**Whittlesey
Mud Walls
Group**

c/o The Town Hall
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Minutes for 6th March

1   Present - Mesdames: McAndrew, Barback.
        Messrs: Shearing, Phillips, Whitwell, Boddington, Hancock, Davies,
          Green.
    Apologies – Gerstner.

2   Minutes for 6th February - These were signed as a true record.

3   March museum - Our display period has ended and we've had very good feedback from the stewards at the museum, that it created a lot of interest. There have been several reports that there were mud walls in March many years ago, which is entirely possible. The display has at least got people thinking about mud walls, so job done. If any of you have any memories of mud walls in March, we'd love to hear about them.

4   Discovering Whittlesea article - It's in the March issue, which was a nice surprise. We're very pleased with it, it portrays us favourably and we've had encouraging comments about it. We're happy for anything that keeps people thinking about mud walls.

5   SPAB training - As reported last month, it's too expensive to get a specialist to come to Whittlesey so we wondered if one of us could go to where the course was being held. Sadly, it's near the England/Scotland border this time, but I'm told they often do one in the Midlands. In the meantime we'll get on with jobs we can do.

6   Wall list - We've drawn up some lists, walls that could be considered for listing, walls that require foliage removal, and walls that require further renovation. We'll be studying and evaluating these to see which is the best way to proceed, so we'll be coming to see some of you soon.

7   Chairman - Richard announced that due to work commitments, he's going to have to relinquish his role at the AGM in June, although he will still be involved with us. So we are now asking if any of you wish to become our new Chairperson, and help us continue with our important work of saving our mud walls. If you're interested please send me an email.

Next meeting -
Wednesday 3rd April at 10.30am.
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