

Phil

CROW MEETING - CLIFTON ARMS - TUESDAY 20TH AUGUST 1991

Present: Richard, Steve, Clare, Mark, Phil, Dave, Rufus, Roger, Martin.

MONEY: RH gave Phil the cheques received for the last 3 tasks, to pay in. (National Trust - £32.40 for Holies £35.00 for Finchampstead. Micklands School - £16.00)
Phil was given the CROW paying-in and cheque books, and reported that he had successfully claimed £13.76 expenses from the Countryside Commission.

TASK LEADERS: Leaders for the Autumn tasks are as follows:

- All tasks for Reading B.C. - RH / CB
- 11th September (Stratfield Saye) - Phil
- 9th October (Ruscombe) - Steve
- 6th November (Moor Copse) - Rufus
- 4th December (Checkendon) - Mark

MAIDEN ERLEIGH TASK: 9 volunteers turned out for this task, which went well. Steve showed the new leader's report forms.

CIRCULATION LIST: Steve suggested this be limited in future, to only those people who show up for the work tasks.

POSTERS: It was agreed that some placement sites were proving very unproductive (Asda, Acorn Bookshop, Lifecycle, DHSS) and should be dropped, but keeping sites such as the Job Centre, libraries, and the University.

RH will type the autumn task programme on slips, to be stuck on the bottom of each poster in future, to give them a longer shelf life.

RH gave SD 30 or so posters, and will look into the possibility of getting more printed by RBC's Community Service unit. As only one design would be allowed, it was decided to use the "hanging around" design, with the artwork being forwarded to Mark afterwards for copies of the other designs as necessary.

It was decided to target areas close to the next work task for maximum effect. RH/CB will do this for the RBC tasks, SD for the Ruscombe task, and Phil for Checkendon.

DISPLAY BOARDS: The display is currently at the Ranger's office and a new series of venues was discussed, including the University (SD thru Nicky Pierce?), Sports Centres (CB/RH), and the Civic Offices (CB).

A meeting was arranged, in the Ranger's Office on Thursday 19th September at 7.30pm, to discuss re-vamping the display boards and to go through all the photographs of previous tasks.

PRESS RELEASES: Mark is handling all CROW press matters, and showed a copy of the PR for the Maiden Erleigh task. RBC should be mentioned in all future press and PR material (because of Park Ranger involvement).

Mark wants to compile a photo library, so that post-task press releases can be accompanied by a relevant photo. The date of the next task is also to be included in all press releases.

The hapless Matt Rodda from the Wokingham Times, though as much use as a chocolate teapot, is nevertheless rather keen on anything in the Wokingham/Bracknell area, and should be kept in the picture if at all possible.

ARROWS: RH will make 6 waymarking arrows for use in directing would-be volunteers, the police, ambulance or Matt Rodda, to the task site.

POSTERS FOR THE BeC BUS: Rufus/SD will get some more of the large CROW posters done for the bus since the last ones are in a ravine in France.

ADDITIONS TO MAILING LIST: SD gave RH 3 additions to pass onto Annette. (Martin Weait, Neil Bennett, Lucy Elliot)

NEXT MEETING: WEDNESDAY 30TH OCTOBER 1991-7.30PM CLIFTON ARMS