Minutes of the LDC Meeting held on 21st September 2015

Present.

Mick Horton, Y Hopkins, A Walton, Dan Naylor, G Lloyd, Cath Dubourg, Stuart Mawson, Jeremy Williams, Dave Plunkett, Adrian Thorpe, Raj Jotangia,

Apologies.

Ette Ntekim, Ian Douglas, Sandra Sandham.

Minutes of previous meeting.

It was noted that the list of LDC members contained 15 names rather than the 14 members stated. Mick Horton was down twice. Ian Douglas was not listed as a member of the LDC. Clarification is needed on the list of members.

Matters arising

Stuart and Sandra had been to deliver the gifts in memory of John Brown to his wife Pat.

Pat was very grateful for the gifts and had written a letter to the LDC to express her gratitude.

Orthodontics.

No new information. The referral pro forma is now in use.

Restorative Consultant.

No new information and seemingly no progress on an appointment.

CPG restructuring.

Nobody had any information about what was happening. Concern was expressed that the restructuring could have damaging consequences for the GDS.

HIW.

HIW would like to meet with local groups. A discussion was had as to which group would be best suited to host a meeting but no conclusion was reached.

Michelle Seager gave a presentation and update on the Designed to Smile project.

Any other business.

Dan Naylor raised concerns about the Health Board and their handing of governance issues. A wide ranging discussion was had. The Chair offered to raise some matters at the next LDC/HB liaison meeting.

Chairman’s correspondence.

None.

Secretary’s correspondence.

None

Treasurer’s report.

Reserve account £1,956.59 Current account £19,768.53 Total £21,725.12

A discussion was had about the venue for future meetings. It was decided to continue meeting at the Kinmel Manor but to do away with tea and coffee on arrival and to order food from the cheapest menu on offer.

Other reports

GDPC – None. Next meeting October 2nd

WGDPC – None. Next meeting October 22nd

Dental Health in Wales – No report

Dental Advisers – Concerns were expressed about the delay in appointing somebody to cover the Western area.

NW OHSG – No report

Primary Dental Care Operational Liaison Group – No report

Date and time of next meeting

14th December 7.00pm at the Kinmel Manor

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