

ALDRIDGE SHED

These are the minutes of the Aldridge Shed, Tuesday 6th March 2018. 10. 00 am. In attendance –Alan Grice, Gail Deeley, Ian Davis, Elaine Chick, Pauline Stephens, Dereck Fern, Mark Perry.

Apologies –David Homfrey, Ivor Anderson

Minutes of 9th February 2018 approved. But still to do's, Get spare keys cut, **Ian**. labelling of electric plugs.

Space – We had a discussion on how we are currently running out of space, we are already using one toilet for storage. We need to finally decide, and if agreed make the changes to the office area to free up the sink/boiler area for more bench area. Make better use of the foyer and sort through and dispose of old computer equipment and old hand tools from storeroom and bathroom toilet.

Membership update – We are now at 42 members

Grants – We have two in progress. £5.000 from Screwfix main use machinery and consumables

£1.000 from ASDA main use advertising

Paperwork has been started for lottery funding possible use CNC M/c

Website – Now up and running. Everyone was happy with it and special thanks to Steve Hames (SJH Computing) and Ivor for their efforts in setting it up. We feel that this is a good deal for £10.00 a month.

Open day – Weds 11th April 2018. Draft Flier discussed, a few small changes asked for and then copies printed. **Ivor to complete.**

We need to produce items for sale on the day and at the Brownhills C.A. event where we agreed on having 2 stalls @ £10 each. One for promoting the Shed and one for selling items.

A.G.M. – End of June 2018. Email members asking for them to consider joining the committee. **Ian**. Alan willing to take on Chair & Ian Treasurer.

Financial Report –

Balance	£2,692.13	
In	£508.50.	donations/session fees
Out	£598.70	
Banked	££520.00	

No Petty Cash figures as the tins amount is not tallying with the book. Members are still forgetting to pay even though they may or may not have signed in.

Next Meeting - Tuesday 3rd April 2018 10AM