

HESSLE TOWN COUNCIL
EVENTS COMMITTEE
Wednesday 4th January 2012 at 7.30pm
Large Front Room, Town Hall, South Lane
Hessle

M I N U T E S

Present: Councillors Jenkins, L Bettison, Davison, and Withers

Apologies: Councillors R Bettison, Prattley (Chairman), Rose (Vice Chairman) and Kitchen.

Advisory Member: Mrs. S. Bone

(Withers/L Bettison)

RESOLVED that in the absence of Cllrs Pattley and Rose, Cllr Jenkins takes the Chair.

14829 **DECLARATION OF INTEREST:**
None were given

14830 **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING:**
(Chair/Withers)

RESOLVED to confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 7th December 2011 as a correct record and authorise the Chairman to sign.

14831 **CHAIRMAN'S COMMUNICATIONS:**
None received.

14832 **FINANCIAL UPDATE:**
Income and expenditure up to the 14th December 2011
(Chair/L. Bettison)

RESOLVED noted the income and expenditure to 14th December 2011.

14833 **CHRISTMAS LIGHTS:**
(Chair/L. Bettison)

RESOLVED noted that members are to look at purchasing new lights in the sales, ie Star for the large tree in The Square, and to light up the final tree in The Square. This item to be discussed at the meeting in February.

Cllr Jenkins and The Assistant Town Clerk have looked at the lights and have identified which lights will need repairing before next year.

14834 **FUTURE EVENTS:**

a) Diamond Jubilee – Extended weekend 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th June 2012

Cllr Withers spoke to this item, Minutes from the Jubilee Working Party meeting which took place on 21st December 2011 at the Town Hall, Hessle with North Ferriby, Barton upon Humber and South Ferriby Parish Councils were distributed to members. The next meeting will be on 18th January 2012 – 2.00pm at Hessle Town Hall. *Minutes **attached** for members who did not attend this meeting.*

The Big Lunch will be going public on the 9th January 2012 and letters need to go to distributors before this date.

(Withers/L. Bettison)

RESOLVED that the Big Lunch be managed by the Hessle Feast Committee as a Community Partnership, that Mrs. Sarah Bone to use her databasis to send letters for donations. Mrs. Bone will keep the Committee informed.

(Withers/Chair)

RESOLVED that members nominate Cllr Pattley to send letters to Companies asking them to get involved in the Events.

Beacon – Hessle Twinning Association has offered to light the beacon, Cllr Prattley will liaise with Mr. Billany. The beacon is proposed to be lit between 10.00pm – 10.30pm.

Invitation – Cllr Prattley to contact Bourg-de-Thizy (Town Twinned with Hessle) asking if they would like to attend the Events.

Sponsorship – Cllr Withers to contact Kingston Communications and to investigate sponsorship from them.

Bands – Members to look at bands that create folk music atmosphere and bring back to the next meeting.

Parking – Concerns about Parking to be discussed at the next meeting
(Chair/Withers)

RESOLVED that the Police are informed and to invite Sgt Allison Bradley from the Hessle Policing team to the next meeting.

Financial Support

(Withers/L. Bettison)

RESOLVED that financial support of the sum of £5,000.00 from the contingency fund be requested at the Budget meeting due to take place on the 11th January 2012 as an additional element to the Committee as a one-off amount.

Cllr Withers to provide a financial list for the event.

Events Licence: Further discussions with Mr. Rod Towse (ERYC). If our licence needs updating this could cost £300.00, and would we need road closure? These items to be discussed at the next meeting.

14835 **CIVIC EVENT – 18th March 2012.**

Cllr Davison spoke to this item:

Invitations to go out in the next few weeks

Catering to be organised.

Cllr Davison has chosen Macmillan Nurses as his chosen Charity

14836 **OTHER EVENTS:**

None were discussed.