Rotary Club of Canterbury Minutes of the Community Service Committee 2 October 2018

Attendance: PPs David Barton (Chairman), Sidney Denham, Harry Cragg, John Hill Rotarians Bob Anderson & Rosemary Morton.

Apologies: Deborah Connolly and Andrew Barchi

1. Minutes. The Minutes of the meeting held on 4 September 2018 were agreed.

2. Charitable Funds Available: £2084.00 increased to £3134 later in the day by a further allocation from the Treasurer.

3. Donations. A letter of thanks has been received from the MS Therapy Centre.

4. Buster's Book Club HC reported that the scheme was worth supporting and he suggested that initially we could sponsor St Stephens Infant School at a cost of $\pounds 299 -$ he would discuss with the scheme organiser. This was agreed.

5. Website Request – St Christopher's School. A request to help dispose of unwanted uniform items had been received and JH reported that the items were currently in the hands of the Official Receiver but may be of use to Operation Sunshine when released.

6. **SERV Kent.** DC is liaising with a view to arranging a presentation to the club.

7. Local Community News. JR to update in due course.

8. Care Leavers Christmas Dinner Volunteer helpers may be requested for this event – details in due course.

9. Catching Lives DB has visited and confirmed that the window repairs have now been carried out.

10. RYLA JH reported that the weekend event would be taking place 5-7 October and having eventually received joining instructions from District (after much prompting) both of our candidates would be attending. As in previous years it was hoped that they would be able to attend a club meeting to relate their experiences.

11. Waitrose Collection This had raised $\pounds 190$ for the Committee's funds – cheque to be received in due course.

17. Date of Next Meeting : 6 November 2018