

Agenda 29-06-23

Climate emergency sub committee

1. Hive response

1. Shan meeting Amanda tomorrow. Amanda has started work at the allotments. Raised beds and kitchen. Building on Butter Lane still doesn't seem to be in use, or completed.
2. Group to ask Amanda for expenses to help allocate public money against grant application. The group has concerns about how the money has been spent.
3. Group to also ask how she's measuring her goals. The grant application isn't very specific about how success would be measured.
4. The group has concerns about DBS checks.

2. Eco grant.

1. Group to ask if Clerks are happy with green grant form. If so, the group will send it to people who we want to apply.
2. Andy to send form again to the group so we all have access.

3. Community centre solar

1. Gilly Lacey has Incorporated Knaresborough Energy as a community benefit society
2. Now has own bank account so can start to operate.
3. Feasibility for solar on the community centre has been completed. Gilly can move this to the project management stage for £800.
4. Group proposes a motion to council to progress. Our long term goal is to reduce carbon use within KTCs only building, but to then show the building as an example to other business in Knaresborough. The group will inform Brimhams and North Yorkshire council of this plan to then have a meeting to go over the plans.

4. Mondays community and climate meeting

- To ask that town council support the climate change subcommittee to progress the project on the community centre. Feasibility study available. Next stage is to a point Knaresborough

community energy trust as project managers, and to talk with Brimhams and NYC and then work ahead to aim of showing building as a green example to the community.

5. On shore Wind consultation.

1. Any consultation is good
2. We can send a position as climate group, but also as individuals.
3. Kit to meet with Gilly and do it ourselves.

Group Decisions:

Aims: Biodiversity. Education. Attainable goals. to Guide and direct. To Promote Assets and services.

Voted roles:

Chair - Kit.

Vice chair - Shan

Minute maker - Andy