



**GMB Northants Community Branch**

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### **Summary of the branch meeting by zoom video held on May 27<sup>th</sup> 2020**

The president informed the group that one of our reps, Scot E, at the Matalan warehouse had died. The secretary will inform region. The next of kin should be entitled to funeral benefit.

The secretary had been sent a link from national for a [survey](#) for all our members working in schools and [another link about the GMB position](#). The secretary had sent the links out to our members in schools and Adrian had put them on the website. There is a great deal of uncertainty among members about the way this is being handled by the government.

It was agreed to renew our contract with our web host, Host Papa, under a new, cheaper contract.

It was agreed to donate £50 to the [Nicaraguan Solidarity Campaign](#).

We will donate £100 to [UNHCR](#), the UN organisation supporting refugees, and a local charity for refugees based in Kettering. Maggie will find out the details.

Finances remain healthy.