

**KESTON VILLAGE  
RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION**

Minutes of the  
Committee Meeting held on  
27<sup>th</sup> September 2017, 7:30pm at The Greyhound

Committee Present:	David Clapham (Chairman)	Leela Florey
	Kimball Ormond	Jim Woolcott
	Peter Zieminski	Hilary Ryder
	Alison Oosthuizen	Michelle Blythe
	Gaynor Christie	

1. **Apologies** – Received from Cllrs Carr, Bennett & Michael, Terry Boley & John Algar
2. **Minutes of meeting 26<sup>th</sup> July 2017** - Read and agreed
3. **Matters Arising** – Covered to AOB
4. **Treasurers Report** – KVRA Funds, no change
5. **APCA** – Website up-to-date. Local residents in Brockdene Drive succeeded in blocking tree removal.
6. **Planning** – David commented that the Federation Report was worth reading, particularly the local planning applications by Aventier (also known as Aventier Land Bank Ltd & Aventier 2 Ltd).
7. **Policing** – Cllr Michael reported by email, Bromley Safer Neighbourhood Crime Summit public meeting in the Civic Centre on Sat 30<sup>th</sup> Sept. At 9:30am
8. **Transport** – a) David would ask John Algar to contact the LBBRF to ask if the bus routes 146 and 246 could be better spaced apart. b) Peter Zieminski would write to Cllr Smith (having taken over from Cllr Carr as Leader of the Council) for an update on traffic calming measures in Heathfield Rd. However, Peter received a reply from Angus Culverwell (Head of Road Safety) saying good progress is being made with the proposals, although he doesn't have a date for the works as yet.
9. **Biggin Hill** – David said that he was very disappointed with the reaction from Cllr Carr regarding the mis-information given to the Council meeting by Cllr Bennett regarding the total opposition of the KVRA to the proposed Chapel museum plans. David also encouraged everyone to write to the Heritage Fund and the Lottery Fund to complain.
10. **London Borough of Bromley Residents' Federation** – Minutes circulated to the committee.

- 11. AOB –**
- a) Litter bins – still not being emptied more often so still overflowing
  - b) Keston shops parade – discussions ongoing
  - c) Defibrillator – Hilary and Michelle would seek volunteers to take responsibility.
  - d) KVRA Gazebo – Hilary would keep and let/lend out.
  - e) Neighbourhood Watch – David to contact John Bruce (Co-ordinator) with suggestion that we circulation info via our website/Facebook. Another volunteer would be sought by Hilary and Michelle to coordinate Neighbourhood Watch.
  - f) Cllr Michael has asked Toby Smith (Street Enforcement Mgr) to look into better safeguards to protect the common from itinerants.
  - g) Peter suggested we donate £100 to the Poppy Appeal for poppies on our lamp posts. Also, he would be signing copies of his book at Keston Village Hall at 11am on 11/11/17.
  - h) A number of the committee complained about the noise from The Fox particularly at weekends. David would find out who is the Licensee.

**Next Committee meeting:** Wed 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2017 at 7:30pm in The Greyhound Tea Rooms, Keston

**Future Committee meeting Dates** All Wednesdays - 15<sup>th</sup> January 2018, 21<sup>st</sup> March, 23<sup>rd</sup> May, 25<sup>th</sup> July, 26<sup>th</sup> Sept and 21<sup>st</sup> Nov