

CROYDON VILLAGE SUMMER EVENT 2008 –
CROYDON HOE DOWN

Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 18th March 2008
at the Reading Room

Present

Colin and Cathy Friend
Marion Burling
Liz Jenkins
Di Walters
Malcolm and Steph Ralph

Apologies

Neil Brice
Zoe and Paul Martin
Michelle Hunter

Action

Matters arising from the previous meeting

Cathy had managed to get hold of a band – so live music will be the order of the day! 5.30pm start and hoe down band to start at 7pm.

Liz had spoken to Maurice, who will play whenever we want him.

Orwell marquees. Michelle had no success. Di has contacts for a further 2 – James Carr and friends moving to the Isle of Wright so will try them.

Cathy will phone/write to Jim

Hay bales

Malcolm to try other contact.
Marion to try & Margaret T also trying.

1.Format of the evening

This event will be a Hoe Down and BBQ with side shows (raffle, tombola etc.) The fun will start around 5.30pm with games/competitions and the hoe down music around 7pm ending at 10.30 with a half hour break for raffle draw etc. Disco to follow for those with any energy!

2.Music

See matters arising.

3. Ticket price

This would be entry only and refreshments paid for as required by the guest. £5 per head and under 16's free. Tickets available in advance and on the door.

4. Raffle, tombola, other options?

It was decided that the following would be held concurrently with the hoe down (or until sold out)

Raffle – prizes needed (pair of garden chairs so far)

Bottle tombola

Play your cards right

Hoopla

Roll £1 for whisky – Marion kindly donated

Duck pond

Coconut shy – Paul and Frank?

Horse shoes

Roll a dice – Di to arrange

Cathy managed to get hold of skittle alley and hoopla from Country Properties.

Help needed with all above and dependant on amount of help will depend on what can be done.

5. Publicity.

This is vital! Email to Garth to put on Village website.

Villager magazine

Press release

Leafleting the village to keep informed and also asking for prizes and help on the day.

6. AOB

Sponsorship

Bob

SIG (Tim Walters)

Date of next meeting

Tuesday 13th May 2008 at 7.45 in the Reading Rooms.

Cathy to sort out raffle licence.

Di asking

Dave Morris re helicopter.

Liz to ask

Lyn re

Wimpole

tickets

Colin to

obtain horse shoes

Di will

prepare a poster and do publicity.

Colin to write letter and “go on the knocker”.

Colin to write letter and

send to

prospective contributors