

MINUTES OF THE U3A CALPE GENERAL MEETING HELD ON 19TH SEPTEMBER 2019
AT THE IFACH HOTEL, CALPE

The Meeting opened at 10.59am

The President spoke welcoming the new members today of which there were 15. It was also noted that Carole Saunders is back working in the Town Hall. This weekend is "Semana sin Coches" which is an encouragement for people to use their cycles or legs! The Merced Church will be a hub of activities this weekend as it is their Fiesta. Tina Wallis and her flower group are doing the flowers for the church. Please save your plastic bottle and carton tops as these are being collected and sold for funds for the Gargasindi School. Caritas Charity is collecting clothes, bedding, towels, baby items etc for the flood victims of the southern part of our Province. New requirements for people applying for Residencia now is to have at least 7,000€ in their bank. All our up to date information and news will be on our Face Book page. Mary Anderton made an appeal for some new Choir Members.

- 1, Apologies: Peter Purvey our Vice President is away on a once in a life time trip with his daughter and son-in-law across America.
2. Minutes of the last General Meeting held on 20th June were taken as read and proposed by Arthur Croasdell and seconded by Pat Stockton.
3. Committee Members reports:

Treasurer: John Stafford our Treasurer reported that we have 2651.21€ in the Kuxtabank

256.18€ in Petty Cash

2907.39€

activity since then,
membership float
collected today.

are still awaiting

There is

Making a total of

We are up 105.10 from the last meeting in June with little or no
mainly just a few renewals. The above total does not include the
(100.00€) travel a/c funds and any new/renewal subscriptions

Recent significant expenditure 120€ for meeting room hire today. We
a bill from Jane Godfrey re digital signature, amount unknown.

Publicity:
papers and local

David Stockton reported that he has had various postings in the local
Pure Gold radio station.

Groups: We now have 24 groups. A Writing Group is starting on 22nd October from 3-5pm at the library in the Colinas Club on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. The Book Club will begin on 8th October 3-5pm. cancelled. Padel will Bridge Club is starting for beginners. Fitness for bodies is now Club will begin now be starting at 9.00am. Choir is 6pm at the Civic Centre. Flower venue. again on 30th September. Petanc is now 2-4pm on a Sunday, usual Peter's Discussion group will begin in October.

Travel: Day trip to Valencia City on 1st October now full. Sevilla, list now full 3rd November at 8.30am in front of Esmeralda Hotel. To be confirmed. Cruise: now abandoned as cabins are sold out. If anyone is still interested please enquire at Viajes Gandia.

Membership: We now have 751 members, 513 of whom are paid-up, lapsed members 106. Today there were 15 new members. We collected 550€ on Membership today.

Care & Share: Sandra Llewellyn stated that on this team they are offering support to members, for sickness, hospitalization, bereavements, special birthdays and special anniversaries. They would like some volunteers to help with this and they have plenty of information on their desk.

Correspondence: None

4. AOB which as been agreed by Committee that it must be submitted in advance in writing: None

DATE OF THE NEXT GENERAL MEETING WILL BE 17TH OCTOBER AS ALWAYS IN IFACH HOTEL.

Dr. Karan Sud from Clinica Britanica then gave an interesting presentation on new technology that is now used in Dentistry and had slides and video clips to show us. This was well accepted and there were dental hygiene samples given out at the end of the presentation.

The Meeting closed at 11.58am