



TIDWORTH TOWN COUNCIL

Community Engagements Committee 2018

Minutes of the Community Engagement Committee meeting held on 20th of February 2018 in the Community Centre at 6.45pm

Attended: Cllrs S Fell - in the Chair (SF), B Pratt (BP), R Gregory (RG), C Brook (CB), Dave Wright (DW), C Lovell (CL), A Bower (AB), A McIntyre (AM)		Apologies: M Conolly Absent: A Conolly AD proposed that the apologies were accepted, seconded by RG, carried
Item	Agenda Item	Action By
2	Declaration of Interest Photography Competition by SF	
3	Minutes of Previous Meeting Minutes of January 2018 meeting ratified at January 2018 Full Town meeting. No matters arising.	
4	Events Easter 2018 – Easter poster from Admin handed in for discussion and a few points have been raised to be amended. SF asked if any of the Councillors would volunteer on the day and to start with publishing the event. CL to confirm with Cllr Ann B requesting the group (over 60s) help with coffee/tea. Tidworth In Bloom(TiB) – Admin to work on poster for this event. Dates and Judges to be confirmed on a later date. Photography Competition – Poster provided by Admin was discussed and closing dates is to be confirmed. CL mentions that the competition will start once the Easter event is over. SF clarifies that when advertising to inform the community that the competition is for amateurs and not just professionals. Festival 2018 – Town Clerk presented the committee with the proposed booking forms for the pitches and clarifies that licences, loos and bins have been processed and booked in for the Event. Members had a discussion of the size of pitches to be provided on the day and have agreed to have a standard pitch size to avoid confusion. As we have always had a tribute for the festival, CL confirmed that AJ had suggested a proper band rather than a cover.	
5	Tidworth Times Admin confirms that the template for Issue 24 is ready and waiting for articles to be submitted in before deadline dates.	

6	<p>Community Recognition Evening– CB confirms she has ideas on which dates to have the event on. RG suggests CB chairs the event and to appoint a sub-committee to help in organising the event.</p>	
7	<p>Updates Neighbourhood Policing Dementia Friends – BP has organised an afternoon tea at Wellington Academy on the 26th of March for members and the public that wish to join the group. Everyone is welcome to discuss new ideas and strategies to move forward in the years to come. Event to be on the agenda for FT meeting. Tidworth Angels – SF clarified that the Litter picking to proceed further for the 3rd of March at 10am, weather permitting. Little Flower Shop - CL confirms that we can now have fresh flowers for the hanging flower baskets with no extra charges from them. They have also agreed to decorate their display window to any current theme the Council or the Community is engaged in.</p>	
	<p>Date of Next Meeting 13th March 2018</p>	

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting closed at 7.30pm.