

SELKIRK COLONIAL SOCIETY

MEETING MINUTES



Location: Conservative Club, Selkirk
Date: Thursday 5th May 2022
Time: 7:00pm

Agenda Items

1. Welcome and apologies

Jim Bunyan welcomed everyone to the meeting.

15 members attended the meeting.

Apologies were received from 16 members.

2. Minutes of previous meeting

Minutes were approved by Jean Grieve and seconded by Sheena Chappell.

3. Matters arising from previous minutes

Martin Murray advised list of members will be refreshed and circulated.

Jim Jackson to remain a member of the Society he has ill health so decision made not to chase.

4. Correspondence items

Andy Moyes advised he has received an email from Johnny Thomson from Robert Mailer Anderson 2013 Colonial Standard Bearer who lives in San Francisco and has requested 6 tickets for Reception.

5. Common Riding Trust update

No new updates next trust meeting 25th May 2022.

6. Common Riding 2022

Jim Bunyan advised plans are taking shape.

The following tasks were noted as requiring cover for Bussin Concert:

- Set up Hall Tuesday from 2pm
- Meet n greet exiles – Heather Beggs and Jean Grieve
- Ushers – Shelia Lockie
- Programme Sales/Front Door – Aileen Firth, Jane Newlands
- Merchandise Sales – Sheena & Larry Chappell
- Clear up on Thursday from 10am
- Elana Lawrie and Martin Murray will float and Martin will have a cashbox for last minute ticket sales

It was confirmed that Exiles have priority for tickets and tables will be reserved for all exiles this year.

This will be advised in the letter contained in the Exile welcome packs.

Peter Henderson and Lewis Brydon will stop traffic to allow exiles photo in front of Fletcher monument on Wednesday evening.

Aileen Firth and Jane Newlands will check Reception tickets upstairs and manage seating upstairs.

Members agreed there will be no charity collections this year at the reception.

Aileen to liaise with Graham Coulson to ensure cloth tablecloths and catering arrangements.

Andy Moyes kindly agreed to continue providing top table tablecloths.

Jim Bunyan to liaise with Victoria Halls on seating arrangements.

There are 32 returning Exiles so far.

Foy arrangements and ordering to remain as per previous years.

Flag arrangements to be arranged by Jim Bunyan.

7.Any other competent business

Ticket sales have commenced and local businesses noted.

8. Date of next meetings

Next meetings proposed as 26th May 2022 at 7pm held upstairs in The Conservative Club, Selkirk.

Meeting closed 7:50pm