

## **WALKABOUT FLINTSHIRE MINUTES**

### **TRUSTEE MEETING FRIDAY 31ST OCTOBER 2025 AT RHYDMYN VALLEY VISITOR CENTRE,**

1.Dave Mackie chaired the meeting and welcomed Secretary June Brady, Michael Fildes, Carole Worger, Buddug Neale, Elizabeth Bolton, Mike Belais, San Knowles and Minutes Secretary Eleanor Woodward.

Apologies received from Peter Kime.

2.Minutes of the previous trustee meeting 2nd May 2025

The minutes were accepted as accurate and approved by show of hands.

3. Matters arising.

As below.

4. Purchase of WAF tops(from May)

Regular walk leaders ONLY to be offered a yellow polo shirt, 3 boots logo on the front and website printed on the back. The cost will be approximately £800 for about 40 shirts.

June to contact each lead walk leader to collect numbers required and sizes.

Then they will be ordered.

5. Update on Holywell walks

Buddug Neale said she is only doing friendship walks when she is able due to her ill-health. These are on Tuesday and Sunday as and when.

Sandra Williams who did the Tuesday walk has had a stroke.

Buddug will get her a thank you gift on our behalf.

Both walks have been deleted from the programme.

6. 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary WAF as charity in 2026

June Brady suggested a walk in Wepre park on a Sunday in July 2026.

Agreed by all present.

7. Treasurers report

San Knowles has been unable to produce any accounts since she took over as Treasurer in May 2025.

Despite the best efforts of Carole Worger, San Knowles and Neville Howell to get San put onto the Lloyds bank account instead of Neville the bank has still not given San a PIN number.

San is named on the accounts, but with Neville's address.

Neville is still named on the account and has been getting all the mail.

He has been redirecting it back to the bank.

San will contact the bank again next week.

WAF still has access to funds from the bank.

8. Walks and website stats.

2025 January to September 393 walks 6562 walkers 51 new walkers

2025 January to June 1049 hits on the website, broken down as follows...-

1.Home page

2.Weekly walks

3.General

4.Minutes

5. Gallery

9. Date of next meetings.

Trustee May 2026, AGM May 2026 , Trustee November 2026

Chair closed meeting 2.40pm.