

COMMUNITY SERVICES AND TOURISM COMMITTEE

Llandudno Town Council

Minutes of a meeting of Llandudno Town Council – Community Services & Tourism Committee

Held on Tuesday 30th May 2017 at 7.00pm

Council Chamber, Town Hall, Lloyd Street, Llandudno

Those Present:

Cllr Miss C Marubbi – Chairman

Cllr Mrs M Wigzell – Vice Chairman

Cllr F Davies – The Mayor

Cllr Mrs M Lyon

Cllr Mrs C Beard

Cllr Miss A O'Grady

Cllr A W Bertola

Cllr M J Pavey

Cllr F Bradfield

Cllr M A Pearce

Cllr Mrs L G Emery

Cllr G J T Robbins

Cllr S R Hillman

Cllr H T M Saville

Cllr M Hold, JP

Cllr I Turner

Cllr Mrs J Jones

A Minute's silence was held prior to the start of the meeting for the victims of the Manchester bombing.

1. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

Two nominations were received and following a ballot requested in accordance with Standing Orders

IT WAS RESOLVED that Cllr Miss Carol Marubbi be elected Chairman for 2017/18.

IT WAS FURTHER RESOLVED to record a Vote of Thanks to former Chairman, Cllr Billy Evans, and to send a letter of appreciation for his work for this Committee over the years.

Cllr I. Turner asked for his personal objection to ballots to be recorded. It was reported that ballots were only undertaken for internal appointments of members and were not used for any other matter.

2. ELECTION OF VICE CHAIRMAN

IT WAS RESOLVED unanimously that Cllr Mrs Myra Wigzell be elected Vice Chairman for 2017/18.

3. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Cllr D J Hawkins – Deputy Mayor (*Civic engagement*)

Cllr Billy Evans

The Clerk reminded Councillors of the importance of submitting apologies if they were unable to attend any meetings that they were members of.

4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST UNDER THE CODE OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT CONDUCT

There were none.

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5. URGENT ITEMS

There were none.

6. MINUTES

The minutes of a meeting of the Community Services Committee held on Tuesday 21st February 2016, were received.

7. TO RECONFIRM COMMUNITY SERVICES & TOURISM SUB COMMITTEES AND WORKING PARTIES AND TO APPOINT MEMBERS

Members had been previously circulated with a list of Community Services & Tourism Sub Committees. It was noted that under the Council's Standing Orders, the Mayor would be a voting member of every Sub Committee, and that the Chairman and Vice Chairman of Community Services & Tourism Committee would be members of every Sub Committee, unless they signified to the contrary.

7.1 Miss Alice Sub Committee:

Membership set at Council, 12th May 2017, due to the need for the Sub Committee to meet prior to the 30th May 2017.

IT WAS RESOLVED to additionally elect Cllr Miss A. O'Grady to the Miss Alice Sub Committee.

7.2 Llandudno in Bloom Sub Committee:

Membership set at Council, 12th May 2017, due to the need for the Sub Committee to meet prior to the 30th May 2017.

IT WAS RESOLVED to additionally elect Cllr Miss A. O'Grady to the Llandudno in Bloom Sub Committee.

7.3 Town Twinning Committee:

Membership set at Council, 12th May 2017, due to the need for the Sub Committee to meet prior to the 30th May 2017.

7.4 Christmas Parade: Sub Committee:

IT WAS RESOLVED that in addition to the Mayor, and Chairman and Vice Chairman of Community Services, the following members be elected to the **CHRISTMAS PARADE SUB COMMITTEE 2017/18** Cllr D J Hawkins, Cllr A W Bertola, Cllr Miss A O'Grady, Cllr Mrs J Jones, Cllr M A Pearce, Cllr GJT Robbins, Cllr I Turner.

IT WAS FURTHER RESOLVED to invite former Christmas Parade Chairman, Mr B B Bertola, to join the Sub Committee as a co-optee.

7.5 Decorative Lighting Sub Committee:

IT WAS RESOLVED that in addition to the Mayor, and Chairman and Vice Chairman of Community Services, the following members be elected to the **DECORATIVE LIGHTING SUB COMMITTEE 2017/18**: Cllr F Bradfield, Cllr D J Hawkins, Cllr Mrs J Jones, Cllr S R Hillman, Cllr M Pavvey, Cllr M A Pearce, Cllr GJT Robbins, Cllr I Turner.

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7.6 Fireworks Sub Committee:

IT WAS RESOLVED that in addition to the Mayor, Chairman and Vice Chairman of Community Services, and Chairman of Finance, the following members be elected to the **FIREWORKS SUB COMMITTEE 2016/17**:

Cllr D J Hawkins, Cllr F Bradfield, Cllr Mrs C Beard, Cllr Miss A O'Grady, Cllr Mrs J Jones, Cllr GJT Robbins, Cllr I Turner.

7.7 Town Centre Improvements Working Party:

IT WAS RESOLVED that the following members would be elected to the **TOWN CENTRE IMPROVEMENTS WORKING PARTY 2017/18**:

Cllr A W Bertola, Cllr F Bradfield, Cllr Mrs M Lyon, Cllr Miss A O'Grady, Cllr M Pavey, Cllr M A Pearce, Cllr HTM Saville.

