



TIDWORTH TOWN COUNCIL

Community Engagements Committee March 2018

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

Attended: Cllrs S Fell - in the Chair (SF), M Connolly (MC), A Connolly (AC), B Pratt (BP), R Gregory (RG) C Lovell (CL) T Thornton		Apologies: D Wright Absent: A Dawson, C Brook BP proposed that the apologies were accepted, seconded by SF, carried
Item	Agenda Item	Action By
2	Declaration of Interest None	
3	Minutes of Previous Meeting Minutes of February 2018 meeting ratified at March 2018 Full Town meeting. No matters arising.	
4	Events Easter 2018 – Confirmed MC to open the event with his wife. RG, SF and AC to set up and be there during the event. Unfortunately tea cup ride not available but suitable alternative has been booked. Tidworth In Bloom – Judging to take place week commencing 25 th June 2018, all entries to be in by 15 th June 2018. Now dates are confirmed this can be advertised. Photography Competition – Closing date for entries 29 th June 2018. Now dates are confirmed this can be advertised. Festival 2018 – AJ has sent links for potential acts. Although the committee said they would like to move away from tribute acts as the headline as this would only cover one genre of music they are concerned that having an act that plays only original material would not be well received as the aim is for people to be up and dancing. The Clerk had already approached a local band to perform and having seen them at another event AC and MC both agreed they would be suitable as the headline act. Festival Factor will be happening this year.	
5	Tidworth Times Issue 24 is with the printers. Number of copies printed was discussed and how much revenue there is from advertising. RG proposed that the Chamber of Commerce pays £200.00 for 2 pages of advertising to be reviewed after 4 editions, seconded by MC, carried. In the meantime the Clerk will make investigations for costings to have the	

	publication delivered through doors.	
6	<p>Community Recognition Awards</p> <p>Due to lack of interest from members the Committee have decided to not follow this up at the moment, however should there be interest in the future they will look at it again.</p>	
7	<p>Updates</p> <p>Neighbourhood Policing – None</p> <p>Dementia Friends – 24th April 2018 there will be Dementia Friends training. BP reminded members there is an afternoon tea at the Wellington Academy to relaunch the Memory Café.</p>	
	<p>Date of Next Meeting</p> <p>17th April 2018</p>	

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting closed at 7.45pm.