Minutes of the Community Committee meeting held on

**Tuesday 7th February 2023 at 7.pm**

# Present:

Cllrs D Reed, J Kean, G Jennison and A Foster

# In attendance:

The Deputy Town Clerk & various members of the public.

**COM2223/41 Vacation of Vice Chair**

Cllr Jennison vacated the position of Vice Chair for the Community Committee.

The Chair thanked Cllr Jennison for her hard work since taking up the position.

Cllr Jennison will remain on the Community Committee.

**COM2223/42 Election of Vice Chair**

Resolved unanimously to appoint Cllr Foster as Vice Chair

# COM2223/43 Chair’s opening remarks

The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting and noted the attendance of members of the Carnival Committee, Baildon Community Link, Shipley and Baildon Air Cadets and Baildon Glen PTA.

# COM2223/44 Approve reasons for absence

None

# COM2223/45 Disclosures of interest

Cllr Foster declared an interest as a member of the Carnival Committee.

# COM2223/46 Minutes of the previous meeting

**Resolved to approve the minutes of the Community Committee meeting of 1st November 2022.**

# COM2223/47 Clerk’s report

None

# COM2223/48 Public participation

Deferred to relevant item.

**COM2223/49 Youth Work Funding Review**

Baildon Community Link representatives provided a detailed report on possible youth programmes.

It was reported that the events targeting 10 – 13 year olds are well attended (£10,000.00 already provided by BTC for this).

Baildon Community Link gave a detailed proposal regarding the possibility of youth work for 13 – 17 year olds which would mean that Baildon Link offer activities all the way up to 18 years old.

The Committee thanked the Baildon Link reps for their report and all the great work they have put in to these projects.

**Resolved to allocate £10,000 of the 23/24 youth work budget to Baildon Link for the 10-13 age range.**

**Resolved to allocate £10,000 of the 23/24 youth work budget to Baildon Link for the 13-17 age range.**

**Resolved that a letter be sent to HALE thanking them for their hard work in Baildon.**

**COM2223/50 Events and Funding**

The Carnival Committee provided a detailed report on the success of the Baildon Carnival and requested that funding be provided for the 2023 event.

**Resolved to allocate £1500 from next years (23/24) budget to the Baildon Carnival**

# COM2223/51 Skylark Applications

Shipley and Baildon Air Cadets:

A rep from Shipley / Baildon Air Cadets gave a report seeking a specialist gazebo that would allow them to fundraise at functions for activities such as flight simulator.

**Resolved to award £550 to Shipley and Baildon Air Cadets.**

Baildon Glen Friends:

A rep from Baildon Glen Friends provided a report and advised on fundraising issues they have faced trying to provide a new green house.

**Resolved to award £842.60 to Baildon Glen Friends.**

# COM2223/52 Important information from Councillors and staff

# Cllr Jennison provided a brief update on possible plans for the Coronation weekend, including another possible musical afternoon in the community gardens.

# COM2223/53 Cost of Living Project

# The committee thanked Sarah Baxter for her thorough report and work on this project. Having considered the same:

# Resolved to award:

# £5000 to Baildon Glen primary

# £3000 to Hoyle Court primary

# £1000 to Baildon C of E primary

# £1000 to Sandal primary

# COM2223/54 Baildon Horticultural Society Project

The Committee thanked BHS for their detailed report on their pending project.

**Resolved to recommend support of the same to the next Full Council.**

# COM2223/55 Hub Reports

The committee thanked the hubs for their detailed reports.

It was noted that the committee would like to see more promotion from St James.

# COM2223/56 War Memorial House

Cllr Jennison updated the committee and advised that the outlook is starting to look positive.

Further advice is awaited.

**COM2223/57**  **Committee Budget**

Noted

# COM2223/58 Promotional Opportunities

Skylark Applications (next financial year)

# COM2223/59 Items for Future Agenda

None at this stage.

**COM2223/60 Next Meeting Date**

**TBD**

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