

Minutes of the meeting of the **EVENTS & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT SUB COMMITTEE** held in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, Ferryhill, on **WEDNESDAY, 26th JUNE 2019**.

PRESENT: Councillor: **D. Farry** (Chair)

Councillors: J Cansella; K Conroy

Officials: K Younghusband, Events and Projects Officer;

Outside Organisations: M Gray, Livin

ECE58.19-20 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies had been received from:

Councillor K Graham
Councillor N Jones
Councillor C Woods

ECE59.19-20 MEMBERS DISPENSATION

There were no member dispensations in relation to any item of business on the agenda.

ECE60.19-20 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations of interest had been received.

ECE61.19-20 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

No members of the public were present.

ECE62.19-20 MINUTES

The Minutes of the following Meeting were agreed as a true and accurate record:

Events & Community Engagement Sub-Committee - 22nd May 2019

ECE63.19-20 UPDATE ON FORTHCOMING EVENTS

The Events & Projects Officer provided a verbal update on arrangements relating to the Town Council's forthcoming events and specifically the Armed Forces Day Event on 29th June, Ferryfest Legends Music Festival on 6th July, Ferryhill in Bloom and Civic Awards, Miners Banner Parades on 12th and 13th July, Senior Citizens Trip to South Shields on 25th July, the Art & Photography Exhibition on 1st – 18th August, Summer Gala on 18th August and Zombie Trikers Trike & Bike Show on 25th August.

The Vintage Rally which had been held on 15th and 16th June had been successful. There were plenty stalls, vintage exhibits, caterers and a Strongman Display. It was noted that the DCVCS had not brought a beer tent this year, and had still brought porta-loos despite being given full use of the Bowls Pavilion which contained its own toilets.

It was **Approved** that:

- The Events & Projects Officer emails all Councillors reminding them that the Armed Forces Day Event would be taking place at 9.30am on Saturday, 29th June in the Town Hall Gardens;
- Malcolm Gray, circulates the Armed Forces Day Poster on Livin's intranet;
- Anyone with any tombola prizes for the Zombie Trikers event bring them to the Town Hall;
- The 75th Anniversary of VE day be added to the next agenda of the Events & Community Engagement Sub-Committee (24th July 2019) and a date be agreed for the event at that meeting;
- All Councillors actively support the Town Council's Programme of Events by sharing publicity (posters/press releases) for the various events on social media.

CERTIFIED AS A TRUE RECORD

CHAIR.....

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