

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF ODIHAM PARISH COUNCIL'S COMMUNITY COMMITTEE HELD IN THE LIBRARY ROOM, THE BRIDEWELL, THE BURY, ODIHAM ON 10th May 2022 COMMENCING AT 8.30PM

Present: Cllr A McFarlane (Chair), K Ball, D Sanger and P Verdon

In attendance: Sara Jones Deputy Parish Clerk.

CC44/21 To receive and accept apologies for absence

Apologies were received and accepted from Cllr Fraser.

CC45/21 To receive declarations of interests and requests for dispensation

relating to any item on the agenda

None.

CC46/21 Public Session

No members of the public were present.

CC47/21 Approval of minutes

RESOLVED

The minutes of the previous meeting held on 21st September 2021(CC15/21–CC29/21) were agreed as a true record of the meeting and were signed by the Chair.

CC48/21 Platinum Jubilee Update

Councillors noted the report and received an update on progress of the Jubilee Commemorative Booklet. It was confirmed that the booklet would be distributed week commencing 16th May.

Cllrs reviewed the budget and requested amendments that the spreadsheet summary of the event budget would itemise separately the cost of the hire of the tables and benches and to list the income and expenditure in separate columns.

It was noted that Voila Odiham Theatre would have a free photo booth at the Jubilee Street Party.

It was requested copies of the Jubilee Commemorative Booklet to be sent to Robert May's School in addition to sending a PDF version for the school to download.

CC49/21 Annual Parish Assembly

It was commented that the APA had gone well and there were 21 members of the public present. It was commented that the acoustics in the Church had made it difficult for a member of the public to hear the speakers clearly.



CC50/21 Jubilee Flower Festival

There was no further information regarding the request for a donation for the Flower Festival had been sent to OPC. Councillors agreed that without more information a decision could not be made.

CC51/21 Defibrillator

It was noted that OPC had arranged for the Chair of North Warnborough Village Hall and the electrician, who had installed the defibrillator at Leapfrogs in 2021, to meet to investigate whether there was power supply to the gate of NWVH where it was hoped the defibrillator would be installed.

CC52/21 InOdiham update

Cllr A McFarlane reported that the recent meeting she had attended with InOdiham directors had been a very positive meeting and commented that there was now a better understanding of how grants from the local Council could support InOdiham's events and activities.

CC53/21 Armed Forces Day 25th June 2022

Councillors confirmed OPC's support of Armed Forces Day and raising of Armed Forces flags on the High Street which would coincide with the Bands in the Bury event organised by InOdiham.

It was noted that the flags would be raised two weeks before and that there would be no parade.

It was reported that InOdiham had requested for the public toilets on King Street to be kept open for longer on Saturday 25th June to support the event. Councillors agreed in principle, cost permitting to keep the toilets open for longer with increased toilet supplies.

Action: for OPC to contact the cleaning company to request the cost for the 25th June and for the Street party on 5th June.

CC54/21 Speedwatch (page 5)

Cllrs noted the report and agreed that:

- 1. OPC would advertise for more Speedwatch volunteers, highlighting that Speedwatch had started well in Odiham but that unless more volunteers came forward it would not be able to continue.
- 2. OPC would continue pursuing funding options for a second SID, that would be less cumbersome and easier for volunteers to transport.

It was commented that a second SID would give OPC the flexibility to attach the current SID to lampposts on the roads that were not safe for the Speedwatch volunteers to stand.

CC55/21 The Greening Campaign

Cllrs noted the report. Cllr McFarlane commented that the Greening Campaign had received a good response which was very promising.



Date of the next meeting 12th July 2022.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 21.05.

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