



# Airborne Engineers Association

Chatham Branch

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## MINUTES OF 169<sup>th</sup> O.G.M IN THE WO'S & SGT'S MESS BROMPTON BARRACKS 18<sup>th</sup> October 2010

### Committee Members

Chairman	~	Baz Bassett	*
Secretary	~	Nick Gibson	
Treasurer	~	Peter Kershaw	*
Welfare	~	Mick Fisher	*

\* These Committee Members were in attendance

### 1. Members Present

Bob Woolley	Jim Rogers	Eric Blenkinsop	Bill Perry
Bill Shield	Charlie Peglar	Bob Matthews	Bob Seaman
Pat Troy			

### 2. Apologies

John Elliott	Jon O'Connor	Nick Gibson	Keith King
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### 3. Minutes of Previous Meeting

Proposed ~ Bob Matthews  
Seconded ~ Eric Blenkinsop                      Carried

### 4. Matters Arising

Nil

### 5. Chairman's Report

Welcomed all to the evening but had nothing to report.

### 6. Secretary's Report

Secretary absent – no report.

### 7. Treasurers Report

Laid out the branch accounts and explained that all cash had been paid in. Proposal that the report as seen be accepted

Proposed ~ Pat Troy  
Seconded ~ Bob Seaman                      Carried

### 8. Welfare Report

Mick Fisher pointed out the unavailability of our Secretary, Nick Gibson, who is currently unable to attend due to his current back condition.

### 9. Museums and Archives

Nil

### 10. Branch Events

Christmas dinner. Peter Kershaw briefed all on the Christmas Lunch and the attached returns for the event. He encouraged branch members to book early for the event. Table plan to be produced closer to the day and discussed at the Nov meeting. The Chairman is to confirm attendance of the President at the dinner

#### 11. Any Other Business

Some sad news that Ginge Goodfellow had passed away and the funeral was on the 22 of Oct. On the recruiting John Craven was to be chased up  
A vote of thanks to be registered for the Aldershot branch for the organization of a splendid AEA Weekend at

#### 12. Next Meeting

**Next meeting 15<sup>th</sup> November 2010**

#### 13. Post Scriptum

Nil

#### 14. Branch Diary

Branch Xmas Lunch	5 December 2010	King Charles Hotel
Branch OGM	17 January 2010	RE HQ WO's & Sgts Mess
Branch OGM	21 February 2010	RE HQ WO's & Sgts Mess
Branch OGM	21 March 2010	RE HQ WO's & Sgts Mes

#### 15. Notices

Nil