

Ferrers Triangle Committee Meeting Minutes

Tuesday 17th March 2009

1. Website

Decided good for small group to get together with Richard to look at website. Meet up to be arranged soon. Richard to organise meet up.

2. Facebook

Chat about whether to have a facebook group. Decided yes a facebook group would reach different people. Would be a link from facebook group to website and vice versa. Events could be advertised on facebook group and people signed up to group would receive automatically receive info about events. If people put pxs on facebook we will put good ones on to the website.

3. Sunflower Competition

Sign up/ registration will be Sunday 29th march between 12-2pm at the pub. People can come along and sign up and get their free seeds (four seeds each). People who can't come along to registration can visit Jane at her house to sign up. Judging will be in September

Cristina designing the flyer. Jane to send Cristina the content. Sally to print flyer on Monday. Flyering to be done on Monday night, 23rd March.

Jane will buy five packets of seeds. Money for seed purchase to come from Ferrers Triangle Account.

Sally make cardboard sunflowers in pots for table at the pub. Perhaps one on bar leading up to registration day to advertise it.

4. Planters on Ellora Road

Jane contacted Food Up Front rep Jen but she is no longer doing Food Up Front. Ferrer's Triangle needs a new Food Up Front rep if anyone would like to do it, or knows someone who is keen. We can put them in touch with Jen and the Food Up Front team.

We would like to do something with the planters by the summer, so weekend in May or June to do the work. Need to come up with design and cost the plants. Committee to each do a design of what they would like and bring it along to the next Street Party Meeting.

5. Newsletter

Cristina to do layout design. People send items to Cristina for inclusion. Next one scheduled for distribution in May

6. Charity

People to start thinking about local charities to donate to for this year's Street Party. Please email your suggestions to group. Keen to give to different types of charities each year. Last year Women's refuge and Homeless. Two months before Street Party to have made our decision about which charity. We can then include the charity on flyers and it gives the charity time to plan to take part in the Street Party.

7. Street Party Workshop

Streatham Festival Association have organised Streets Alive to hold an evening to talk about organising a street party. Date is Wednesday 29th April 2009. We are keen for someone to attend. Jane to book two tickets and we will decide closer to the date who can go.

8. Street Party

The date is Saturday 12th September 2009

Street Party Workshop this year will be making a large banner to go across the street 'Ferrers Triangle Street Party'. The workshop will be in June/July.

Allocation of tasks:

Richard Contact the Council re road closure

Contact the recycling bus

Talk to Gail about insurance, would she like to kindly donate again this year

Contact Safer Neighbourhoods

Jane G Talk to Andrew about making blackboards to advertise events on the day

Contact Streatham Society

Contact Friends of Streatham Common

Contact Food Up Front (might have a new rep by then)

Contact Dr Bike

Contact Tots Spot

Contact Lewin Pre School

Contact Scouts

Contact Ruth re Trade Aid Stall

Harriet Contact Lewin Church re borrowing chairs, tables, urns, display boards

Contact Lewin Church re Fair Trade Stall

Contact Norbury Fire Station

Contact Mosque

Contact Kirsty re gazebo workshop at school to sort out PTA gazebos

Cristina Design flyer, to be designed by June to give time for printing and distribution.

Suss out distinguishing piece of fancy dress (eg flower) for Street Party Committee could wear.

Liz Contact Streatham Festival re borrowing PA system

Look into hiring a stage, sizes of stages, costs

Look in to inviting local market sellers

Suss out what is needed for Street Olympics, eg more signage (Start & Finish), more medals.

Sally Contact Potter Perrin, last year's sponsor

Contact Top Car Autos, last year's sponsor

Do working budget

Make list of people to contact for raffles items

Talk to Duncan at pub about pub's involvement

Suss out obtaining books for book stall

Jane W Suss out what is needed for cake stall and big nosh to run smoothly.
Eg more people to coordinate food and label food.



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Make sure flyer includes info about bringing food. What food we could buy to help the Big Nosh.

Suss out feasibility of providing hot and cold drinks.

Other Street Party Items:

Shane has donated his large gazebo to the Ferrers Triangle (used for cake stall last year). It was suggested that we take it out of the PTA shed and ask about storing it at the pub (yet to ask Duncan). PTA can still use for school fair, but better to store separately.

Byron suggested we have an area for old people. Gazebo, chairs, table and a couple of hosts to get them cuppas and make sure the area is used for oldies who would like to sit down and watch. We could invite people from the old folks home near Sainsburys to come along. Byron and Sally will draft a letter to the home and then do follow up visit to talk about feasibility of them coming along.

Would like more fancy dress this year, in particular from the organisers. Suggested that organisers have a distinguishing part to their fancy dress, eg a large flower, so people know who to ask about the day. Cristina sussing out distinguishing item for Committee to wear.

Jane suggested more local music. DJ good last year. Put on agenda for April Street Party Meeting.

Need a volunteers list and roster for volunteers helping with craft.