

Bargoed Town Council

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Minutes of the Events and Environment Committee Meeting 15th June 2022.

Present: Councillors: Cllr Price, Cllr Bissex, Cllr Collins, Cllr Carrol, Cllr Williams, Cllr Ingram-Jones, Cllr Hamer-Thomas, Cllr Davies, Cllr R Price.

Also in Attendance: Mr G Davies, Assistant Town Clerk. Meeting Chairman: Councillor D Price

1. Apologies for Absence.

Cllr Llewellyn

- 2. No Declaration of Interests or dispensations on any item(s).
- 3. No Press and Public Participation Session.
- 4. The Chair then moved to appoint Cllr Davies as Deputy Chair. RESOLVED
- 5. Chair approved and signed the Minutes of the Events and Environment Committee meeting held on 10th March 2022.
- 6. Received feedback and evaluated recent jubilee event, it was discussed on how to advertise future events and how to proceed through lessons learnt from this one.
- 7. Instructions to the Assistant Clerk on moving forward with:
- 7.1: Cllr Carroll briefed on the liaison meeting for the memorial clock project at Pierhead in Bargoed. The opinions of residents to be considered
- 7.2: To fully support the installation of geocache at Bargoed Urban Park. To gain co-operation of Heolddu school in its initial setup and to co-operate with the geocache installation team and approach full council for funding. RESOLVED. (Cllr H-Thomas excused herself at this point)
- 8. The Christmas activity planning will be conducted at E&E committee level with no working group. Dates for Grotto, sleigh, Fayre and lights TBC. Chocolate alternatives due to Government guidance for tackling obesity to be considered. Four sleigh venues, food vendors, salvation army and local choirs, CCBC highways to be contacted
- 9. The biodiversity team to take lead and brief monthly.
- 10. Verbal update received from the Assistant Clerk on the CCBC summer sports programme for children. Asst Clerk awaiting clarification on Government funding and approaching County regarding roller skating lessons to tie in with roller rink at Christmas
- 11. Received updated information from CCBC in respect of the roller-skating rink and approved expenditure to be no more than £13500. RESOLVED.
- 12. Discussed reallocation of £14000 firework budget some of which will be used in the Wales in Bloom budget and geocache projects upon full council approval.
- 13. Meeting closed at 1230hrs.