

The Friends of The Dorsetshire Regiment
The Devon & Dorset Regiment and The Rifles Regiment War Memorials
MINUTES

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Agenda Item 3

Report on funding applications to the Rifles.

- Lester (chair) will be in contact with Colonel Richard Andrews to advise, he will also speak with Carole at the Rifles Headquarters in Winchester.
- To ask for funds from S.T.C to match the same amount made by the Rifles. (Peter).
- Peter, a trustee of our Charity, and also Council S.T.C, this in mind, John will send a formal request to S.T.C

Agenda Item 4

To consider cleaning for Cauldwell Close War Memorial

The observation made, can we apply for a grant for cleaning the stonework or indeed does such a grant exist?

The Rifles Memorial in Mampitts is now in place, the past 6 years hence with relative smooth surfaces and the view held that only soapy water is needed to effect a clean, present time.

Agenda Item 5

To consider action regarding history of our County Towns Regiment, part of which forms 1 Rifles.

To display a notice board on the Lynch Gate entrance to Mampitts Cemetery, original construction funded by the Women's section R.B.L Shaftesbury.

- History of the Rifles, Peter to liaise with Lt.Col Robin Miller, Chairman R.B.L Shaftesbury.
- The need for writer to prepare a concise paragraph of the History of the Rifles, suitable for display. Adrian knows of a Journalist, and he is therefore happy to implement this.
- Peter has contacts at Bovington Camp to assist in preparation of the proposed notice boards.

Agenda Item 6

- To consider Website

Lester (chair) has spoken to Shaftesbury School to assist with preparation of a Website as yet to receive a response.

- "Facebook" a better option