

Greener Tywyn Committee Meeting Minutes

When: 9:00am – 11:00am, Friday 16th November 2018

In attendance: Joanna Houseman (minutes), Mat Gasquet, Liz Hutchinson, Sara Waddington, Heather Broster, Heather Garret, Richard Garret.

Apologies: Chris Broster, IO'D.

Agenda

1. Bank Account

- Proving very difficult, leave with SW for now

2. Benthylg Bag scheme

- take old t-shirts and make carrier bags or reuse unwanted plastic bags...?
- you borrow bags and take them back to a shop with a poster

- big basket full of carrier bags

- is there a sewing group in Tywyn?

- put out a call for people to donate carrier bags
"Forgotten a bag? Borrow one of these!"

AP – HG to speak to J about the Mach scheme. HB to post on FB for volunteers.

3. Review of the Year 2018

- send out newsletter that summarises our achievements from 2018

- include video news reel

- how to have a green Christmas

- "Good Green News" from 2018 - "Share your favourite green story from this year"

AP – JH to work out timeline of what we've done, HB to post on FB to ask for favourite 2018 stories, LH to make newsreel year review video.

4. 1st birthday party

- free food, cake, coffee, tea

- small actions people can take to work towards Zero Carbon Britain

- **PA to come and speak on Zero Carbon**

- ask people how successful they were with One Green Change

- "if you bought a renewable mug, you've saved X number of cup tops this year" etc, etc.

- "Carbon Footprint Clinic"

AP – HG to set a date with PA (16th Feb), HB to design invitation, RG to look into a directory of local resources, CAT, Ecodyfi?

5. Other business

- sign up for SAS in January

AP - HB

6. Date of next meeting

Next committee meeting will be Friday January 11th at 9:00am.