Minutes of meeting of Umma wa Wapanda Baisikeli Dar es Salaam 19 July 2008

Attendance

Ally Athuman Jumbe Ally Saidi Mwishehe Aseli Wilison Bashiri Rashidi Dominata Rwechungura Edgar R Paulo Elaine Baker Filbert Mbecha Frank Peter Rwechungura Husein Hamza Hamisi Juma Ali Salehe Jongo Juma Ayouba Ally Jumanne Idd Selemani Kibwana Mohammad Msiga Mussa Alex Ramadhani Rajabu Nyengo Sosthenes C Amlima

Road safety project - Wamba Memorial Fund

During the week Elaine incorporated the corrections to the manual made by Dominata and Filbert and printed out and photocopied the manual for participants.

On Monday Elaine and Juma went to the National Institute of Transport and on Thursday Juma went again. Mr Sempoli helped to make arrangements for the classroom and the food for participants. Morning and afternoon refreshments will cost Tsh 1,600 per person. Juma will pay Tsh 40,000 in advance for one day.

One teacher from Kigamboni Secondary School, two teachers from Msongole, two representatives from HUWATA, three representatives from NIT and 17 UWABA members will take part, which makes 25 participants plus Andrew. There was discussion about reducing the numbers but it was agreed to allow everyone who is registered to participate.

Andrew is arriving at 7.30 pm on Sunday evening. He is coming with his own bicycle. Elaine will arrange to pick him up in a taxi and he will stay in her house in Kigamboni.

Elaine will prepare materials to bring to the meetings on Thursday. TANROADS phoned Mejah to ask for clarification on the meeting with Andrew.

Elaine will also prepare attendance certificates for the course.

Finances

Elaine and Juma went to the bank and withdrew Tsh 1,000,000 to have money ready for the course next week, with each of them staying with Tsh 500,000. Elaine used Tsh 22,400 for photocopying. Juma received two weeks guta money Tsh 14,000. Elaine now holds Tsh 477,600 and Juma holds Tsh 579,950.

Office

Mejah sent a message that the new office will definitely be ready by 1st August.

Other business

UWABA received an email from a Dar es Salaam based cyclists called Amar who is interested in joining UWABA.