

Minutes of a Business Meeting held 6th October 2020

- **Welfare Updates** David Lewis has spoken to Leonard Rae and Roger Bickerton who are both well.
Geoff Goodban is self-isolating prior to having an op on his foot. We send our best wishes for a speedy recovery
Sharon Jordan is very busy and sends her regards to all.
- **R.C.of Dhaka** Viv Pritchard reported that the RC of Dhaka have had their application for a Global Grant accepted. This project will enable patients at the local Cancer Hospital to be tested for Covid19 which is a pre-requisite for treatment. RC of Canterbury is an International Partner for this project and we will donate £1000 plus a further £500 from one of our members. A District Grant has been approved and our contribution effectively amounts to over 6,000 US Dollars.
- **Members** agreed Council's proposal (August Minute] to transfer the Balance of the weekly Raffle account monies to the Charity General Account
- **Dining Club Account.** Members will be advised of their balance some time in November and any balance will be returned to them unless they specifically advise otherwise. Those who do so wish to donate all or part to the Club's Charity Account should advise the Treasurer accordingly and may want to give some indication of where they would like the money to go. Gift Aid will be reclaimed.
- **Polio Day 24th October.** Phil Abbott will be purple lighting up St Dunstan's on Saturday Evening from 7.00 pm to 8.00pm. We have Volunteers to Steward for about two hours from 5.50 pm. Members might like to drive past in their cars or watch from the pavement opposite but remember Social Distancing and the rule of six.
Crocus will be planted the same day at St Dunstan's start 12.00 noon and a few willing helpers are required (PH VP BD and NM volunteered). Planting at Westgate Gardens will be held afterwards approx. 1.30pm
- **Quiz Night.** Peter Hermitage gave a trailer for this which is to be held in the evening of Tuesday 1st December.
- **MacBeth** will now be held on be 6th April. Get your tickets from Peter
- **100 Club.** Untold Wealth and life changing money!!! Graham Bough drew the lucky numbers. Winners were--- 1st Tim Brett £50. 2nd David Naumann £30 .
3rd Margaret Griffin £10. Congratulations to all. There are still a number of places available Speak to Graham
- Brian with help from Shabana is hoping to organise some socially distanced events perhaps walks or coffee mornings in local hostelrys, remembering the rule of six and any other restrictions that might be in place.

- **Open Forum**

A good discussion covering a good number of topics. The merits of Zoom which enables us to get together and have speakers from all over the world. The need for face to face meetings. Meetings in either format not only for fellowship but to aid our mental health. Fund raising -any ideas to Tony Loughran. As the Christmas Dinner is cancelled this year perhaps a special Zoom meeting before Christmas. Inner Wheel are holding a successful programme of Coffee Mornings.