

THE DOVER SOCIETY

12th Executive Committee Thursday May 18th at 7, Cambridge Terrace at 19.30

Apologies: Phyllis Dobbins

Present: Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer, Philomena Kennedy, Lin Clackett, Ken Wraight, J Cope, Adrian Galley, S. Standing, C. Taylor, M. Waite, J. Owen, J Drover

1. Minutes of Executive Committee No 11 of April 13th 1989.
 7. David Shaw MP will be invited to address October meeting
2. Matters Arising:
 - Membership Cards to be distributed
 - Headed notepaper : PK still to contact printer
 - Heritage Trail now in hands of DDC with our & other comments.
 - Prof Cunliffe to be invited to address Spring Conf. at Dover. LC to investigate possible venues, St Mary's, Webbs, Menzies, St Margt's Country Club
 - 7. Approach to Queen Mother via Countess of Guilford deferred *sine die*
 - 11. Shop front awards in hand. Dover Express and Ch of Commerce in possession of entry forms, excellently covered in Newsletter 4. LC added to panel of judges.
3. Chairman's Report:
 1. Member Deborah Turner had pressed for action to clean River Dour. CT reported DDC would cooperate and provide skip. Agreed to write approving and encouraging Mrs T's proposal and to raise matter with members at next suitable occasion, recruiting volunteers (John Sunderland meeting May 30).
 2. KFAS AGM & Spring Conf on Waste: KW to write to DDC approving such private initiatives as have emerged. Notice to appear in next Newsletter (Sept!)
 3. Kent Rail Action Group of May 17 briefly reported. Meeting welcomed JG's assurance that long-awaited decision on A20 expected July and road could exist in 1993. Meeting regretted recent govt plan for road development in preference to rail.

4 Autumn Conf Sept 16/17: High Speed Kent: Rail, Houses, Land: + Roads.
4. Secretary's Report: attention drawn to due Civic Trust subscription
5. Treasurer's Report: approx £260 in hand of which £80 are 5-year subs. 210 members of whom 60 are 5-year. Membership Cards to cost £35. Fund-raising & subs discussed and how to collect outstanding subs.
6. Editor: Chairman gave unstinted and well-deserved praise for Newsletter 4. PK could not do No 5 but would contribute Letter From America. committee would rally round and submit material to JW and MW would undertake layout and graphics. Distribution to be organised by KB & JW. SS to send No. 4 to Local papers, radio & TV. To be labelled.

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Copies of 4 to DDC per LW with Compliments slips.

7. Planning Committee: KW commented on proposed development in Granville St, conversion of Geo Thomas premises to be 3 shops, possibility of yet more shops in Pencester Gdns (the concern of PD and her Group), conversion to dwellings of stables at Bushy Ruff. He described excellent liaison with DDC and seeks above all clarification of long-term large-scale planning re: shops in general and development of Dover Engineering Works site and north of there. He needs two more sub-cttee members.
8. Social Secretary reported completed arrangements for Rochester Tour and Dover College Garden Party. PJ to contact JS re John Sunderland hospitality, projector etc for meeting of Tuesday May 30. Meeting to include Society business: waste/salvage (see above [3(1)] and shop front awards to be announced. DDC Officers, the Mayor and Leader to be invited. LC wondered whether certain meetings should be limited to members only.
9. Date of Next Meeting: Thursday June 8th
10. Any Other Business: future dates: 16 Sept Tour of W. Docks (JG): details later: special circular necessary. Xmas Dinner Dover College Friday 8 December and not as announced.

13th Exec Thursday June 8 at Cambridge Terrace at 7.30 p.m.

AGENDA

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2. Matters Arising
3. Chairman's Report
4. Secretary's Report
5. Treasurer and Membership Secretary's Report
6. Social Secretary's Report
7. Planning Committee's Report
8. Editor's Report
9. Date of Next Meeting
10. Any Other Business