STANLEY TOWN COUNCIL: COMMUNICATIONS & EVENTS COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF MEETING

MEETING: TIME: 18.30hrs; DATE: 13/01/15 VENUE: Stanley Civic Hall, Front Street, Stanley, DH9 0NA

PRESENT - CLLRS: D McMahon(Chair); D. Mills; D. Tully; A. Clegg, and J. Nicholson.

APOLOGIES – Councillors C. Bell; M. Wilkinson; L. Marshall; R. Ferris; R. Harrison, C. Malin.

OFFICIALS – D. Shingleton (Acting Town Clerk); James Harper (Community Development Manager); Brian Hall (Community Services Officer);

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE - Cllr: B. Nixon.

MINUTE	SUBJECT	NOTE/S	ACTION/S
CEC.74-14	Apologies	Apologies received from Cllrs Harrison, Bell, Wilkinson, Marshall, Ferris and Malin were accepted by	
		the Committee.	
CEC.75-14	Declarations of	None.	
	Interest		
CEC.76-14	Procedural and	None.	
	Appropriate		
	Announcements		
	from the Chairman		
CEC.77-14	Minutes	It was proposed by Councillor Clegg, seconded by Councillor Mills and RESOLVED that the minutes of	
		the meeting held on 9 th December 2014 be approved as a correct record.	
CEC.78-14	Public Participation	5.1 There were no questions from any members of the public at the meeting.	
		5.2 The Committee discussed how a limited edition 2015 calendar should be produced to avoid	Brian
		disappointing the entrants. It was RESOLVED that 100 callenders should be produced, a copy	
		given to each contestant and the rest sold from the front counter for £1. Any money rased	
		should be donated to charity. As discussed at the last meeting the 3 winning entries will be	
		mounted onto canvas and displayed in the Civic Hall Gallery area. They will then go to	
		auction and the money raised will go to the Chairmans Charity.	
CEC.79-14	Item 6 – SMS	Members discussed the report from James Harper. As the SMS Service was not practicable, it was	Brian / James
	service/E-mail	RESOLVED that James and Brian be left to look into an email service, where the public provide STC	
		with their email address and we email them with information. This will be looked at when the new	
		website design begins.	
CEC.80-14	Item 7 – WW1	Brian gave an update on the Beamish event to be held at the Civic Hall 13 th /14 th March. Letters have	James / Brian

		been sent out to local schools and a further meeting is scheduled for 22 nd January.	
CEC.81-14	Item 8 – Stanley fun day/Armed forces day	It was RESOLVED that a date should be set for 27 th June, with the day being a joint Fun Day/Armed Forces Day, and a working party be set up to develop the event and contact be made with Mr George Mckay from the British Legion.	James/Brian
CEC.82-14	Item 9 – EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS	It was RESOLVED that in accordance with Section 1 of the Public Bodies (Admissions to Meetings) Act 1960, as amended by Section 100 of the Local Government Act 1972, the Council excludes the press and public on the grounds of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted since publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest.	
CEC.83-14	Item 10 – Budget 2015-16	It was RESOLVED that the £25,000 budget for New Events should be renamed 'Other Events'	Derek
CEC.84-14	Item 11 – Date, Time and Venue of Next Meeting	10 th February 2015, 6:30pm, Stanley Civic Hall	
	Notes taken by B. Hall	Minutes approved by:(Chair);(Date)	