

**WELSH SOCIETY OF HULL & EAST YORKSHIRE**  
**Notes of the Committee Meeting held on 19 February 2014**

**1 Hull City of Culture 2017**

- 1.1 John reported that he had attended a meeting organised by Hull City Council who had set up a small team to deal with this but they had received thousands of offers from individuals/organisations wanting to take part. These would all be dealt with but would take some time for them to be processed.

**2 St David's Day Dinner - Saturday, 1 March - Rowley Manor**

- 2.1 The final arrangements were discussed agreed. Roger reported that he had sent invitations to the Scots Society of St Andrews and the Irish Association but had not received any replies from them. John had notified the Journal of the event. Committee members were asked to take photographs for the Society's website.
- 2.2 Jo reported that Kathryn Mason, the harpist, would attend the dinner with her parents and that there would be 4 junior harpists playing in Reception before the dinner.

**3 St David's Day Service, 2 March**

- 3.1 Roger reported that Professor John Greenman, currently Deacon of Cottingham Road Baptist Church, would be leaving the area this week but he would come back to conduct the St David's Day Service. Nev agreed to do the bible reading. Jo, Nesta, Anne and Roger agreed to provide Welsh Cakes and Eunice will make two bara briths.

**4 President's Evening, 11 April**

- 4.1 Nesta reported that Delyth Williams had kindly agreed to give a presentation on her recent visit to Argentina/Patagonia.

**5 Llangollen Trip, 12/13 July**

- 5.1 Marian reported that Ron had received bookings from 16 people for the whole weekend plus the Crowthers would join in for the hotel, barge and concert. Members were urged to invite friends to join the trip in order to achieve minimum numbers required (29) so that Ron can make the bookings.

**6 Summer Event at Rowley**

- 6.1 The Committee felt that the summer event at Rowley, perhaps lunch or afternoon tea with croquet' should be held in June. Roger to organise.

**7 Any Other Business**

- 7.1 Roger reported that he had heard that Vivien Bowen, a former Welsh Society member, had recently passed away.
- 7.2 John reported that Barry and Betty Hillman had reluctantly decided to withdraw from membership of the Society.
- 7.3 Roger reported that he had received from the Irish Association an invitation to Welsh Society members to join them at their Dinner & Dance at the Mercure Grange Park Hotel in Willerby on Saturday 15 March. Marian to distribute details to members.
- 7.4 Information had been received about the Cymanfa Ganu, to be held this year at Trinity

Methodist Church, Trinity Road, Harrogate, HG2 9AU on 10 May. Marian to distribute details to members. Nesta noted that the subscriptions were now due. Passed to John Butler for action

**8 Date of Next Meeting** - to be arranged.

