

**Bromley Neighbourhood Watch Association  
Executive Committee Meeting Minutes  
25 February 2014 - 7.30pm, Committee Room 2, Bromley Civic Centre**

**1. Welcome, Attendance & Apologies:**

Present: Alf Kennedy (AK) Chairman  
Terry Belcher (TB)  
John Bruce (JB)  
Clifford Longley (CL)  
Graham Pyefinch (GP)  
Brian Rowland (BR)  
Gordon Snashall (GS)  
Chris Taylor (CT)

Apologies: Aidan McCulloch (AM) Secretary  
Cllr. Tim Stevens (TS)  
Chief Insp. Carron Schusler (CS)

AK advised Harry Bowman has tendered his resignation with immediate effect.

**2. Previous Minutes:** Agreed as true record, subject to amended date of next meeting.

**3. Matters Arising:**

a) Constitution revisions complete, AK to circulate - **ACTION: AK**

b) Bulk mail, resignations and bounced e-mails: AK to compose letter for mailing to Coordinators whose e-mails 'bounce' after 3 delivery attempts and will meet with JB/BR to agree method of dispatch. AK to check if discount on postage can be arranged via Council - **ACTION: AK**

**4. Updates:**

- **Chairman:** AK is working with the Met. on a communications package, supported by Borough Police and offered to Neighbourhood Watch to supplement or replace existing systems. BNWA will wait to see what's on offer before deciding how much of the system we would involve ourselves with. There's a possibility it could reduce spam e-mail all the Exec receive addressed to variants of [info@Bromleynwa.org.uk](mailto:info@Bromleynwa.org.uk) though it's likely the address is being picked up from our website rather than our e-mailing packages.

In the latest London Neighbourhood Watch Association newsletter there's a description of a Crime Prevention booklet available as a download from Neighbourhood & Home Watch Network( NHWN). NHWN is trying to negotiate a discount on printing hard copies in one of two formats and it was agreed BNWA would purchase a number of these if the price was right. AK to keep Exec informed – **ACTION: AK**

AK reminded everyone of the upcoming event at Burnt Ash Lane. Agreed we would go ahead with a stall as several members of the Committee, including AK/JB/TB will attend.

- **Bromley Police and Council:** As the meeting was primarily to agree updates and the AGM, AK suggested CS and TS need not attend on this occasion.

**5. AGM**

- 5 or 12 June selected as preferred date(s), from 19:30 to 21:30;
- After presentations by Chairman & Treasurer, propose debate on CCTV;
- GS/CT will make all arrangements. AK to forward contact details – **ACTION: AK;**
- AK to ensure Constitution is ready for dispatch with invitations to AGM – **ACTION: AK.**

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- Bromley Football Club (BFC) is preferred location, if available – **ACTION: GS/CT;**
- GS to make keynote presentation with Borough-wide accent – **ACTION: GS;**
- GS to contact Ian Taylor (from King's) and NT Security (the company that provides CCTV for King's) with a view to each making a short presentation – **ACTION: GS;**
- TS/CS to be asked if they will comment on behalf of Council & Police – **ACTION: GS/CT;**

Everyone asked to bear in mind BFC likes to close at 21:30 so debate should be confined to set limits leaving time for questions/comments from the audience who will, ultimately, decide on BNWA stance on CCTV in the Borough.

**AOB**

TB suggested new identification badges. Anyone interested to liaise with TB – **ACTION: TB**

**6. Date + Time of Next Meeting:** No date proposed