

Buckland Dinham Amenities Group –

Minutes from meeting 03.04.25

Attendees:

Jackie Citron, Chris Durlacher, Alan King, Rebecca Carey, Blair and Jackie Staynings

1. Minutes from previous meeting were handed round by Chris and approved.

2. Chris feedback from Village Gathering.

- 2.1 The news about the Fayre was well received.
- 2.2 The playground spring clean was also well received.
- 2.3 The Community Swap is up and running on the new village WhatsApp Community. Jackie didn't know about the new WhatsApp Community which suggests that there are still people in the village who need to be informed.

3. Jackie provided an update on the Strawberry Fayre.

- 3.1 There is one food vendor already signed up.
- 3.2 The Frome Twon Crier is confirmed.
- 3.3 They have some music but are looking for more performers. Chris suggested Lanky Divas – a Frome band he knows.
- 3.4 They are still seeking a strawberry supplier.

4. Chris update on Playing Field Spring Clean

- 4.1 Chris has trimmed and cleared the growth in the pathway alongside the playing field.
- 4.2 A date for the main clean-up will be set this very shortly – a Saturday in mid May. It will be announced on the village WhatsApp Community.
- 4.3 Lucy Gundry will do a mural with the kids either on this day or around it. Blair can also do murals.

5. Update on Community Swap

- 5.1 Chris reported that although this has been established and the WhatsApp group has quite a few members it's not really being used because this sort of thing happens on the village chat anyway.
- 5.2 Therefore Chris announced that he speak to Libby Squire about closing this group.

6. Other projects.

- 6.1 Although there were people at the village gathering who said they would come along to a BAG meeting, nobody showed. But it was agreed that this is a new phenomenon in the village and that it we should be patient. It will develop.

7. Provisional dates proposed for next BAG meeting were Thursday 8th or 15th May. Chris to check with Susie about the availability of the Village Hall.

