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WINSLOW TOWN COUNCIL
MINUTES of the EVENTS COMMITTEE
Monday 21st March 2022, at 10.00am at 28 High St. Winslow.

Present: Cllrs. Onley (Chair), Cawte and R Hamley. Mr T Perkins and Mr. O Rhodes

Absent: Cllr. Cornell, Mr K Moore

Clerk: C Loch. Assisting: C Bench

There were no press or public.

22/21 Items Delegated by Council or Deferred from last meeting:

None

22/22 Minutes of Meetings:

RESOLVED that the minutes of the meeting held 21st March 2022 be signed as a true record.

Matters Arising: None.

22/23 Items deferred from last meeting

None

22/24 Items delegated from Council

None

22/25 Farmers Market.

Members heard that the May market was fully booked. It was agreed that the Lions could have a community stall at the market to promote the North Bucks Bike Ride.

A potential stall holder selling olives and similar produce would be offered a stall on a trial basis for one market when there is availability.

Management of the Farmers Market Facebook Page to be re-assigned to stall holder.

It was RESOLVED to proceed with the proposed Farmers Market logo design.

The location of banners was discussed and it was agreed to continue as currently displayed.

22/26 Other Events

Jubilee celebrations

The Clerk gave an overview of the Jubilee working party meeting held on the 13th April.

The event in the showground will now be on the Saturday. An informal picnic will be taking place on Friday in the park with the possibility of musicians, weather permitting. The Public Hall may be used as a wet weather contingency but also to have displays, children's colouring activities and refreshments. The final arrangements would be confirmed by the Jubilee Committee in due course after a further meeting on May 10th.

Members heard that the Clerk is waiting on confirmation as to whether the Market Square closure licence can be extended to allow for a Parade of Standards to take place. The Civic Service will remain at 4pm.

Christmas Fair

It was RESOLVED that the Christmas Fair will be held on Thursday 24th November. The Clerk shared thoughts on a revised layout and plans for the arrival of Santa as well as the distribution of gifts. This would make crowd control much easier.

Other possible events for consideration

Members heard a suggestion of a welcome event for refugees to Winslow with the possibility of refreshments and representatives of relevant organisations attending. This would be investigated further.

22/27 Administration

Heritage light in the Market Square

A budgetary quote had been received and the Clerk advised that Finance & General agreed to the proposal. The Clerk would approach Buckinghamshire Council for approval to site the column.

Items for Information

Members noted that an approach has been made by 'Music in Quiet Places' to hold events this year.

The next meeting to be held on Monday 23rd May at 10am.

Meeting close: 10.38am

Signed: (Chairman) at Meeting (date)