



**23<sup>rd</sup> April, 2015 – Butler Green Committee**



**Attended By:** Michael Stewart, Miranda Pettifer, Rupert Maspero, Jonathan Harrison

**Absent:** Hattie Pridmore, Perqueena, Calum Masters, Sam Stradling

### **Butler Bikes for summer**

- Plan to boost awareness of signup.
- Agreed £15 is a bit expensive for one term and will put people off. See if we can reduce this to encourage more people.
- Suggestion is one off payments for a single bike ride
- Mike will create some pre-planned bike routes
- Talk to welfare and maybe work ask them to promote bike rides

### **Market Delivery Scheme**

- Rupert met Colin from the markets and he seemed keen to introduce BBQ and Pimms fruit packs so as to boost interest in the delivery scheme
- Veg Box subscription (say pay for 3 weeks worth of delivery) was suggested and Rupert will look into it.

### **Sunflowers**

- Rupert is going to pick up some sunflowers and pots
- To be given out at a mentor night
- Siri recommended 50 sunflowers

### **Cheese and Wine**

- Mike suggests we move it to Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June
- Concerned people won't want to drink just before exams
- Brand it to Cheesy Tuesday, a play on Klutes playlist

### **Term events inc. litter pick-nic**

- Ustinov litter pick-nic 2<sup>nd</sup> May (Mike thinks), all are welcome Miranda is super keen to liaise with Lucy (birthday buddies), and following this consult with Mike to verify Butler's own litter pick-nic.

### **All the wonderful ideas you've come up with over Easter**

- Miranda does Mikes job for him
- Miranda suggests advertising the Uni's investment in unethical fossil fuel companies. There is a Palatinate article <http://www.palatinate.org.uk/?p=57086>

### **AOB**

- Jonny left half way through to do his dissertation

- Talk 7<sup>th</sup> May at Butler about green issues, Matt will post in group about it
- Ice and Climate event at Life Centre in Newcastle if people are interested it is on the 23<sup>rd</sup> May
- Miranda suggests visiting a vegan café as a green trip
- Mike suggests since we are now able to measure the energy of each block to do a block wars, we could add this to the JCR website and put posters in the bar to track progress. Mike will talk to Pete about this.