



**TIDWORTH TOWN COUNCIL**  
**COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT FEBRUARY 2025**

Dear Sir/Madam

I hereby give you notice that the meeting of the Engagement Committee will be held at Tidworth Town Council Office at Tidworth Civic Centre, Wylde Road, SP9 7QQ on 18<sup>th</sup> February 2025 at 7.00pm  
All members of the Committee are hereby summoned to attend for the purpose of considering and resolving upon the business to be transacted at the meeting as set out hereunder.

Dated this day 12<sup>th</sup> February 2025

Signed: C Lovell, Clerk

Item	Agenda	Who?
1	<b>Apologies for Absence</b>	
2	<b>Declaration of Interest</b>	All
3	<b>Minutes of January 2025 Meeting</b>	All
4	<b>Community Awards 2025 – 19<sup>th</sup> February 2025</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Balloon arch ordered through Dotty Dot Ballons, set-up 1pm on 19<sup>th</sup></li><li>● 51 guests confirmed</li><li>● Entertainment, CDB to provide music, Arrival &amp; set-up time?</li><li>● Hand Bell ringers contacted. To play at 7.15pm, donation of £50 confirmed</li><li>● Catering Budget agreed of £25 at January meeting</li><li>● Volunteers?</li></ul>	All
5	<b>Photographer Quotes</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Nathan Read booked for Community Awards £95 total.</li><li>● Quotes received for future event photographers</li></ul>	All
6	<b>Big Rides Ltd</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Currently in Credit for 3 x rides, 1 x play centre for 5 hours use</li><li>● New date(s) of use</li></ul>	All
7	<b>Easter – 5<sup>th</sup> April 2025</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Entertainment options to be discussed / Budget for children's entertainer agreed at £250 January meeting</li><li>● Face Painting booked through Rosy Cheeks, 2 artists for 2 hours</li><li>● Easter Eggs Donation received from Tesco Champion.</li><li>● Easter egg donation requested from Lidl regional manager</li><li>● £150 budget agreed for Easter Eggs at January meeting</li><li>● Holy Trinity Church have confirmed craft table</li><li>● Scavenger hunt message suggestions</li><li>● 2 x large carrot ballons booked through Dotty Dot Balloons</li><li>● Volunteer photographer</li></ul>	All
8	<b>Litter Picks – Sat 22<sup>nd</sup> March 10am-12pm</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Volunteers/photographer</li><li>● CB to order stickers for children</li><li>● CB to contact schools to invite</li></ul>	All
9	<b>VE Day - Thursday 8th May 2025</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Beacon to be lit 9/9.30pm?</li></ul>	All



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pipers update</li> <li>• Fish and Chip supper £3.50per head for 60</li> <li>• VE Day info, website and socials</li> <li>• Decorations or a stand?</li> <li>• Photographer Volunteer</li> </ul>	
10	<b>Armed Forces Day – 21<sup>st</sup> June</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Do we want a stand at AFD? Volunteers?</li> </ul>	All
11	<b>Tesco Armed Forces Day – 28 June</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Do we want a stand in the entrance way of Tesco? Volunteers?</li> </ul>	All
12	<b>Tidworth Town Festival and Skate Park Jam 26<sup>th</sup> July 2025</b> Meeting to be planned with AJ Entertainment	All
13	<b>VJ Day – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> August 2025</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CB to gather quote from Ezra’s for BBQ hotdogs and burgers for 60</li> <li>• Pipers update</li> <li>• Photographer Volunteer</li> </ul>	All
14	<b>Mortuary Chapel Open Day 20<sup>th</sup> September</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6 Cakes from Waitrose to be purchased, budget not discussed</li> <li>• Photographer volunteer</li> <li>• No Generator?</li> </ul>	All
15	<b>Halloween 25<sup>th</sup> October 2pm-4pm</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Entertainment Ideas</li> <li>• Budget</li> <li>• Craft table</li> <li>• Face Painting?</li> <li>• Photographer Volunteer</li> </ul>	All
16	<b>Christmas 6<sup>th</sup> Dec</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jollypop the grinch and Cinderella £500 voted to be booked at Jan Meeting.</li> <li>• Face Painting booked through Rosy Cheeks, 11am-3pm 2 artists.</li> <li>• Father Christmas quotes</li> </ul>	All
17	<b>Indoor Christmas Tree Civic Centre</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Real or artificial</li> <li>• To keep or rent?</li> <li>• Storage space</li> </ul>	All
18	<b>Bookcase for Civic Centre</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Free book swap area for members of the community</li> </ul>	All
19	<b>Corporate Passes</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Would this be of interest</li> <li>• Budget</li> </ul>	All
20	<b>Tidworth Times</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date of Next Edition</li> <li>• Volunteers to help preparation</li> <li>• Volunteers to help with distribution</li> <li>• Budget</li> </ul>	RG
21	<b>Town Council Website</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Layout</li> <li>• Additions</li> </ul>	
22	<b>Correspondence, Agenda items for the next meeting.</b>	All
23	<b>Date of Next meeting 18<sup>th</sup> March 2025</b> <b>Agenda items to clerk 7 working days prior to meeting</b>	

