

IBM Retirees Club (Midlands) Committee Meeting – 9 March 2020

Present : John, Michael, Paul, Gary, Ray, Richard & Sheila

Apologies: Terry

This was a short meeting held after the AGM at the British Legion Club in Knowle. At the AGM the existing committee members were re-appointed in the same roles and Sheila Short is joining us as a new committee member and will be representing the ladies. Sheila's email address is SSHORT1927@gmail.com for inclusion on future committee matters.

Chairing Committee Meetings

John would prefer to attend meetings every 2 months so proposed that chairing meetings will rotate around the committee members. This was agreed.

Membership Report

Currently 435 members. Gary has written a program to analyse changes to the IBM membership data supplied each month so we can pick up removed and added members automatically. Gary handed out copies of the program output.

Newsletter

Articles etc. for the March newsletter should be sent to Michael by **Saturday 21 March** (All)

Rambling Club

(Terry left the following details for the meeting notes)

Gordon organised a ramble on Sunday 23 February based from the Bulls Head in Wolvey. Walks were of 4 and 6 miles and 5 walkers did each route. It was wet, windy and soggy underfoot. Lunch at the Bulls Head was attended by 7 but service was very poor.

No subsidised lunch this time apart from a free lunch and drink for organiser.

Next ramble during week commencing 23 March. (Brian or Terry)

Next Meeting - Monday 6 April 2020 at 10.30 at IBM Warwick

Note: This meeting may be cancelled due to the Coronavirus epidemic.