CHIRNSIDE COMMON GOOD ASSOCIATION (SCIO)
Minutes of meeting held on Wednesday 12th April 2023 at 7.30pm
In the community Centre Chirnside

Apologies: Susan Swan, Mark & Muriel Kinghorn, Sophie Hannant, Josh Oldfield

Present: Sara Doggett (chair), Kevin Prior (Treasurer), Linda Gray (Secretary), Maureen Anderson, Adele Kerr, Simon Wright, David Wesley, Hollie Crowe.

Minutes: - Minutes of the previous meeting circulated prior to the meeting Were approved and accepted as correct.

Finance: - accounts were circulated by the treasurer prior to the meeting he asked for the accounts to be approved.
General funds £6289.45 History Group £898.54 Tennis Court £3362.32 Jubilee Fund £227.24 Total of £10,777.55
The members present approved the account and agreed to them going to the independent auditor prior to being submitted to OSCR.
They also agreed the fee of £50 for the auditor.
Tennis court: - present phase of work is nearing completion the hoops have been purchased they will be delivered to John who will install them maximum cost of this work will be £1,000. We will need some weedkilling done. Still need to purchase the storage shed.

East End: - SBC have secured money to provide protection for round the fruit trees. We have hedging plant to go on the North Boundary with weed suppressant, matting and mulch. The Community Council have ordered a new mover to maintain the rights of way and the long hill path. The raised beds need looking at some of the planting is dead and need redoing.

Play equipment: -This will be discussed on the 26th at the CC Meeting need support from the village to get the right equipment will mainly concentrate on Windram Park doubt there will be anything done in Lammerview as it was decommissioned.

Coronation: -after much discussion agreed due to short lead time would be unable to do anything on the Coronation weekend.

A.O.B

Village planters: - the following will look after these planters Caroline – Beacon Maureen – Boxing Club, Linda Market Road, Hollie Crosshill. Gillian – newsagents, Kevin – A&J Scott box at Bluestone Ford Junction, Jim Clark box opposite Thackie, Susan - Sawmill still to sort out the ones at the Coop and Drill Hall.

BAG: - Berwickshire against litter is a new group of approximately 80 members then are active on facebook their aim is more to promote litter picks rather then carry them out also they engage with fast food outlets to lessen the litter drop by their customers. Also need more publicity and interaction with SBC and Bear Scotland. Their next meeting is on the 10th May.

CGA Park: - the mulching of the trees in the park is scheduled for 26th April between 1.00 and 3.00 with Primary 7.

Next Meeting -will be held on Wednesday 10th May at 7.30pm in the Community Centre.