

# HASL General Meeting Minutes

**Date:** 04/03/14

**Location:** Hanover Community Centre meeting room

**Attendees:** Paul Norman, Caitriona Donohoe, David Gibson, Sarah Gorton, Les Gunbie, Mei-Wah Tang

**Apologies:** Jackie Seaman, Sue Booth, Tracey Hind and Rachel Cohen

Paul Norman chaired

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## 1. Re-cap and news

HASL social was a success with the launch of the book club, however no word of update from book club as of yet.

April social – Chris unable to assist with planning

No February 10:10 meeting

Sussex Fracking film to be shown in Hanover - CD to find and contact in order to publish (actioned and mailout sent) – film is showing on 23<sup>rd</sup> March in Hanover Centre

Candalaria was a success

Hanover Directory – March issue – Tegan article about community survey, Mei Wah about food waste and Sarah about the film

Action PN to check with Tegan re: the question in the community survey.

## 2. HASL social April

Just a visit to the pub! The Southover – DG to reserve area in the pub - 1<sup>st</sup> April 8pm

## 3. Positive Energy Public Meeting

2 speakers as well as C Lucas, 10 + 5 Qs minutes each. Brighton Energy Co-op to attend, and give a brief word to encourage investors, as will BHESCo re: switching to Ecotricity.

Posters to be distributed to street contacts by CD, PN, MW

Refreshments – MW to look into sourcing otherwise wasted pastries, SG to speak to Barefoot Wines, CD to mailout regarding people to bring food/cake to share and re-announce the event, also to advertise the pre-event electric bike/car event. Volunteers to help set-up to come from 7pm Main Hall. LG to bring donations bucket

CD and PN planning to attend “Power to the People” event at Brighthelm on 19<sup>th</sup> March and to take HASL Public Meeting posters.

## 4. HASL Film

Next film: In Transition 2.0 18<sup>th</sup> March

SG to put a monthly programme together. There will be a pause for July and August.

CD to look into advertising with free university / green university / meetups

## 5. HASL Sustainability Bulletin preparations

Deadline 23<sup>rd</sup> March – contributions to [contacthasl@gmail.com](mailto:contacthasl@gmail.com) – Articles and pictures. Quote for printing exceeds grant, so the money leftover from community survey and the rest from HASL fund to be used.

LG to contact BHCC to seek deferral for grant use.

Action points noted from Positive Energy Public Meeting can be put in also

Useful contacts for sustainable action on back page as reference for people to retain

## **6. Finances**

Money in Mind are pulling plug for next financial year, but will support of end of this years accounting period. Any outstanding expense claims to be submitted by 23<sup>rd</sup> March to LG.

## **7. AOB**

Earth Hour - 29<sup>th</sup> March – Events have been organised by St Lukes School and the Council – HASL to support these events.

CoombeFest – HASL have been asked to attend with a stall on 19<sup>th</sup> July – Decision to be made regarding attendance in May.

Food Waste Collective feedback – approxiametely 20 charities in attendance. A photographer, the Guardian and a story collector were all there also. MW to find info to share out to a HASL eMail shot.

Upcoming events include the “Feeding the 5000”

Food Hub Worthing Transition – agreed as possible future event / social