<u>Great Bentley Scout & Guide HQ Management Committee</u> <u>MINUTES 21st March 2007</u>

1.Present: Brian, Karen, Gary, Debbie, Matt B, Jan, Wendy

Apologies from, Ali, Jeanine, Liz, Jules

2.Minutes: The minutes of the previous meeting were agreed as accurate.

3 HQ Development Plan:

The HQ plan was reviewed and the following observations made:-

Security – It was suggested that new locks for gate and main door should be obtained along with a key cupboard which would negate the need for everyone to have a copy of all the keys..

Drive – Still awaiting the outcome of an application to Barclays Bank (via Dream 100) for a grant to refurbish the road using the figures that Ali provided. Now looking at possibility of Lottery Grant but the need for any work to be of benefit to the whole community may be against us.

4 Fund-raising

Sponsored Walk – Thanks to Karen for organising this on top of everything else. Sponsorship is in the region of £700.

Halford's Car Wash - new manager due at Halford's which may present a problem but Karen will clear ASAP. Sheet out for volunteers to record the slot during which they will wash cars.

Next Event – Strawberry Fayre we will run this later so that strawberries are readily available and weather is better (hopefully). Ideas to raise money included games, table top sale, silly Olympics for cubs/guides, beer tent (NB Explorers away that weekend)

5. Accounts

£750 in bank plus cheque for £200 rent handed over. Large electric bill expected.

<u> 6. Newsletter -</u>

Car Wash Easter Weekend - volunteers needed to help out.

Thanks to Becky Addison – helped decorate corridor and Karen for organising walk.

7. Any other Business

Heaters in hall – second heater bar required - cost £80

7. Date of Next Meeting - Wednesday 2nd May @ 20.00

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