

## CREWE AND NANTWICH TWINNING ASSOCIATION

Minutes of the meeting held on Monday 12 December 2016 in the East Committee Room, Municipal Buildings.

1. APOLOGIES  
Tm Carnwath; Cyril Jones
2. The Minutes of the meeting held 14<sup>th</sup> November were accepted.
3. MATTERS ARISING  
The meal at the Golf Club was very enjoyable. Clive still has wine to give out to hosts. It was agreed that flowers should be sent to Ann in appreciation of all her work as Secretary.
4. TREASURER AND MEMBERS' REPORT (circulated)  
The accounts are now more or less up to date. There have been some transfers between accounts. Note the £1,000 transferred from the Deposit Account to Current Account 1 which was getting somewhat low.  
There are 42 members and one corporate member. David will see if Nantwich Town Council will join and the Nantwich Choral Society have expressed an interest. Grants of up to £500 are available from Nantwich TC (By 1 October 2017) and up to £1,000 from Crewe TC. Nantwich has raised the civic budget by £1,500 to pay for a reception during the Macon visit.
5. WEBSITE (Peter)  
This is well up to date with a lot of good photographs. The Secretary's details will be changed.
6. PUBLICITY (Ray)  
An article on the last meeting, with also a mention of the Summer School, the 2017 Macon Anniversary and an invitation to join CANTA was in the Chronicle and the Sentinel.
7. SUMMER SCHOOL 23 - 30<sup>TH</sup> JULY  
This is a big commitment: nevertheless, members felt that it is a successful and important part of CANTA's work. There is already an interest. Maurice will book the coach and Wendy the hotel. It was agreed that the fees for 2017 should rise to £485 per person for a double room, 565 for a single.
8. MACON 60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY  
The Mayor of Macon has written confirming that the official anniversary there will coincide with the visit of Nantwich Choral Society and so will be from 25<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> May. The suggestion is that there will be 6 civic guests and 6 from CANTA. The Macon choir visits Nantwich on 15<sup>th</sup> July, but that is too close to the Summer School and it was agreed that CANTA should suggest Friday 1 to Monday 4 September - this coincides with the Nantwich Food Festival.
9. LEAFLETS  
These should be ready shortly. Again, details of contacts will need to be changed.
10. CORRESPONDENCE  
The Twinning Association on Bischofsheim is organising a visit to Alsace from 25 - 28 May. Members of CANTA are invited to join them.

There being no other business, the meeting closed at 6 p.m.

Date of next meeting: Monday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2013

