

**Meldreth, Shepreth and Foxton Rail User Group**

**15 March 2016, 7:45-9:00 PM**

**(Doors open 7PM, AGM 7:30)**

**Shepreth Village Hall, Station Road, Shepreth**

1. Welcome and apologies
2. Minutes of previous meeting
3. Station updates
  - Foxton: report on level crossing from Network Rail; pot holes in road approaching Network Rail Depot; Waiting Room Youth Club mural in progress
  - Meldreth: new watering system in place, station garden tidy-up 23 March. Cycle racks?
  - Shepreth: Cycle racks?
4. Train service issues
  - Meldreth Station Car Park ticket machine fault and unchecked penalties by Meteor Parking and PCN
  - Smart ticketing pedestals now live – any issues?
  - Progress on lobbying for half-hourly off-peak service
5. Sponsorship of school gardening projects – to note
  - Successful grant application for 'Melbourn Community Edible Gardening' from Community Resilience Grant, Cambridgeshire County Council – MSFRUG sponsoring organization
  - Compost available via AmeyCespa for school gardening clubs affiliated to MSFRUG
6. Community Rail Partnership update – to note
  - Association of Community Rail Partnerships officer has been to see Shepreth Station building to help encourage local interest in refurbishment and office or other commercial space
  - Meets on 17 March to discuss collaboration with local business and critical role of GTR
7. AOB
8. Date of next meeting: 12 June, 7 for 7:30PM, Foxton Village Hall