
Hollinswood and Randlay Parish Council

Chairman of the Committee: Cllr S Vaughan-Hodkinson

Clerk: Katrina Baker MBE

EVENTS COMMITTEE

MINUTES of the meeting held via Zoom on Monday 29th June 2020 at 7.30 p.m.

PRESENT: Councillor S Vaughan-Hodkinson
Councillor J Creed
Councillor S Unwin
Councillor H Unwin
Councillor S Snell
Councillor E Dalby

In Attendance: Katrina Baker, Clerk
Glyn Johnson
Stuart Fisher

E2020/687 WELCOME

Councillor Vaughan-Hodkinson opened the meeting and welcomed everyone.

E2020/688 APOLOGIES

Councillor J Johnson Work Commitments
Councillor L Ricketts Work Commitments

It was proposed by Councillor S Unwin and seconded by Councillor S Snell, all were in favour and thus it was

RESOLVED that these apologies be accepted.

Councillor C Turley IT would not allow access to the meeting

The Police had also sent their apologies, due to work commitments.

E2020/689 MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 2nd March 2020

It was proposed by Councillor S Unwin and seconded by Councillor Dalby that the Minutes of the meeting held on 2nd March 2020 be accepted as a true record. All were in favour and thus it was

RESOLVED that the Minutes of the Meeting held on 2nd March 2020 be signed by the Chairman as a true record, at the earliest opportunity.

E2020/690 MATTERS ARISING

None

E2020/691 EVENTS CALENDAR 2020/21

The Chairman updated Members on the need to cancel our events from March 2020 due to the Covid-19 pandemic. This is most unfortunate and sad, but necessary, in order to support the Government's aims to control the spread of the virus and to keep our communities safe.

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The Parish Council had attended a meeting, hosted by TWC, with other PTCs to discuss future events following the lifting of the restrictions. This was chaired by TWC which has confirmed that it will not be holding any events until the end of the year, at the earliest. Many other PTCs also confirmed that they can cancelled all events for 2020 and some until April 2021.

Remembrance Sunday

Dawley RBL are not attending any Remembrance Day events and areas such as Oakengates, Wellington, Dawley and Newport are considering virtual events, on facebook live or pre-recorded.

Members discussed ways in which an event could be arranged, including hymns, readings and wreath-laying, within the social distancing guidelines, and that can be made available for the community via the website or facebook.

We will also create a display, similar to that on VE Day, which can be shared with our community. RBL will have a 'theme' which can be considered and we will approach TWC for assistance with the IT so that the event can be available across the Borough. It is hoped that TWC will join with us for this important event in our calendar.

Senior Citizens Christmas Lunches

Discussions are taking place with The Holiday Inn and other providers so that we can consider providing a take-away Christmas Lunch. It may be possible for us to cook this at Randlay and deliver to pre-booked addresses. Dates will be considered at the next meeting.

Christmas Lights Switch-On

There were many good ideas about how to switch on the lights, and to share this with the community via a video recording, the event can include a message from Santa, with readings and carols – it is hoped that TWC will also assist with this project and enable us to switch both Centre's lights on at the same time.

E2020/692

FRIENDS OF HOLLINSWOOD & RANDLAY VALLEY

The only event in the calendar for FoHRV is the Environmental Day on 4th September 2021. Other community events in 2020 have had to be postponed.

It was agreed to organize walks in and through the Valley. There is evidence that (during the lockdown period) there has been a significant increase in the number of walkers enjoying the routes in Randlay Valley. This is to be encouraged. Relevant risk assessments will be carried out and masks / shields will be made available for public events.

E2020/693

2021/22 EVENTS

Members took the opportunity to discuss possible events, which will depend on Government Guidelines in the coming months. Members wanted to be prepared.

St George's Day 2021	Friday, April 23 rd	Bingo and Fish & Chip Supper
	Sunday, April 25 th	Community event
Fun Day 2021	Sunday, July 4 th	Preferred Date Depending on the Classic Cars

Hollinswood Neighbourhood Centre, 7 Downmead, Hollinswood, Telford TF3 2EW Tel: 01952 567961

E-mail:- enquiries@harpc.org.uk Website:- www.hollinswoodandrandlaypc.org.uk

Hollinswood & Randlay Parish Council and Telford & Wrekin Council have signed up to a Parish Charter –
A commitment by all to work together for the benefit of the wider community.

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Autumn Event

To be considered

If grants are available, Members will consider an event to support our community, to recognize our diverse cultures and to bring the communities together.

E2020/694 2021 CALENDARS

Members were clear that next year's Calendar must be very positive and include success stories, photos and information to support our community as it recovers from the events of 2020.

Thought will be given to the Garden and Allotment Competitions

Word Cloud / NHS collages

HNC Planters

The Muddy

Local Shops and Schools

E2020/695 DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING

As per the new meeting schedule to be agreed at the next Full Council meeting.

There being no further business, the Chairman closed the meeting at 8.20pm thanking everyone for their important contribution to the discussions.

Signed Date