7.8 Beach Working Party:

IT WAS RESOLVED that the **BEACH WORKING PARTY** be held in abeyance, pending any developments from the Llandudno Coastal Forum.

7.9 Strategy Working Party:

IT WAS RESOLVED that the **STRATEGY WORKING PARTY** be held in abeyance until 2018/19, when it would be needed.

7.10 White Rabbit Statue Working Party:

IT WAS RESOLVED that the **WHITE RABBIT STATUE WORKING PARTY** be disbanded as the work had been completed.

8. LLANDUDNO SUMMER PLAYING OUT SCHEMES

It was reported that the Town Council annually supported the provision of 'Playing Out' sessions in each Llandudno Ward over the Summer. In 2016, the £6,090 funding (minus a £600 grant) supported one session a week in the children's park on Trinity Avenue (Mostyn ward); West Shore near the boating lake (Gogarth ward); Queen's Park (Craig y Don ward); the play area behind the library (Penrhyn Bay); and the rugby field play area (Tudno ward). Members had been previously circulated with a report from 2016. The Play Development Worker had further reported that, from the 2016 figures, all sites had been well attended except for Penrhyn Bay Library site which had only averaged two children per session. Council was, therefore, asked if it wished for this site to be reviewed. It was noted that sessions in each ward had only commenced in 2016 and, therefore, there was only one year of data available.

IT WAS RESOLVED that CVSC Play Development Team be asked to investigate Ysgol Creuddyn playing fields as a site for Summer 'Playing Out' sessions in Penrhyn Ward.

IT WAS FURTHER RESOLVED to ask CVSC about greater publicising and advertising of the scheme, particularly to Schools and community groups.

9. COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARDS

To appoint Notice board key holders and to receive an update on a proposed Notice board replacement programme.

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IT WAS RESOLVED that the following be responsible for Noticeboards:

Craig y Don Ward - Cllr M A Pearce; Tudno Ward: Ty Hapus - Cllr Miss C Marubbi, Hospital Road - Cllr Miss A O'Grady; Gogarth Ward: Town Hall - the office, Llwynon Road - Cllr Mrs M Lyon, West Shore - Cllr Mrs L Emery; Mostyn Ward - Cllr Mrs J Jones; Penrhyn Ward - Cllr Mrs M Wigzell.

The Clerk reported on a proposed replacement/refurbishment programme of boards. Priorities, type, and designs of boards would be discussed with keyholders and ward members to progress this.

10. TO RECEIVE AND APPROVE RECOMMENDATIONS MADE BY COMMUNITY SERVICES SUB COMMITTEES

10.1 Llandudno in Bloom, held 1st February 2017.

10.2 Town Twinning Committee, held 7th February 2017.

The Chairman reported on the pending visit to Wormhout by Llandudno Schools to participate in the Wormhout Junior International football tournament, and on the July exchange to Wormhout.

10.3 Fireworks Sub Committee, held 8th February 2017.

10.4 Miss Alice Sub Committee, held 13th February 2017.

The Chairman reported that members were welcome to attend the Miss Alice competition on the 3rd June 2017.

10.5 Llandudno in Bloom, held 8th March 2017.

10.6 Llandudno in Bloom, held 12th April 2017.

IT WAS RESOLVED that the recommendations of the Llandudno in Bloom Sub Committee, held 1st February 2017, Town Twinning Committee, held 7th February 2017, Fireworks Sub Committee, held 8th February 2017, Miss Alice Sub Committee, held 13th February 2017, Llandudno in Bloom Sub Committee, held 8th March 2017, and Llandudno in Bloom Sub Committee, held 12th April 2017, be approved and accepted.

11. REPORTS FROM OUTSIDE BODIES

11.1 North and Mid Wales Association of Local Councils. Minutes of the meeting held 21st April 2017 and information about the Association were received.

11.2 Town and Community Council Forum: Minutes of the meeting held 26th January 2017 were received.

11.3 Conwy Fairtrade Coalition: A report of the meeting held 14th March 2017 was received.

11.4 Healthy High Streets: to receive a verbal report on the meeting held 14th March 2017. There had been no representatives present.

11.5 No further reports were received from outside bodies.

12. TO CONSIDER ANY CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED

12.1 Email received from a member of the public asking if more could be done to mark St David's Day in Llandudno, and a suggestion of flags. It was noted that the Clerk had also brought this to the attention of Conwy CBC, but that they considered it a matter for Town & Community Councils. It was further noted that the parade in the Bay of Colwyn was supported by, but not organised by, the Bay of Colwyn Town Council.

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IT WAS RESOLVED *that the Town Council seek views and suggestions from members and other bodies in the Town, such as the LHA and Chamber of Trade, regarding marking St David's Day in Llandudno and to agenda this item for a future meeting of the Community Services & Tourism Committee.*

12.2 A Press statement from the Community Health Council: Improving NHS services for people living with Dementia was received.

13. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The date of the next meeting was confirmed as Tuesday 18th July 2017.