

Linlithgow & Bo'ness Probus Club

Minutes of Meeting held on: 21st September 2022 at Linlithgow Rose Club

WELCOME: President John Aitken welcomed all the members and new member Stuart Smith.

APOLOGIES:

Iain Morris; Alasdair Calder; George Wilson; Bill Duncan

ALMONERS REPORT

George Bird reported that Alasdair Calder has been a full time carer for Florence for a number of years and although he would like to join us he has difficulty finding someone to look after her while he is out. He is hopeful that the Cyrenians might be able to provide cover.

George and Alan have been meeting Douglas Hewitt regularly for coffee and have passed on the club's best wishes.

Two happy events – Tony McKerron has celebrated his 80th birthday and Alan Bennie now has his first grandchild. Congratulations were expressed to them both.

MATTERS ARISING

None

AOCB

Subs are now due and Michael will be happy to receive £20 each.

INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER

Mark Ashmole from Scottish Rail Preservation Society at Bo'ness was then introduced and gave an interesting talk on the renovation of Engine CR419 which involved some serious engineering

VOTE OF THANKS

A vote of thanks was given by Bruce Jamieson and supported by the members in the usual manner.

NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 5th October when Glen Miller will be putting us in the mood for Cycling without age in rickshaws.

Chris Collen
Secretary
21/09/2022