discuss ideas for community garden, get village feedback and ideas to move project forward. No official presentation just the 4 of us talking to people.

Actions

- Julie to design a flyer for an open day on the field where community members can generate ideas.
- Matthew to generate school input, laminate student ideas etc
- Glynn/Dan –find and bring images of community gardens to give ideas and get creative juices flowing.
- Julie and Matthew to provide clipboards and paper, pens etc.
- Sponsorship item to be placed on agenda for public Parish council AGM in May to get sponsorship and raise profile of environment group.

2. Stiles

Glynn has had a look and estimates that 2/3 need replacing on Peter Gregory Hood's land.

Actions

• Julie to contact Jonathan to order 3 stiles from Richard Barnard plus 'dogs on lead signs'

3. Community Walk

Actions

• Advertise on 16th May at public AGM to gauge interest re the walk to Alveston.

4. Walking routes – 2 are now up on website: Julie's and Glynn's. Jonathan's was half completed.

Actions

• Julie to ask Jonathan to complete and send to Glynn to upload.

5. Litter pick

This item was suggested by Julie to see if people thought it was worth doing in Loxley. Areas to investigate are on the hill behind the village and along Loxley road towards Stratford.

AOB

- Two trees have been donated by Yvonne Brocklehurst: a damson and a Christmas tree to replace some cut down. It was agreed this was a lovely gesture and wondered if the damson could go in the community garden? Glynn to liaise.
- Logs left by Dan on field for community garden have disappeared. tbc

Meeting closed approx. 9pm, Julie Fewins