

Mid-Somerset CND & Peace Group Monday 3rd March 2025 7.30 pm, City Arms

- 1. Present: Donnie, Bevis (chair), Lee, Bea, Julia, Jacky, Nina, Paul
- 2. Apologies: Quinn, Helena,
- 3. Minutes of last meeting, 2.2.25 were accepted as true and correct.

4. Matters arising:

It was decided that Zoom might be more appropriate and easier for everyone to access for the AGM in April. Price will be investigated.

5. <u>Treasurer's Report</u>: Jacky reported that we have a healthy balance. We agreed as a committee to send £500 to National for their legal action against the Government who have no emergency plan in place for the American nuclear warheads that are planned to go to Lakenheath.

Our public liability insurance is due- Jacky will sort this matter out.

6.Membership – Bevis reported a steady trickle of new members.

7. Future Activities:

Bevis and Donnie are doing a presentation to Strode College First Year A Level politics students. They will cover campaign issues such as Trident and Donnie has compiled a quiz.

Book sale – no date agreed yet, but Oxfam also has many boxes of books and would like to join us when we have a book sale.

We will need people to help set up and pack up the books.

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Bevis contacted Sophie Bolt from National and she has agreed to attend the AGM and speak for the first part of it.

Members workshop on 10th May 2025, Bevis and Jacky have kindly offered to host it at their house. Everyone to bring a dish towards a shared lunch. Please pick a topic and research and present it (5-10 minutes of talk).

Tolpuddle Fair in July – Bevis and Jacky are unable to go this year, Nina and Paul have volunteered to go instead. Bevis will contact James and see if he is attending as it is a relatively big financial commitment costing £250 approximately for the pitch.

Quinn is applying to do the 'Green Gathering' in Chepstow in August.

- 8. Any Other Business -none reported
- 9. Date of next meeting AGM 14th April at 7.30pm