

**MINUTES OF THE LEISURE AND COMMUNITY COMMITTEE  
OF STAVELEY TOWN COUNCIL**

**Wednesday 16th July 2014**  
**Commencing at 6.00 p.m.**  
**In the Council Chamber, Staveley Hall**

Present:  
 Councillor Tidd (Chair)  
 Councillor H. Elliott (Vice-Chair)  
 Councillor J. Barnett  
 Councillor J. Bacon  
 Councillor A. Hill  
 Councillor P. Hill  
 Councillor O. Cauldwell (arrived part way through the meeting)

In attendance – Paul Harris (Acting Town Clerk)

		<b>ACTION</b>
<b>222/14</b>	<p><b>PUBLIC SESSION</b>                      There were no members of the public present.</p>	
<b>223/14</b>	<p><b>DECLARATION OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS BY MEMBERS OR OFFICERS</b>                      There were no declarations of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests by Members or Officers.</p>	
<b>224/14</b>	<p><b>APOLOGIES</b>                      No apologies for absence were received.</p>	
<b>225/14</b>	<p><b>COUNCILLORS NOT PRESENT</b>                      Councillor B. Dyke and Councillor D. Parsons were not present.</p>	
<b>226/14</b>	<p><b>MINUTES OF THE LEISURE AND COMMUNITY COMMITTEE OF STAVELEY TOWN COUNCIL HELD ON WEDNESDAY 18<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2014</b></p> <p><b>RESOLVED:</b> - That the minutes be accepted as a true record.</p>	
<b>227/14</b>	<p><b>MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES OF THE</b></p>	

	<p><b>LEISURE AND COMMUNITY COMMITTEE OF STAVELEY TOWN COUNCIL HELD ON WEDNESDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2014</b></p> <p><b>124/14</b> – Councillor Hill wanted to clarify the £1000 was for Staveley Town Council Annual Activities and was to be spent on a World War 1 Activity as the Annual Activity for this year.</p> <p>Councillor J. Bacon mentioned that she had to put her apologies in for the World War 1 Working Party Meeting which was being held at Netherthorpe School at the same time as this meeting. She said Councillor Don Parsons would most likely be at the World War 1 Working Party Meeting. Councillor Tidd asked if they should get an update from Councillor Parsons as to what activity was being proposed for the World War 1 by the Working Party. It was noted by Councillors that activity to commemorate World War 1 was important and a was priority.</p> <p>No further matters arising were raised.</p>	
<p><b>228/14</b></p>	<p><b>STAVELEY FEAST 2014</b></p> <p>There was nothing to report under Staveley Feast 2014.</p> <p>It was proposed that the Staveley Feast should be taken off the Leisure and Community Committee Agenda until next year.</p> <p>It was proposed that the Staveley Feast 2015 be put as an item under the Speedwell Rooms Sub-Committee agenda. Ideas could therefore be discussed with regard to family entertainment at The Speedwell Rooms for the Feast 2015 prior to being discussed at The Leisure and Community Committee.</p>	
<p><b>229/14</b></p>	<p><b>SUMMER ACTIVITIES SCHEMES</b></p> <p>The Acting Town Clerk informed Members that letters had gone out informing parents of children's places. A couple of schemes were already full. Councillor Tidd reported that she had attended a meeting with the Summer Activities Scheme staff on the 7<sup>th</sup> July. She mentioned that the uptake for the Duckmanton Scheme was very poor and said if no more applications were received by the closing date then the Duckmanton Scheme would be cancelled.</p>	
<p><b>230/14</b></p>	<p><b>COMMUNITY BONFIRE AND FIREWORK DISPLAY 2014</b></p> <p>The Acting Town Clerk informed Members that the biggest</p>	

	<p>issue with the event was the health and safety issue with the bonfire. The Health and Safety Consultant Keith Church had been asked for his views on health and safety aspects of the bonfire and firework display. The Acting Town Clerk informed members that if the event was to go ahead he would make sure it was properly staffed.</p> <p>Councillor Hill referred to the past success of the community bonfire and firework display and suggested King George V Park as a venue for just a firework display this year.</p> <p>It was therefore proposed to approach Chesterfield Borough Council with regard to using King George V Park as a venue for a firework display for this year.</p> <p>It was also proposed to make this a bigger event if King George V Park could be utilised to incorporate the Speedwell Rooms with bar and family disco afterwards.</p> <p><i>Councillor Cauldwell arrived at this point in the meeting.</i></p> <p><b>RECOMMENDED:-</b> That Saturday the 1<sup>st</sup> November be the date for holding the event.</p>	
<p><b>231/14</b></p>	<p><b>REMEMBRANCE DAY PARADE 2014</b></p> <p>The Remembrance Day event was discussed. The Parade would be held on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> November. It was discussed as to whether the Speedwell Rooms should be used for the buffet after the service.</p> <p>It was proposed and seconded that the dignitaries and members of the public attending the parade and service be invited back to the Speedwell Rooms afterwards for refreshments.</p>	
<p><b>232/14</b></p>	<p><b>ALLOTMENTS</b></p> <p>The Acting Town Clerk informed members that quotations had been received and these had been passed to the next meeting of the Policy, Finance and Publicity Committee.</p> <p>Councillor Tidd asked the Acting Town Clerk to get in touch with Cascade regarding the official opening of the Affordable Eco Homes Site.</p>	
<p><b>233/14</b></p>	<p><b>LIVE AND LOCAL</b></p> <p>The summary menu of potential shows for the Speedwell Rooms was discussed, but Members felt none of the shows</p>	

	<p>mentioned were suitable.</p> <p>Councillor A. Hill suggested a concert with songs from 1914-1918 should be staged at the Speedwell Rooms to commemorate World War 1, but having looked through the potential shows from Live and Local, nothing was listed to that effect. He suggested that the Speedwell Rooms Sub-Committee should look into organising this utilising some of the £1000 monies allocated to the World War 1 activities.</p> <p>It was proposed and seconded to put on an Halloween Disco/Fancy Dress/Best Pumpkin evening at The Speedwell Rooms.</p>	
234/14	<p><b>COMMUNITY AWARDS</b></p> <p>Councillor A. Hill informed members about he had visited the Armed Forces Weekend at Pools Brook Country Park and asked whether the Armed Forces and Veterans Association had ever received a Community Award. He felt that the Association was worthy of an award with all their hard work in and around Staveley. Councillor Tidd suggested that organisations/people be put forward for community awards but would then be invited to attend an annual presentation evening at The Speedwell Rooms in conjunction with the Arts and Crafts presentations.</p> <p>Councillor H. Elliott also nominated The Den for a community award with the work with young children and teachers on an allotment at Inkersall.</p> <p>It was therefore proposed and seconded that The Armed Forces and Veterans Association and The Den be put forward for Community Awards.</p>	
235/14	<p><b>STAVELEY TOWN COUNCIL ARTS AND CRAFTS COMPETITION 2014</b></p> <p>Councillor A. Hill informed members that the Arts and Crafts Competition Presentation Evening 2014 was again a resounding success. Councillor Tidd thanked members involved for organising the buffet and disco. Councillor A. Hill also thanked two members of the public who had been involved on the evening and recommended that contact details should be obtained and they be sent Thank You cards. Mrs. A. Green from Netherthorpe School should also be sent a Thank You card for her help on the evening.</p>	

<b>236/14</b>	<b>WORKING PARTY</b> No further update.	
<b>237/14</b>	<b>ANY OTHER BUSINESS</b> No other business was raised.	