

Golcar Lily Day AGM September 4th 2018

Apologies Anne Lord, Hilary Richards, Louise Barker, Renee Wyatt

Attending Sue Starr, Marion Hall, Margaret Laycock, Suzanne Ellis, Craig Ellis, John Broadbent, Sara Jane Poshil, Nore Beaumont, Philip Houlton, Elaine Oldham, Barbara Armitage, Lynne, Knight, Mark Evans, Sara Evans

Sue's report

A warm and pleasant day. I can't often say that!

At our praise and shout meeting in June we discussed whether there were fewer visitors this year. It is difficult to tell, as always. People were very spread out this year and most people were outside. The field was busier this year. Those who were there seemed to be having a good time.

The Lions coming to help to set up made a massive difference. And I am very grateful. But we had no one to make any announcements and we were struggling to clean away at the end of the day. We need more people for Golcar Lily Day itself. Different organisations come to meetings which helps us to keep everything together but then on the day they have their own events to run. I need to ask everyone to spare part of the day to be in the village. It's a difficult day because it is so far spread, but without the central event the rest of the day wouldn't happen. We must have an announcer this year.

The venues taking part were; Parkwood, Drop By, Golcar Transport Collection, St John's Church, the museum, the library, scouts, Scape Baptist Church and all local pubs and clubs. A photographic exhibition was held at Lord's Brewery. St John's and museum were quiet but other venues busy. As ever the library was very important and we are grateful for their hospitality.

Road closure and procession went well. Thanks to Nore for the music and to Margaret for agreeing to arrange it next year.

We cut everything back this year which helped financially. Thanks to Sue and Craig who went through everything with a fine tooth comb and produced a very useful one page programme. I hope that everyone had a good day.

Next year will be May 11th.

Marion reported on finance. Report available on web site. Sue reminded everyone of the site where people can make regular donations.

Environment group. Congratulations on the work done in the village. It looks lovely. Many thanks to Betty Taylor for decorating wellies again. Thanks to the Winkles for their work with the bunting.

Elections. Sue Starr Chair, Marion Hall treasurer. No other volunteers. A secretary is needed to take minutes at meetings and type up.

A visit is to be made to the Walkers Arms to discuss their involvement.

Signage. Desperately need better signage. Sue will contact the man who has made the banners to discuss possibilities. John B is to contact the owner of the flats in Jubilee Square a poster there would solve a lot of our problems.

Village. Getting the knitting out again. (after meeting discussed with knitters at Drop By and the Library and they are all very pleased about this) Contact, fire brigade and Mountain rescue to suggest their involvement. Sue and Mark to talk to Huddersfield Live. Local groups to be contacted for time in the village centre. Lynne going to visit garden centre to discuss provision of flower tubs for the day. No one has received donations from the bouncy castle. Soo is going to contact him. Lynne will contact golf club to find out if they want to be involved again.

The Sing This is being moved away from Golcar Lily Day. Margaret Laycock is looking for suggestions about how we should proceed and will contact Emily Reeves Bradley as a starting point.

Events

Library Fun Palace Saturday October 6th 10.00 - 12.00

Golcar Lily Day Gift Fair Saturday October 13th at St John's 10.00 - 2.00

Ceilidh October 20th at St John's

Wine Tasting November 17th 7.30 at St John's

Table top Sale October 6th 10.00 - 3.00 at Parkwood

Fashion Show Chain reaction November 9th 7.00 at Providence

Golcar Remembers 1918 4th - 10th November at Scouts. Open every evening

Christmas Lights November 30th Christmas Fair at Scouts

Watch out for "Golcar Local" Quarterly Community Guide issued by Scouts

Anything for the website send to events@golcarlilyday.co.uk

Next meeting Monday October 1st 7.30 at the Rose and Crown

Thank you to everyone who attended the meeting