



ATP minutes from tri monthly meeting on 7th July 2016

Apologies received:

Attendees: Sharon Breward, Diane Warren, Amelia Parker, Petra Traynor, Beata Kamusella, Sally Davies, Benigna Ofoma, Andi Simpson, Gwyneth Rudman, Luci Lishman, Felicity Bertin, Carmell Gentle, Debra Abbas, Nina Grice, Lorraine Collingwood, Louise Beland, Jo Watt, Ann McKeever, Janice Blythman, Deb Wilson, Patricia Wise, Lisa Crawley, Karen Fell, Denise Pemberton, Sarah Oakley, Suanne Barber, Lynn Timms

Chair: Sarah Oakley

Secretary: Suzanne Barber

Minutes were agreed for meeting held on 7th March 2016

3. NIFN representation confirmed as Sarah McKie North West, Denise Pemberton East Midlands
5. NMC revalidation – ATP members are encouraged to act as confirmers with each other.
6. Vicky Jordan presented new website. Identified as work in progress and aims to complete for going live at the September meeting.
7. Discusses alternative venues for future meetings to encourage greater attendance. Sally Davies volunteered to approach the Rose Pub in Warwick as a potential venue.

Workshops on audit – Gwenth Rudman, Petra Traynor and Luci Lishman will co-ordinate a working party. Agreed to update on Sept 5th 2016

AOB

1. Petra Traynor discussed membership of the ATP and how this would evolve as more get trained in frenulotomy procedure. Agreed that membership would be available to all who can demonstrate the necessary credentials as the more practitioners available the more choice for parents. Agreed not appropriate to limit membership.
2. Lynn Timms asked if the leaflet needs to be reviewed with regard to the picture post division. Suggested it would be good to have a picture with and without the diamond. Agreed to further discuss and agree at the September meeting. Post Meeting Note – Lynn Timms agreed to work further on this and is still happy to do so but (with other pressing, and more important issues, requirements on her time) she is probably not going to be able to make a start on this in time for the next ATP meeting . If anyone else wants to take a lead on this please let Suzanne or Sarah know, otherwise this will be deferred by Lynn until later in the year

3. Felicity Bertin agreed to consider improving information regarding bodywork on the web site.
4. Patricia Wise thanks the ATP for the feedback in support of the NCT report on provision of services for tongue tie division.
5. Sally Davies requested important information and interesting cases are shared by email as she and others are not on Facebook – advised this is currently the process which the committee communicates any relevant information. Request noted not to be c.c'd routinely into communications and people need to carefully consider whether they should hit reply to sender or reply all.
6. Luci Lishman suggested considering a paying someone to help with the event organisation of the conference in future – some discussion ensued but no decision made. Consider again when beginning planning for next conference.

Close of meeting

Next meeting 5th September 2016, venue to be arranged and disseminated.