



Addingham Heritage Group

Planning Meeting 13th May 2024

Minutes

Present: Don Barrett (DB), Ian Cameron (IC) (Chair), Chris Cobley (CC), Paul Harris (PH), Rob Smith (RS) (Minutes),

1. Apologies

Jonathan White (JW), David Johnston (DJ), Gary Copping (GC), Mike Bolton (MB), Gill Battarbee (GB)

2. Welcome

IC welcomed Barbara and Richard Durack, who have expressed an interest in joining the Heritage Group, to the meeting.

3. Minutes of the previous meeting (8th April 2024)

Approved as correct and approved for posting on the website.

4. Matters arising (not covered elsewhere)

4.1. Bradford City of Culture

IC had attended a meeting on May 9th and reported that the village had applied for a grant of £15,000 from Bradford Council, a decision on which would be announced in July. Once the amount of funding was known, there would be a bidding process by individual groups. As agreed, the AHG would focus on organising four heritage walks. A small group was agreed to progress this. **Action: DB, PH, RS**

Others in the group would be asked to volunteer

Action: IC.

4.2. The 1683 Digital Project

DB reported that the protocol in dealing with the scanned images has now reached Stage 3. Images are now in their correct folders and duplicates identified.

The group working on these will consider which slides would be uploaded on the live Photo Archive from the relevant pCloud folders. **Action DB, MB, IC, DJ, JW, GC**

4.3. Blue Plaques

Some of the 50 Trail leaflets were sold at the Spring Fair and at the Yorkshire Summit in Hull this last weekend. Sufficient copies remain and will suffice at present.

4.4. Promoting the Heritage Group on the ACS Web site

CC has now supplied details of the Greenwood mausoleum which has been published on the ACS web site. Details of other projects are still to be added.

4.5. Primary School

IC has now arranged a Photo Archive session for the school on June 13th.

Action IC, MB (and ?DJ)

IC also reported his discussions with Eunan Hughes regarding the school's input to the D Day celebrations and also preliminary soundings about their involvement in the COVID 19 project.

4.6. Saw Mill Information Board

GB has contacted the Co-op General Area Manager regarding the location of the proposed board. The actual ownership of the land still needs to be confirmed.

DB is working on an initial outline of the board itself.

4.7. Covid-19 Project

RS reported on the helpful meeting on April 18th with Catherine Snape who agreed that it was important to record experiences of Addingham during the pandemic and subsequent lockdowns. She gave advice on ways conducting interviews, and questionnaires etc from as wide a range of individuals, groups, and organisations as possible. All ages should be targeted. She stressed that factual, not just narrative, information should be collected in order that statistical analyses could be undertaken. Press reports would also be useful. Funding issues were also discussed.

The subgroup is due to meet on June 25th to discuss the presentation of the project at the July ACS meeting when the Heritage Group assumes the role of Speaker.

5. D-Day Celebrations

5.1. **CC** gave an update on the progress of the Hub Exhibition which will run throughout June but may now also run through July also. *The Longest Day* will be shown in the Memorial Hall on June 7th.

5.2. The provisional full programme of village events was circulated by **IC**. The Parish Council is organising the overall publicity.

5.3. The school is running projects on D-Day emphasizing social aspects such as rationing and will be encouraged to view the Hub Exhibition.

6. Low Mill Information Board

The date for the unveiling has been confirmed as **July 20th at 11.00am**.

CC and **DB** will fix the board onto the wall.

IC has put a provisional project plan for the unveiling on pCloud.

All group members were asked to review and make additions and amendments.

ACTION: All

Jayne Hood (ACS) has been asked for advice on refreshments

There was agreement to form a sub-group to progress the arrangements. Volunteers were requested to work with **IC**.

ACTION: All

7. Fairfield Meeting Hall

IC will feedback to the ACS meeting on May 21st that the AHG is in agreement that the Civic Society should be involved with this matter, providing further assurances are clarified.

CC is willing to represent us if AHG is requested for a nomination progresses.

ACTION: IC

8. Review of Calendar of Events

8.1. Spring Fair

PH reported that there had been much interest in the Heritage posters. A newspaper article from *The Times* had generated much discussion. **RS** had had a productive conversation with Robbie Moore, MP who had been interested in the various projects the Heritage Group undertakes.

8.2. Yorkshire Heritage Summit 11th May 2024

IC and **CC** reported on this year's summit meeting in Hull which was well attended. On the whole, the talks were less impressive compared to last year although the talks about Hull did show how heritage was being used to rejuvenate the city. Next year's Summit will be held in Bradford to link with the City of Culture events.

8.3 Future ACS Articles

June	CC
July	DJ
August	RS

8.4. Addingham Gala

This will take place on July 12th and 13th. The AHG will have an exhibit again. **PH** will lead on this, **BD** is happy to assist and others to check their availability. **ACTION: ALL**

8.5 ACS Speaker Meetings

Plans for the July 18th event are in hand.

IC will inform **GB** that our preferred date for our Speaker meeting in 2025 is September 18th.

ACTION: IC

Suggestions for future possible external speakers were discussed. (i) The owner of Denton Hall,(ii) the Rector of St Peters here in Addingham, (iii) a speaker from the Washburn Heritage Centre (iv) an update on the Denton Hall Estate were all mentioned.

9. AOB

9.1 AHG Logo

IC raised the benefit of standardizing the actual tone of blue of the AHG logo when used on exhibitions and presentations.

DB has identified the correct colour as:- **Pantone 2717C, RGB 8,120,194 or Hex #0878C2.**

A useful site for reference is [Color Picker - Color from Image, HEX, RGB, HTML | RedKetchup](#) which will be added to the Logo folder on pCloud.

9.2 Addingham Community Chat

GB had discovered that photographs of old Addingham were appearing on the Chat Facebook page by Chris Binns. Members were asked whether they knew Chris Binns as this may be a useful contact

ACTION: All

10 Date of next meeting

Monday 17th June 2024 at 5.30pm in The Hub. (apologies noted from **RS**)