

Bishopsteignton Community Allotment Association Meeting Minutes: 28/05/2009

Thank you to those who were able to attend our last meeting. An update from that meeting follows:

1. Jack's Patch option: This is still on the cards, but there has not been any definite progress. John Hocerston will continue to stay in touch with Phil, the manager at Jack's Patch and update us as to any changes.
2. Teignbridge District Council: We have confirmation that the council is investigating allotment provision across the district and we have also made a formal request for use of land at Michael's Field, which is being considered. (This is opposite Metro Motors and is the field where new football pitches are planned).
3. Molly Coombe's land: We have confirmation from one of the executors of the will that our proposal to use this land for allotments and a community garden will be put to the new Bishopsteignton Museum Charity trustees, once the charity is established. The timescale for this will be relatively short.

Actions

1. John and Lesley Hockerston to keep in touch with Phil at Jack's Patch
2. Sarah Lord to contact Shirley Tull regarding a plan of the Molly Coombe plot of land, and potential for a site visit.
3. Anyone who has time to keep the pressure up on Teignbridge, contact Mark Wells in the Green Spaces team, to make sure our request is not forgotten.
4. New members of the group - please could you pass on an update to the rest of your group as we don't yet have email addresses for them.

Next Meeting

Thursday July 16th, 7pm in the Ring of Bells

If anyone has any updates prior to that meeting, please let me know, or send an email round to this circulation list.