

## **Alveley Historical Society**

Minutes of the meeting held on 18<sup>th</sup> October 2018

### **Present:**

Bill Scriven, John & Carol Wall, Hilary Fleming, Barbara Spragg, Margaret Clayton, Pam & Keith Stanton

**Apologies** , Stuart Hunt,

### **Minutes**

These were accepted as read

### **Christmas Fayre –Village hall**

Bill, Barbara, Stuart and Margaret are to man the Historical stall as Pam will be away. Pam to arrange a larger than usual table so that Bill can display photos. Stuart will fetch books and cards out of the cupboard and Pam will bring the signs and display board to the next meeting.

### **Shugborough**

The trip for this was agreed to be as soon into December as we could get tickets.

(\*\*notes for next meeting)

The trip has been arranged for Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> December. Entrance fees do not apply to NT members. Lunches/ light snacks do not have to be pre-booked.

### **Projects**

Pam said she had received a thankyou from Ed Andrews of the Severn Valley Country Park for our offer of help and support with his project. You will recall that he is applying for a grant to research the historic uses of the land on which the Park stands. Hilary said that she had set the wheels in motion about Alison Langford's project but had not had a reply as yet.

A discussion followed about the date the Country Park was opened and went back to reminiscing about the holiday caravans/chalets which were where the Park now stands. These were there during the 50's and maybe before that.

Bill said he does not know of any photos of these holiday places as cameras were few and far between in the 50's.

### **Easter Lily Books.**

The Church has given Bill the above books going back several years to be put into our archives

Meeting closed at 8.45pm

Next meeting Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> October