

## Minutes of PYM Trustees' Meeting 16 April 2021



**Present:** Tim Arnold (Chair); Joan Ingarfield (Treasurer); Richard Brown; Jay Buckle; Dily Thomas (Secretary).

**Minutes**      Matters arising from September 7th 2020

- Letter to Friends and supporters had been sent.
- The local Rotary Music Competition had taken place with 15 participants sending performance videos.
- Minutes of meeting 7 Sep 20 agreed. Current plans.

1. Tim reported that it was hoped to have a Rotary Prize giving event in June, pandemic rules permitting which could involve celebratory performances from local musicians. Venue, possibly HVH and a small fee paid to those taking part.

There may also be a PLS concert in July at Swanage Primary.

2. Jay proposed a 'try an instrument' session when possible. This event had taken place successfully pre pandemic in Swanage Library. Currently not able to do this.

It was suggested that to promote instrument learning, peris or other performers, might tour a few schools in a day with short promotional performances to inspire interest in the Primary schools possibly before the end of the summer term. How could this be organised?

3. **Teaching.** Rosie (violin peri) is keen to start groups, as is Karen, at St Mary's and also Swanage Primary.

The schools at Corfe, Langton, and St Mark's Swanage have been closed during lockdown.

PYM to support financially where families have difficulties continuing lessons after the free period is over.

4. Richard promoted the proposed PAW youth event on September 17th at St Emanuel Church Swanage. Joan suggested that this should be a promotional PYM event in which young performers could take part. Tim/Jay to recommend.

5. Tim had had contact with Claire of the Dorset Music Hub and she is keen to collaborate with PYM in the future.

Dily Thomas  
Secretary  
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