MINUTES OF THE LEISURE AND COMMUNITY COMMITTEE OF STAVELEY TOWN COUNCIL

Wednesday 17th September 2014 Commencing at 6.00 p.m. In the Council Chamber, Staveley Hall

Present:
Councillor Tidd (Chair)
Councillor H. Elliott (Vice-Chair)
Councillor J. Bacon
Councillor A. Hill

Also present – Cllr D. Collins In attendance – Paul Harris (Acting Town Clerk)

		ACTION
/14	PUBLIC SESSION There were no members of the public present.	
/14	DECLARATION OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS BY MEMBERS OR OFFICERS There were no declarations of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests by Members or Officers.	
/14	APOLOGIES Apologies for absence were received from Cllr J. Barnett (holiday) Cllr O. Cauldwell (not well), Cllr B. Dyke (holiday) and Cllr P. Hill (work commitments).	
/14	COUNCILLORS NOT PRESENT Councillor D. Parsons was not present.	
/14	MINUTES OF THE LEISURE AND COMMUNITY COMMITTEE OF STAVELEY TOWN COUNCIL HELD ON WEDNESDAY 17 th JULY 2014	
	The minutes of the meeting had been adopted at the Ordinary Meeting of Staveley Town Council on 9 th September 2014 and as such the Committee NOTED them as being a true record.	
/14	MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES OF THE	

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No matters arising were raised.

/14 SUMMER ACTIVITIES SCHEMES

The Acting Town Clerk informed members that a feedback report had been requested. Councillors requested a budget breakdown on spending on the Summer Activities Schemes.

Cllr A. Hill mentioned from the comments he had heard, the Children had enjoyed the sessions.

/14 COMMUNITY BONFIRE AND FIREWORK DISPLAY 2014

The Acting Town Clerk reported that he was trying to set up a site visit at King George V Park with Andy Pashley from Chesterfield Borough Council and the fireworks company used by Staveley Town Council. Cllr Tidd also mentioned that Poolsbrook Country Park would also be looked at as suggested by Cllr C. Ludlow.

It was noted by Councillors that King George V Park was the preferred option and that an answer would be needed for next ordinary meeting of the Council.

Cllr H. Elliott reported that the Speedwell Rooms Sub-Committee were happy to have hotdogs, toffee apples and the like at the event.

RECOMMENDED that an item on Community Firework Display 2014 be on the agenda for the next Ordinary Meeting of the Council.

/14 REMEMBRANCE DAY PARADE 2014

The Acting Town Clerk informed the Committee that the application for road closures was submitted to Chesterfield Borough Council and letters had been sent out.

Cllr Tidd explained that following a meeting with the British Legion, they had asked for the Council to consider dismissing at Staveley Hall and for members of the parade to go to the Legion pub or alternatively for them to dismiss at the Legion. They also requested a buffet at the Legion and not the Speedwell Rooms.

Councillors had a long discussion on this matter, after considering the distance to the Legion and also other

matters, Councillors wished refreshments to be offered at the Speedwell Rooms as previously agreed.

Cllr Tidd agreed to speak with Joe Roberts to inform that the parade could dismiss at Staveley Hall if they wished and refreshments would be provided at the Speedwell Rooms.

/14 ALLOTMENTS

Cllr A Hill informed members that the gates and fencing on Middlecroft Allotments would be done week commencing 28 September. Regarding the break-in issues, Chesterfield Borough Council was filling in the gaps in the fence at the rear. Councillors requested a meeting with the Allotments Societies towards the end of the year.

/14 COMMUNITY AWARDS

The Chair invited nominations for Community Awards, no nominations were received.

/14 STAVELEY TOWN COUNCIL ARTS AND CRAFTS COMPETITION 2014

The Committee were provided with a breakdown of costs for the Arts & Crafts Competition 2014. No sponsorship had been received.

Buffet	£314.59
Banners	£225.00
Perspex boxes	£318.78
Frames	£897.50
Prizes	£710.00

Total £2465.87 Budget (including £500 income) £2089.00

Councillors asked for staff costs to be identified.

/14 WORKING PARTY

The next World War I Commemoration Working Party meeting was due to take place on Monday 22 September 2014 at 4pm. Cllr Tidd stated that the Working Party needed clarification on the status of the group and the status of the £1000 allocated for activity to commemorate World War I in Staveley. It was stated strongly the money was for activities in Staveley for Staveley people. Members of the Committee requested that members of the Working Party be invited to the next meeting of the Leisure & Community Committee in

	October 2014. It was stated by Councillors that the budget was for spend on an annual basis and could not be accumulated, it was again stated that the money was to be spent in its entirety on activities to benefit the people of Staveley.	
/14	ANY OTHER BUSINESS No other business was raised.	