

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE BURNTWOOD IN BLOOM COMMITTEE  
HELD AT THE OLD MINING COLLEGE CENTRE  
ON MONDAY 09 JANUARY 2017 COMMENCING AT 10.30 A.M.**

**PRESENT**

Councillors Ms Brettell, Mrs Evans and Mrs Tranter (in the Chair)  
G Chamberlain, LDC DSO  
P Johnson, Burntwood Gardening Guild representative

**In attendance**

Mrs M Danby, Chief Executive Officer/BiB Co-ordinator

**10. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

J Cantrill (Burntwood Businesses representative)

**11. MINUTES**

It was noted that the Town Council's draft budget included a reduced figure of £150 for the BiB Presentation Evening buffet (reduced from £200); that the hanging baskets were still in situ in the High street, Chasetown and should be taken down as soon as possible.

**AGREED** That the Minutes of a meeting of the Burntwood in Bloom Committee held on 24 June 2016 (Minute Nos. 6 – 9) be approved as a correct record subject to:

Minute No. 8(f) being amended to see the word "planed" changed to read "planted".

**12. BURNTWOOD IN BLOOM 2017 COMPETITION**

**RESOLVED THAT:**

- a) The CEO approach local businesses to ascertain if they were willing to sponsor a category or the competition generally.
- b) The CEO be requested to liaise with Staffordshire Highways to ascertain if planters could be installed beneath the 4 No. Welcome to Burntwood signs and if in the affirmative this would form the core of the BiB project for 2017/18.
- c) At the next meeting of the Committee Members will confirm the theme to be put to schools, businesses and organisations for entries into the 2017 competition.
- d) Judging will take place as follows in 2017:

Schools:	Week commencing 03 July 2017 (date to be confirmed)
Rest of Entries:	Week commencing 10 July 2017 (dates to be confirmed)

**13. NEXT MEETING**

Monday 13 March 2017, commencing at 10.30 am at the Old Mining College.

(The Meeting closed at 11.00 a.m.)

Signed .....

Date .....