

**Minutes of the Holme on Spalding Moor Parish Plan Working Group Committee  
meeting held in the Holme Christian Fellowship Drop In on Monday Wednesday 11  
November 2009**

Present: Chris Worrall (Chairman), Ann Dowson, Doreen Engall, Madge Johnson, Alison Payne, Karl Sheridan

Apologies: Robert Templey

Clerk: Steve Young 01757 288234

Guests: Rosie Hughes of the Energy Saving Trust

The meeting was called primarily to meet Rosie and to discuss how to start working toward the Green Communities programme.

1. Chairman welcomed Rosie who explained her role
2. The formal Partnership Agreement was considered, approved and signed by the Chairman on behalf of the PPWG Committee
3. The Home Energy Check Questionnaires delivered with the Grapevine only generated 30 replies and Rosie asked if the process could be repeated. It was agreed that the Parish Council would repeat the delivery with the next Grapevine. It was also decided to ask the School if they would be involved by sending out the questionnaires and encouraging children to get involved in filling them in
4. Rosie was invited to the Christmas Fair on 4 December, Rosie to liaise with Clerk
5. It was decided to arrange a meeting asap at the School between Headmaster, Chair of Governors and Simon the School Governor plus PC Chairman and Clerk plus Rosie to discuss how the School might be involved with a view to arranging eg a poster competition with the result being announced at the launch event for the Green Communities Project
6. The launch to take place if possible at the School in late January, the plan is to invite representatives of village groups and business to attend to be introduced to the Project with a view to using these contacts to gain public exposure to energy saving initiatives. Rosie to invite green companies to have a stall on the evening eg loft insulation, cavity wall, solar panel, wind turbine, energy price comparison company. Rosie pointed out that people over 70 could get free insulation and others could get a reduced cost
7. Rosie was invited to post information on the HOSM Community web-site and also to put regular articles in the Grapevine newsletter
8. Recycling was an issue to be considered in the future as is making a Travel Plan to encourage adults and children to reduce usage of cars. Solar panels and wind turbines were also discussed and seen as longer term projects

Chairman thanked Rosie for her attendance

Other business

Clerk updated on the two affordable housing schemes both of which were positive  
Next edition of Grapevine was discussed