

HyHo Annual General Meeting 2005 Minutes

2004 Review

- **HyHo Summer Ball in conjunction with Helmdon School**

- 190 guests enjoyed a great night and gave fantastic support resulting in a £5000+ profit. The primary aim was to just do it and have a village event, to make such a large sum with the first attempt was a bonus.
- The ball committee set the following objectives for the money raised:
 1. A tangible asset for the village that could be attributed to the 2004 Summer Ball.
 2. To be a benefit to the school as well as Helmdon residents.
 3. Reflect the ideas and direction set out in the village plan.
- Open discussions were held and suggestions taken from attending HyHo members. A wooden staging and stepped seating area to be located on the school field was the popular choice and meet the all of the above objectives. It is hoped that such an asset can be used as an outdoor classroom, theatre and seating area.
- Match funding and grants are currently being applied for to increase the sum of money to be spent and the project can't be finalized until these are complete.
- The majority of the money raised is being held by the Friends of the School, this has many benefits being a registered charitable organisation.
- Other smaller sums of money has been donated to village activities and are detailed in the financial report.
- Special thanks to Sue Blackburn, John Plunkett, Gareth Dean, Alistair Ezzy who were the main driving force. Plus a thanks to everybody that came, drank and spent money.
- It is provisionally planned to have the 2nd HyHo Ball in 2006.

2004 Financial Report

Helmdon Young Husbands accounts - Jan 2005

Opening Balance	£ 661.67
Previous donations not cashed	£ 263.77
Summer Ball money	£ 240.00
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2004 donations	
Helmdon Acorns	-£ 100.00
CKERS Youth Club	-£ 100.00
Village Christmas tree	-£ 30.00
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	£ 935.44
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provisional figure to be confirmed by next bank statement

- The account balance will be retained for further village donations and funding other HyHo activities.

2005 Chairperson (*HyHo are an equal rights society*) **& Treasurer**

- Nick Bullen offer to remain as Treasurer was accepted and carried without opposition.
- Simon Cherry was nominated and voted in without opposition as the new Chairperson. It was minuted that this position was accepted, but Simon may have just wanted to order a drink.

2005 events

- Monthly beer meetings, 2nd Friday of the month at the Bell Helmdon. Support the pub!
- Hook Norton Brewery visit - Chairperson Simon Cherry is the organizer, details to follow.
- Barn Dance on the 9th July with Pandemonium – the volunteers were noted by Paul Underwood and will be called upon to help organise and run. In the past we have all help sell tickets and drink the beer.

Thank you

- Richard prepared a very enjoyable curry on the evening of the AGM, we owe our thanks and support to him for keeping the Bell open. Thank you.
- Thank you to everybody who came to the AGM and your continued support of the HyHo's.
- Finally a large pint shaped thank you to everybody who has made my many years as Chairman challenging, interesting and memorable. You could go so far to say I enjoyed it all and thanks to you all the help and support.
- My best wishes to Simon who I'm sure will take much pleasure in making a huge contribution to Young Husbands.