



Equine Hub Focus Group
Friday 14th June, 8.30-10am
Jockey Club Rooms, Newmarket

Minutes and Action Points

Attendees:

William Gittus,
 John Morrey,
 Rachel Hood
 Jill Korwin
 Aimee Hockley-Righton (Racing Welfare)

No.	Item
1.	Apologies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alison Huxley • Dawn Goodfellow (Aimme in attendance) • Action: Add Steve Parrisien to future meetings
2.	Minutes of the last meeting (03.04.2019) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update on actions <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>2019.04.03 Equine Hub Focus Group Min</p> </div> <p>Matters arising</p> <p>Action: Jill to notify group when the updated plans for Brickfield are submitted</p> <p>Stable waste schemes: Scheme in Lambourne converts Stable Waste to Biochar –produces heat in the process fertiliser and holds water well. Also exploring scheme in UAE. WAG Will update group on anything specific.</p> <p>Action: John Morrey also to share details of a scheme.</p>
3.	<p>Autumn conference update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction from WAG in regard to what has racing done for the town: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Queens Statue • Racing Welfare • Racing Centre used by whole of community • Severalls building • July festival • Updated SQW report figures • Memorial Gardens

	<p>Action: Rachel and John to put together some words and thoughts of others information and send to Sally Easton</p> <p>Invitation: Equine Hub group chair William Gittus as spokesperson 2 sec Graphic Open Day - Racing Welfare (Aimee) to share image to Sally Easton 10 sec head and shoulders shot of WAG on location (at school) Beacon project giving introduction (see above) 15 secs series of cut away shots:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economic impact • Park run • Public use of racing centre – gymnastics? • Beacon project • ESOL • Communities day – eg litter pick <p>RW comms team to send through some photos. Contact: Simon Bailey bailey_simon3@sky.com</p> <p>4 secs graphic Newmarket Conference 10.30 – 3pm Tues 24 September.</p> <p>Wider Videos: Group agreed that it would be helpful to use existing videos playing as a Continuous loop on the day. The following suggestions were made:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open day footage: Amy Stennart or Racing Welfare • Beacon project: Amy Starkey – Nick Froy • Park Run • Members to talk to people above to send information in • Men’s Cycle Tour • Soap Box Derby • Queen’s Statue and footage of her in the town, • Check if Steven Parrisien is covering the Home of Horseracing <p>Action: How to share videos? JK to ask comms team. All to send in information.</p>
4.	<p>Skills Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ICANBEA WAG to send KP updated information – Action: KP to give WAG a call to discuss Work Well Suffolk: Racing Industry are working with Resume – getting people with challenges into work. Starting off low key to get some proven successes. They already have digital platforms for advertising jobs. Action: Michael Corrigan is contact- WAG to send JK contact details.



5.	Review of the Equine Hub Action Plan <ul style="list-style-type: none">• World Heritage Status - Action: JK set up meeting – Steven, Bobby, John Morrey, Cllr Hood.• Philips Close –about to put in amended plans as shortfall of public open space – re consult so looking at committee in September.• Hatchfield Farm – updates to 106 – should have been higher contributions from 2013 for education.
6.	AOB <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Next meeting date – Action: LC to canvass for dates for week commencing 19th August• BID – noted that in its last 18 months. Concerns from those people who are outside of the high street as to benefit that it brings• Eastern upgrade – what is happening re platform and tunnel. Action: JK to provide update.