

## MINUTES OF MEETING HELD 12th May 2025

## 1. ATTENDANCE

**Present:** Steve Bates, Bruce Battams, Mark Pitman, Gordon Lovell, Angela Lovell, Christine Cartright, Bob Gould, Vanda Gould, John Neale, Dr Marchand, Jane Hanlon, Fay Read, Tania Pal, Dr Fagan, Elspeth Woods (online), Sandra Whitefoot, Hilary King, Anne Minihan

**Apologies**: Sarah Setterfield, Mary Tait, Shona Manson, Jan Lloyd, Jacqui Coleman, Clive Robinson, Sheila Dale, Judith Westell

- 2. Minutes for April 2025 approved but asked for the Date to be corrected.
- 3. Surgery Update: Jane Hanlon & Dr Fagan

**Feedback on Surgery:** Lots of positive feedback from Friends & Family about wonderful nurses, etc. Also praise from other areas including Consultant at MK Hospital who said that Red House was best surgery in MK and Anna (Social Subscriber).

**New Buildings:** Nothing really to update. Despite national announcement there are still no funds as the budget is shared with Luton/Beds who have more needs

## PPG UPDATES

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**Treasurer**: £3591.52 in the bank.

Open action: Agreed to look at the two banks in question - Mark/Tania

**Dementia Tagging –** Jacqui has been away, has found a contact and has some questions but is now waiting for contact to phone her.

**Garden Party at John's 17<sup>th</sup> August:** Gordon/Steve volunteered to help set up chairs & tables in morning. People to arrive from 1pm, MK10 9AA (entrance immediately after big red phone box on green). Singers invited to perform.

Visit to the Hub 27<sup>th</sup> May 2pm: Confirmed 15 in total. Parking to be confirmed by Mary

**Future Meetings/Speakers:** Agreed to have meetings in June, July (with Speaker), August, September (with Speaker), October, November (with Speaker) and will decide in December if January is feasible.

**PPG Chair Meetings:** Janet Smith (Walnut Tree) – has asked if the chairs of PPG want to gather together. Elspeth confirmed that they have tried and not successful but a local one was successful. Left with Paul for a group



meeting (on something like Menopause). To be taken offline to discuss further if a group meeting could be held - Mark/Elspeth

**PPG Awareness Week:** Have lots of 'gifts' for tombola and stall. It was stressed that time is getting short if we are going to hold the awareness week in July and it was felt that July was more successful as the schools are still open. Bob/Vanda are happy to set up/put away etc providing people can cover manning the stall during the day. Jane to confirm Doctors availability in July/August so we can maximise footfall - Jane

**Survey:** Need to still look at results and determine actions – Mark.

PPG Banner: Sarah to action with David

**AOB:** People liked having their Covid jabs in Red House Surgery, so would make sense to do Covid and Flu here at surgery. Dr Fagan confirmed they would like to synchronise Covid and Flu if possible.

5. Meeting Closed 7:09pm

Next Meeting 9th June @ 6.15pm

Anne Minihan p/p Elspeth Woods Secretary to Red House PPG

## Future PPG Dates for 2025 (2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month)

13 <sup>th</sup> January 2025	9 <sup>th</sup> June 2025 -
10th February 2025	14 <sup>th</sup> July 2025
10 <sup>th</sup> March 2025	11 <sup>th</sup> August 2025
14 <sup>th</sup> April 2025	8 <sup>th</sup> September 2025
12 <sup>th</sup> May 2025 -	13 <sup>th</sup> October 2025
AGM	10 <sup>th</sup> November 2025
	8 <sup>th</sup> December 2025