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Minutes of Third Meeting of Friends of Historic Langney Priory, held at the Priory on Saturday 16th February 2019 at 14.00

Present: Interim Chairman - Jim Murray

Chairman - Vicky McLean

Secretary – Jennifer Murray

Apologies: Sally Boys, Chris Baker, Ann Eastwood

Item number	Agenda Item	Actions
1	Vicky Maclean was voted on as Chair of the Friends of Historic Langney Priory. David Jenkins was elected as the vice Chair, Jenny Murray was elected as Secretary and Jim Murray was elected as Grants coordinator for the friend's group. In His absence Chris Baker was elected as treasurer.	
2	<u>Edible Eastbourne.</u> Adam who is an ex gardener will be available in short bursts. A lot of clearing has been done already and this will be covered with black roll to prevent further growth. Lewis Priory have set up a historical vegetable garden last year and are willing to share knowledge. When the garden is in full bloom, they have invited us to go visit. Research will be done on medieval walled gardens and garden layout. This year EE will concentrate on getting produce into the ground and next year they will start thinking about crop rotation. Funding is needed for a head volunteer and EE will apply for a grant separately (Bank of Life Funding) to the Priory, Jim to help with application. Veg and herb garden to be grown on both sides depending on how much sun they require. The question arose as to whether the gardens should be listed separately to the house, this is to be discussed with Charlie. BBQ/Spit roast could locate outside kitchen and that area could potentially be the medieval BBQ area.	Sara Latimer Jim Murray
3	<u>Willow.</u> Willow will be picked up on Tuesday 19 th . Could be used to make hurdles to separate areas. Penny could potentially source Hazel for the down rods. Potential for kids to come to the Priory and learn willow weaving. Penny to help organise.	Penny Hotchkin

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4	<u>Pruning.</u> In the orchard and herb garden is moving on nicely.	Sally Boys
5	<u>May Day Event.</u> The date will be Saturday 27 th May. Vicky, Penny and Sara to organise with Jenny to support. Ideas thrown around were May pole, Morris dancers, face painting, Egg dying and painting, Easter egg hunt, story teller. Meeting on Tuesday 19 th to start planning	Vicky Maclean Penny Hotchkin Sara Latimer Jenny Murray
6	<u>Summer Party.</u> The date will be Saturday 20 th July. Start thinking of ideas. It will be a celebration of what is happening at the Priory. Opportunity for a show and tell of all the exciting things happening at the Priory. Maybe a living history enactment. Jim to organise porta loos.	Vicky Maclean Penny Hotchkin Sara Latimer Jenny Murray Jim Murray
7	<u>Palm Sunday.</u> Jenny and Vicky to meet with Father Timothy to organise.	Vicky Maclean Jenny Murray
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Bees. Vicky will take over bee keeping from next year. Penny will ask Alex to see if he has a couple of unused hives we could have. Maybe the shed could make some hives? Andy Durling could provide bees.

Constitutions. All comments made have been added to it. Vicky will take it to Jo's to finalise. Change of use is being applied for and then second round of shares will be paid.

The friends of meeting will happen on the 3rd Saturday of every month at 14.00.,

Next Meeting:

Will be at 2pm on Saturday 16th March 2019 at the Priory