

## Landwise Network Meeting 25<sup>th</sup> July 2019

### ACTIONS

WHO	WHAT
All	Remember that some people find it really hard to speak in front of others, so give everyone the option of passing during check-in if they would like to.
David	Email group to ask if anyone would like to get involved with development of website.
David	Find out if in future, meeting at the Beacon will be possible and if so, how much that will cost.
Jeannie	Meet Stroud College to find out about their disused raised beds and what they would like to do with them
Miranda	Ask Richard from SVP if he knows who worked on the Ham Leaze site
Group	Respond to council re: Ham Leaze site
?	Send Resilience Day (Nov 9 <sup>th</sup> ) proposal to the group and see who's interested in helping to make it happen
Katherine	Arrange a date for work day at Stratford Court with Josie
Katherine	Contact people in Stroud Woodland to speak to them about being a Community Benefit Society.
Katherine	Track down existing organisations that offer free advice re: structure
Dom	Check in Stir magazine for advice on structure
Dilly	Check in notes from Real Farming Conference who was giving advice on structure (organisation based in Bristol perhaps?)
David	Circulate details of open evening at The Beacon to the email list

### NOTES

- Website is coming together, David working on this with Nick. Happy for others to get involved if they would like to contribute.
- No news on Convent as a place to potentially be based, waiting for an update from Sam.
- The idea of holding a day-long 'Resilience Fair' on November 9<sup>th</sup> to promote the Landwise Network and bring interested people/groups together was popular.
- Monthly work day at weekends on existing food growing projects in Stroud was suggested as a good way to start doing something practical together.
- Jeannie has done some work on identifying the best legal structure for the Network. Looks like Community Benefit Society could be the one, we're going to do a bit more finding out about this.

### NEXT MEETING

If anyone would like to organise an actual meeting next week then please feel free; otherwise we thought it would be good for us all to go along to the opening evening at The Beacon centre (where the Kendrick Street Art Gallery used to be) on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> August.