

## Shearsby Neighbourhood Watch Meeting Minutes

*Date: 23 November 2017*

*Location: Peter and Lynn house*

*Time: 7pm-8.30pm*

*Attendance: Jo, Andy, Kevin, Peter, Lynn, Martin (Parish Council) and Man Lan*

*Apologies: Katie*

Jo raised the question whether Shearsby should join and be part of Neighbourhood Watch with Market Harborough. There were pros and cons. Main disadvantage was lots of information will be sent to the contact person but the advantage will be being able to tap into resources and relevant information to Shearsby.

After discussion, decided to be part of NHW with Market Harborough and **Jo will contact Chris regarding this.**

Jo showed us the NHW signs which she have received. Spent £100 out of the £250 given by the Parish Council.

A week ago PC Michelle Skingsley, a local policing directorate of Market Harborough Police station came to Shearsby and did a round. It is believed that she will be doing multiple visits around 20 villages. **Jo will contact her to arrange another visit maybe to a coffee morning.**

**Andy and Kevin volunteered to put up the ten NHW signs** in the village on Saturday 25 November.

Paul (Chalky) is happy to coordinate the Whatsapp for NHW to use this as a means of communication to residents.

It was agreed that we will all distribute NHW leaflets and stickers in January 2018, as this will officially start the NHW. Before then **Jo will contact Chris to obtain more leaflets.**

Agreed that **we all should think of questions or queries** that may be asked by the residents when we go round with the leaflets in January. It would be helpful if we could bring these to the next meeting.

**Andy to check and confirm** whether Whatsapp work on PC. Also **Andy volunteered to design** a small leaflet about Whatsapp to go with January Hexagon.

**Jo will put a bit of information about Shearsby NHW on the village notice board** just to say that NHW will be starting in January.

Date of next meeting: Thursday 11 January 2018. Location and time TBC