

**TILE KILN RESIDENTS ASSOCIATIONB**

**NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH**

**Committee meeting held on 4<sup>th</sup> August 2008**

**Present:** Roy (Chairman), Peter, Claire, Dave, John and Jan.

- 1) **Apologies:** Pat, Linda, Arthur and Adrian.
- 2) **Minutes of the meeting held on 7<sup>th</sup> July 2008**  
These were agreed.
- 3) **Matters arising**
  - a) Jackie Lane will be in touch soon regarding the proposed sign at the entrance to the estate.
  - b) John has paid the Infant School for the use of the hall for the AGM.
  - c) The name “Neighbourhood Watch” has yet to be included on the website.
- 4) **Financial Report**  
John had given Peter a cheque to cover the cost of the prizes for the Garden Competition. The bank balance stands at £1,005.52. John has been pressing for a cheque in payment for an advertisement recently put in BEV. If a cheque is not received soon a claim will be made at the Small Claims Court. There is still no invoice from the printers.
- 5) **BEV**  
Roy and John will visit the homes of the winners of the Garden Competition to present them with their prizes.
- 6) **Neighbourhood Watch**  
Peter reported on a NAP meeting held recently. A School Watch scheme had been carried out at Great Leighs and was a great success and he wondered if this would work at Tile Kiln. A PCSO had reported on the Youth Group and said that helpers were needed in order for this to be run successfully. Peter had offered space in BEV to get news of this Group to all living nearby. Tuesday, 12<sup>th</sup> August at 4.30 was fixed for the next Community Speed Watch. John had attended a meeting of ML and TK CCG on 10<sup>th</sup> July and he suggested that .....Luckin be invited to attend the Tile Kiln AGM, or perhaps Sandra Strange could attend in her place. John will attend future meetings and report back.
- 7) **Website**  
Photographs of the winning gardens and the winners will be put on the website after first getting permission from the residents concerned.

8) **AGM – 29<sup>th</sup> September 2008**

This again will start with tea/coffee at 7.00 with a view to starting the AGM at 7.30 p.m.

9) **Date of next committee meeting – Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> November 2008.**

10) **Any other business**

John was keen to protest against Tesco's opening a pharmacy at the Princes Road store since this will threaten the trade of the local pharmacists in Wood Street. It was agreed that John write on behalf of TKRA regarding this.

The meeting finished at 9.20 p.m. with a vote of thanks to Claire and Dave for their hospitality and congratulations were given on their recent engagement.