NORTH LANCASHIRE BRIDLEWAYS SOCIETY

Minutes of meeting held on 13 March 2018

- 1. **Welcome and new members:** Eve welcomed everyone to the meeting.
- 2. **Apologies:** Kate Lennox, Sheena Robertson, Elaine Edmondson, Anna Twiname.
- 3. **Minutes of Last Meeting:** were confirmed as a true and accurate record. Proposed: Sue Nelson, seconded Ann Rigby.
- 4. Matters Arising: None.

5. Bridleway news:

- (i) The Group has received notice of two proposed bridleways, one from Mill Head to Warton and the other in the AONB, just north west of Gait Barrows though the latter may be on the backburner for a while. Also Forest of Bowland AONB have received funding for a full-time Rights of Way person so this may increase the possibility of getting the Lune Millenium track extended to Wennington. The Group wholeheartedly lend their support to all these projects and will assist in anyway they are able.
- 6. **NLBS fundraising ride including a lead rein class Sunday 14th October** Starting from Westmorland Showground this will be a joint effort along with Cumbria Bridleways Society and Rosemere Cancer Foundation, funds being shared between each organisation. Volunteers will be needed to man the gates and help with organisation on the day.
- 7. NLBS Tack sale Sunday 28th October Venue Hest Bank Memorial Hall. More details to follow.
- 8. **Charity Horse ride Sunday 25th March 10am Lancaster Auction Mart** All welcome to join in - ride, cycle or walk. The route incorporates the cycleway between Denny Beck and Caton. All proceeds to Birmingham Children's Hospital where a young girl from Ellel was treated for a rare form of cancer. For more details contact Helen Helme - 07973 196 713
- 9. Any other business:
- (i) If anyone would like to serve on the committee please let Eve know before the AGM which is the Group's next meeting. Eve tel: 01524 824205
- (ii) Bowland TREC Group Winter Series Arena TREC Competition 25th March, Carr Side EC, Chipping, Preston PR3 2TS. Entries secretary: Diane Richmond email diane2richmond@yahoo.com For more information about TREC and events visit www.trecgb.com.
- (iii) Newsletter copies were available at the meeting. Our thanks to Sheena for producing this publication on our behalf.

Speaker: Jess Wain, TREC GB International Young Rider, member of Bowland TREC Group, gave an entertaining account of her adventures competing in TREC culminating in taking part in the FITE World TREC Championships in Segovia, Spain

Next meeting: AGM and General meeting Tuesday, 8th May 2018 Hest Bank Memorial Hall, Hest Bank LA2 6JB Please come along and bring a friend