MINUTES OF THE HAA MEETING 7TH NOVEMEBR 2017

1.  Firstly, alpaca manure is​ being delivered to all 4 gates on Sunday morning - 26th.(weather permitting).

2.. Please take chippings from the hard standing if you notice that a large pile has been deliverd.  We would like to enable parking for disabled allotment holders.

3.  The bonfire was very poorly attended this year, unfortunately.  Only two children arrived plus few adults.  We wondered whether this was because it was held on Sat 4th rather than Sun 5th.  Last year it was very well attended.  However thanks are due to Rob, Marcia and Martin for clearing plot 60 and making it accessible.

4.  Winter watch - we would like to encourage people to go up to the site at least once a week to check out what is happening on the site in view of the recent vandalism.

5.  Emma Coldham would like to open a facebook page for the Allotment Association.

6.  The web page is not very well used; Ken Craghill who kindly maintains it would appreciate ideas of how to enliven it.  You could reply to this email with ideas and I will pass them on.

7.  Rob is to attend the next allotment advisory group meeting to discuss allotment security ie repairing the wall between park and allotments and reinforcing the gates.

8.  At the meeting Rob will also discuss non-cultivation of plots and resulting  letters from the allotment office.  Non-cultivated plots are troublesome to plot holders because of the spread of persistent weeds.  If you have concerns about any plots please let us know.

The next meeting will be on December 5th at 7.30 in the Bulls Head