

Minutes of TBI Open Meeting at Rosemarkie on Thursday 21st July 2011

Present:

Peter Tilbrook, John Carruthers, Anne Thomas, Wendy Price, Agric Hadron, Trish McKeggie, Grant Macfarlane, Richard Robinson, Helen Robinson, Guthrie Vallant, Penny Edwards, Martin Sherring.

<p>Matters Arising</p>	<p>Martin still to arrange meeting to discuss the Tingle.</p> <p>End of September/ October will be a suitable window for using the apple press, with the October N Kessock market featuring. Ken Dupar will be running an open day on 1st October in Cromarty, and we'll need to avoid conflicting with that. Bob Bull will be responsible for taking bookings.</p> <p>Ailsa Villegas, Highland Council's Sustainability Officer, has agreed to give a talk in the autumn.</p> <p>St. Boniface Fair will be 11th August. Maggie, Bärbel and Vanessa will man the TBI stall.</p> <p>The Black Isle Gathering is 24th September. The focus this year will be on the over-50s. There is an opportunity for TBI to run a workshop if a volunteer wants to take this forward.</p> <p>Belladrum – Wendy to speak to Vanessa about TBI's involvement.</p>	<p>Martin</p> <p>Maggie/ Bob</p> <p>Penny</p> <p>All</p> <p>Wendy/ Vanessa</p>
<p>TBI Programme</p>	<p>It was agreed that the draft programme posted on the website with the agenda, and attached to the minutes, would be adopted. This does not exclude the possibility of other activities, but merely reflects those to which we are committed.</p>	
<p>TBI meetings</p>	<p>It was agreed that future business would be divided between an admin meeting and a members' gathering, which will be scheduled for alternate months. Both will be open to allmembers, but it is anticipated that the</p>	<p>Anne</p>

	admin meeting will attract a small core of members, in order to ensure continuity and facilitate decision-making.	
Next meeting	Next admin meeting: 18 th August Next members' gathering: 22 nd September at Anne's house.	

Martin Sherring