

WEST BERGHOLT ALLOTMENT ASSOCIATION

Notes of committee meeting dated 09 July-24

LR/BT/JV/HS/Ed'A/CW

1.0	Introductions & apologies	
1.1	Stuart Meadows and Phil Harris sent their apologies.	
2.0	Plots/general	
2.1	Inspections – BT/LR plot inspections were carried out in April. Seven letters were issued; five have surrendered their plots.	
2.2	Waiting list/vacant plots – Four plots are vacant (14, 18, 76, 93). Two people are looking for small plots. One lady is moving to the village and wants a plot.	
2.3	Neglected plots –	
	1. Ongoing thanks to Phil for all his hard work in clearing plots 72 and 74. He has also offered to clear plot 76.	
	 Three other plots require clearing. Consideration given to employing a contractor to clear them. CW to arrange for strimmer to be repaired then it can be used to clear the plots. 	
	3. One plot – still awaiting shed lock to be removed	
	4. There are some plots being given up in September.	
2.4	Allotment rules for neglected plots – BT to issue draft amended wording for clause 7.	
3.0	Finances	
3.1	Charity donations –	
	1. None currently requested.	
	2. Charity stall balance stands at £1,129.	
3.2	Accounts – Current balance excluding charity stall money is £5,920.	
3.3	Water – Current meter reading shows 110 m ³ which is much less than last year.	
4.0	General	
4.1	Seed library – Library has been well used this year.	
5.0	Any other business	
5.1	Lady in plot 20 has had her parsnip seeds cut off.	
5.2	Phil Harris has had his wheelbarrow removed (now returned).	
6.0	Date of next meetings	
6.1	22 nd October 2024 at 7:30pm (on Zoom).	