

CREWE AND NANTWICH TWINNING ASSOCIATION CANTA

Minutes of Meeting 19/76 held at 5.00pm on Monday 12 August 2019
at Crewe Municipal Buildings

PRESENT

Clive Mosby **CM**, in the chair

Peter Kay **PK** Cyril Jones **CJ** Trevor Lightfoot **TL** Jacqui Morris **JM**
Jill Oakes **JO** Jerry Park **JCP** Ray Stafford **RS**

APOLOGIES

Tom Carnwath **TC** Lindsay Johns **LJ** Wendy Johns **WJ** Maurice Jones **MJ**
David Marren **DM** John Oakes **JoO**

Opening the meeting, **CM** reported that Tom Carnwath had resigned from the Committee, and recorded the Committee's thanks for his contribution to CANTA; conveyed the Committee's good wishes to Morris Jones for a speedy recovery; and formally received the South Cheshire Chamber of Commerce Membership Certificate from **JM**.

MINUTES

Agreed To approve the minutes as an accurate record of the latest meeting 19/5 held on Monday 10 June 2019, subject to confirming **TL** had been absent, not present as stated.

MATTERS ARISING

Cheshire East Council: Change of Party Control

Received **CM**'s report that he had still to approach the new Council Leader through Councillor Dorothy Flude; and of his recent meeting with the relevant Crewe Town Council **CTC** committee, when it had been suggested that CANTA should add a calendar of events to its website and that CTC should advise CANTA of relevant upcoming events.

Agreed **CM** would discuss with the Crewe town clerk the nature of CTC's contacts with the twinned towns.

Bischofsheim: Leipzig Trip

Received report of trip, in which 4 CANTA members had taken part.

Agreed To support proposed links between the churches in both locations.

Leighton Academy: German Assembly: Friday 14 June 2019

Received **CM**'s report that it had not been possible to arrange CANTA representation at this event.

Macon: Engineering Students Visit: Friday 5 July 2019

Received **TL**'s report on the Macon students' visit to Crewe, Nantwich and Reaseheath.

Agreed To thank **CJ** for interpreting services during the visit; **JO** to place photographs on website; **CM** to pursue East Cheshire Council for its charge to Crewe Town Council for its use of the Municipal Buildings for the event.

Nantwich Societies Spectacular: Saturday 20 July 2019

Received **JCP**'s report that the CANTA stall had been manned from 8.30am – 1.30pm.

FINANCE AND MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Received **WJ**'s written report, circulated in her absence; **JCP**'s report that Roger Beastall did not wish to renew his subscription to CANTA.

Agreed **JCP** to pursue outstanding individual subscription from Simon Yates.

WEBSITE

Received **JO**'s report.

PUBLICITY REPORT

Received RS 's report of his continuing submission to the *Chronicle* and *Sentinel* papers of news items that remained unpublished.

Agreed CM to pass to **JM** the name of the Polish speaker at Nantwich Museum.

FUTURE PLANS

AGM Arrangements

Agreed to hold AGM at the meeting at 5.00pm on Monday 9 September; **CM** to organise wine and cheese; and **JCP** to check availability of the council chamber or a larger room at the Municipal Buildings, to invite local town and district mayors, to agenda a review of the time and days of Committee meetings at the AGM, and to advise of elections for Committee members.

NB The date was subsequently put back to Monday 14 October 2019.

TIME, DATE AND PLACE OF NEXT MEETING

Agreed the next meeting would take place at 5.00pm on **Monday 9 September 2019** at Crewe Municipal Buildings.