



Youth Group

Meeting 19.05.10 - 8pm, The George.

Present: Mark Sturdy, Kit Lee, Jane O'Dwyer, Sharan Jackson-Rimmer, Alison Heath and Julie Lee

Apologies: Ian Harbour, Sophie Clarke, Sian Hooban, and Rachel Prior, Carolyn Traynor, Alexandra Lee-Duncan Rowell and Vicky Arbuthnott

- ❖ Nicky Cox: unfortunately, there was some mix up with the date and Nicky was unable to attend the meeting. However, she will be attending the next meeting – **Wednesday May 26th 8pm**, The George.
 - Any further questions, for Nicky, please forward to Kit Lee at theleerugrat@aol.com

- ❖ Mobile facilities:
 - Kit Lee had contacted Connexions (the Cambridgeshire County Council support service for 13-19 year olds). They have 2 mobile 'youth' facilities based in Histon (double decker buses). On the buses are playstations, computers, craft activities, tuck shop, etc. They also provide 2/3 youth workers. It costs £123 for a 2 hour session.
Kit is arranging a 'taster' session. Dates to be put forward. There were a number of questions raised: What is the buses capacity? Are there toilets? Can we officially charge the young people that attend or could we ask for a donation?
 - There is a fortnightly session available – two other villages are very interested in it. It might be too expensive to do it fortnightly but could we share with another village? Perhaps we could share with another village and have it every 4 weeks?

- **Sharan Jackson-Rimmer** to approach the playgroup to see if we can park the bus on their car park and, if needed, use their external power supply.

- ❖ Community Room:
 - Would it be possible to join the Community User Group? If so, we would be eligible for a discount on the use of the community room. It may be too expensive to get the use of the school hall as well.

- ❖ Funding:
 - The next Parish Council meeting is on Thursday 27th May. A proposal must be put together asking for funding from the council. **Mark Sturdy/Sian Hooban** to attend the meeting, present the proposal and approach the council about a fundraising 'pot'
 - Spaldwick Social Group have offered to fund some sort of youth activity up to £250, so long as this is matched by the Parish Council.

- ❖ Spaldwick Village Fete:
 - The Spaldwick Social Group were approached and they were very pleased to offer us two tables. We could either do something of our own or they would provide us with the fundraising activity – a list of tables and activities will be provided. They are charging 10% of the takings to cover costs.
 - Jane had a number of fundraising activities which the group were very happy with.
 - It was decided that we would also use the area to do some sort of information/promotional display.
 - **HELPERS NEEDED ON JULY 17TH – KEEP YOUR DIARY FREE!!!**