Canterbury Community Gardens Association

January 16th 2020

Venue: Catherine's House

Present: Catherine O’Neill, Hayley Guglietta, Zane Crofts, Annette Walker, Debbie Nelson, Rachel Vogan, Di Madgin

Apologies : Robyn Kilty, Amanda O’Carroll

Minutes of the last Meeting:

To be recorded as a true and accurate record of the previous meeting.

Proposed Hayley, seconded Debbie

Carried

Matters Arising

* Cathy has an invitation from the An Nur Mosque, Harvest Party. Confirmed March 7th 2pm

*To Do: Circulate to the wider Community Gardens, via Newsline and email*

**Agenda:**

**Mosque**

Cathy to email to check if they need anything else.

Hayley to include an invite on newsletter and get feedback as to what gardens can go and what they can provide. Contact the Mosque team to advise.

Rachel wants to coordinate an article to be done on the mosque, Hayley commented that they didn’t want any press for the working bee but agreed to check in with them if they were happy with the article.

**Funding**

Heard nothing Hayley to follow up with Sam

**We Too Garden**

We discussed at length the garden design and the outcomes are as follows.

Try to stick to 2 litre and 4 litre pots

Cathy and Di to deliver seedlings and potting mix to other gardens to encourage them to assist with the growing.

Cathy to get Lawrence to do drawing to scale, decided to make the back 800 high and weave the fronts. Hayley to source Ply and building materials to distribute to the MenzSheds.

Rachel to source black paint from Grow budget.

Hayley to get updates and grow list out on the newsletter

Zane to source a street artist to paint the back boards, Catherine to post a call out on the CCGA page.

Suggestion that each garden prepare a stone to build the path to the seats.

*Next meeting 13th Feb 5:15pm 415A Innes Road*

Amendments:

1. Niki Jones email to be used for correspondence within the CCGA is 2nikijones@gmail.com
2. Cathy Allden email to be used for correspondence within the CCGA is coordinator@richmondcommunitygarden.co.nz

Sourcing paint from EcoDrop centres might be a way to get cheapish paint and recycling.