

# **Newton Abbot & District Branch Royal Engineers Association**

## **Meeting Minutes for Meeting Dated Sunday 26 October 2014**

Branch Officials: Mr Brian Cocker Branch President

Mr Tony Franklin Branch Chairman Mr Roger Andrews Branch Secretary Mr Keith Tapp Branch Treasurer

Members Present: 13

Bob Herbert, Richard Underhill

Meeting Opened: 11:30 Hrs

### 1. Opening Address

The exhortation was recited by the Branch Chairman and silent tribute observed.

## 2. Confirmation of the Minutes of the Last Meeting

The Branch Secretary read the minutes from the last meeting and confirmed that all matters arising had been dealt with.

Proposed By: Mr Roy Cole Seconded By: Mr Reg Little

That the minutes as presented be accepted.

Vote: Carried

## 3. New Members

One new member Mr Neil Mead from Torquay. One new member application Mr M Morgan from Torquay

### 4. Correspondence

1. REA HQ; Confirmation of new Member Mr Neil Mead of Livermead Torquay

#### Please note:-

- 1. All correspondence received is now published on the Branch Website <a href="https://www.newtonabbot-rea.co.uk">www.newtonabbot-rea.co.uk</a> as soon as is possible after its receipt (sensitive items and information excepted).
- 2. Members may view the original hard copies of any or all incoming correspondence, at the branch meeting following its receipt, or by contacting the Branch Secretary and agreeing a mutually reasonable time.
- 3. Hard Copies of correspondence will be retained by the Secretary for three (3) months. A digital copy will be retained on file.

### 5. Branch Treasurer's Report

The Branch Treasurer, Mr Keith Tapp, gave a report of the Branches finances, confirming that as at the start of today's meeting we have £ 1875.19 (excluding fixed assets) in Branch Funds.

Proposed By: Mr Dave Cairns Seconded By: Mr Barry Hunter

That the Treasurers report as presented be accepted.

Vote: Carried

## 6. Welfare Report

Update given on condition of two members wives, Barbra Underhill and Joan Herbert both of who have suffered a stroke.

Funding was now in place for a replacement stair lift for the Newton Abbot RBL Club and fitment would commence shortly.

# 7. Other Business

The following subjects were raised:

1. Proposed by Mr Barry Hunter Seconded by Mr Roy Cole

That £100.00 from branch funds should be given to the RBL Poppy appeal to cove cost of REA Poppy wrath for remembrance day and the remainder as a donation to the appeal.

Vote Carried.

2. The Christmas Lunch and raffle were discussed.

## 7. Date of Nest Meeting

The date of the next Branch Meeting was set for Sunday 23 November 2014

## 8. Closing Address

There being no further business, the Meeting closed at: 11:55 hours.

Original Signed 23 Nov 14		
Signed:		Signed: Mr R Andrews (Secretary)
Date:	Date:	