

Minutes August 2009

Present: R. Yonge (Chairman), K.Beere, R. Clarke, G. Colson, H. Cragg, R. Doyle, A. Forrest, H. Killender, C. Lees, P. Le Fleming, B. Rice

1. **Minutes:** The minutes of July meeting were agreed
2. **Matters Arising:** The issue of partners being invited to evening meetings, was deferred until Club Council had considered the cost of Rotary. Members are always able to invite any guests.
3. **Chairman's Matters:** **RY** would considered the purpose of Club Service Meetings to facilitate attendance
4. **Dining:** An item would be included in the newsletter to remind members that **CR** was now i/c of these arrangements.
5. **Fellowship:** 40 people had signed up for the Ascot Tea – more were required. Other events in the programme were as listed in the previous minutes. It was felt that there should be a Rotary Cocktail Party in cricket week. It was noted that the next St. Quentin visit would be in Canterbury.
6. **Speakers Secretary:** The September programme was agreed. Any changes to be notified to **BR** for inclusion in the website programme.
7. **Newsletter:** The September issue had been drafted.
8. **Public Relations:** Reports of club activities were being sent to the press.
9. **Registrar:** Club attendance for July was 61.6%
10. **Archivist:** A list of archive items would be prepared.
11. **Membership:** There were two possible applications.
12. **Conference:** There are possible parking problem at Brighton
13. **Sports:** A golf match is arranged for October.
14. **Training:** Another get together is to be arranged for new members. Help on using the new website will be available.
15. **Health and Safety:** Additional regulations in addition CRB checks are pending.
16. **Next Meeting:** 23rd September at 60, St Stephen's Hill. **KB's** Apology noted.