

Morning on 8th March in aid of Village Hall funds.

There being no V.C.O as directive, copies of the Home and Country account were distributed, and Agenda 21 explained.

All were in favour of the resolution, and agreed on the matters of abolition of land mines and the need to re-emphasise the dangers of breast cancer.

MILLBROOK YOUTH GROUP

FOUNDED ON October 1996 by a group of parents and young people who felt that it was about time someone did something about the lack of youth facilities in our village.

Our first project was to raise £11970 for a skateboard park to be built on the playing field site. Amazingly we have been instrumental in achieving this amount in the short space of time since we formed, and work is due to start in the next two or three weeks.

We have held several fund raising events, from coffee mornings and a sponsored pool marathon to a musical extravaganza where local bands gave their time free of charge.

We have also received various grants and large donations from:
Cornwall Youth Services - £4000,
Andrew Elworthy Trust - £2000,
Millbrook Lottery Fund - £2000,
Prince's Trust - £300,
Torpoint Lions - £500,
Devon and Cornwall Housing Association - £500.

All of the above as a direct result of the formation of the Millbrook Youth Group.

Our next project is to raise funds to build a Youth Centre/Meeting Place for the youth which will hopefully be built on the playing fields site alongside the skateboard park. We have already started raising funds for this project with a Grand Auction of Goods and Promises which was held on Saturday 26th April at the Millbrook Football Club, from this one event we raised £873!

All of the lots were donated by local businesses and members of the community. The Football Club allowed us to use the club house free of charge and the two auctioneers, Mike Bettison and Robbie Ryder, did a great job as I am sure our total reflects. Even the DJ Jim Taylor gave up his evening with no fee.

A lot of people have worked very hard and although we have achieved a great deal in a short time there are still loads of things we could provide for the youth of our community so we will be around for a long time to come!

Any donations will be most gratefully received or anyone wishing to offer help in any way then please contact one of the committee members.
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