LUDGERSHALL TOWN COUNCIL



Minutes of the Civic Events committee held on 13 th September 2018 in the Town Council Office,				
22 High Street, Ludgershall at 7:00pm.				
Present:	Cllr CA Allan in the Chair	Cllr J Langley		
	Cllr M Giles	Cllr V Dixon		
	Cllr AKJ Pickernell	Cllr B Dance		
	Cllr C Giles			
Representatives:	WO1 Bull 26 Engr Regt			

	<u>Agenda Item</u>	Action
38/18-19	1. Apologies – Cllr B Cordery - family, Cllr CD Allan - work,	
	accepted.	
39/18-19	2. <u>Declaration of Interest – none.</u>	
40/18-19	3. Minutes - of previous meeting have been circulated and	
	ratified at Full Town Council, there were no comments.	
41/18-19	4. Scarecrow competition – Cllr CA Allan has started making	
	advertising poster with a WW1 theme. Discussion of hiring	
	Memorial Hall with concerns of bad weather agreed by	
	committee- date to be confirmed. Cllr CA Allan suggested	
	registering the scarecrows the week before – at Town Council	
	Office, Gardeners Butchers & the Barbers. Participants can	
	buy booklets at £1.50 on the day and go on a trail of the	
	Scarecrows there will also be a quiz competition for adults and	
	children. WO1 Bull suggested a word hunt for the trail where	Cllr CA Allan
	each scarecrow gives a letter leading to spelling out a word.	
	Ideas of a child's prize and adult's prize were also discussed.	
	There was a query whether this would be open to Perham	
	Down residence, this would be too difficult to run	
	simultaneously, however residents can join in with the	
	Ludgershall one, and this will be looked at in the future.	
42/18-19	Remembrance Sunday – Chris from BFBS has been contacted	
	regarding the relay of service from church to memorial, price	
	to be confirmed. Cllr M Giles suggested holding a	Clerk/Admin
	Remembrance Sunday meeting rectifying points and clarifying	
	the day's timings. WO1 discussed how to march troops from	
	cenotaph to Centenary Garden for the opening during the	
	parade. Cllr CA Allan has 10 x poppies that will go up on lamp	
	posts 1st November. Clerk confirmed Alex Bostock will be	
10/10 10	Remembrance Day photographer.	
43/18-19	6. <u>Christmas-</u> a) Lights - Application has been sent for the	

	displaying of Christmas lights, awaiting confirmation. New	
	Lights for Memorial Hall coming soon. Festive Lighting have	
	been asked to quote for trees in car park and large fir tree by	
	memorial hall. Quotes have been requested from 3 companies	
	to put up and take down lights, Cllr M Giles suggested Founds	
	Electricians, Cllr CA Allan/Clerk to investigate.	Clerk/Admin
	b) Christmas Gifts – Cllr CA Allan and Cllr B Dance investigated	
	how many Christmas gifts left over from last year of which	
	there are 5. Cost of gifts to be around £5, budgeted for 70	
	gifts, totaling around £350 but 25 more gifts need to be	
	bought. Additional cost of £125 to be added to original budget	
	totaling at £475 for total of gifts.	
	C) Christmas Fayre in General –Provisionally there is a number of 17/18 stall holders planned for Christmas Fayre, it	
	was suggested by Cllr CA Allan that the face painter holds a	
	business stall in order to pay 10% of money made to LTC. Clerk	Clerk/Admin
	to action. Cllr CA Allan presented idea of inflatable Santa's	Cicry Admin
	Grotto to go outside the side of memorial hall on day of fayre,	
	£100 to hire, Committee agreed this was a brilliant idea. There	
	will be 3 small fairground stalls (roundabouts) on carpark.	
	Castle Down Radio has been emailed regarding attending this	
	event, Clerk to confirm. Cllr CA Allan is liaising with school for	Clerk/Admin
	Children's choir and organising the possibility of an adult's	Cllr CA Allan
	choir. The Council will be running the following; grotto, sweet	
	cart, tombola, raffle, bar, food and refreshments.	
	d) Raffle – clerk to ask for a donation from new Boot Camp	Clerk/Admin
	using the Rec.	
44/18-19	7. Budgeting for 2019/20 – Cllr M Giles asked if WO1 Bull new	
	if 26 Engr Regt will be exercising their freedom to parade	
	through the town in 2019. Yes, Commanding Officer to	
	confirm date which WO1 Bull will report to LTC. An additional	WO1 Bull
	budget cost for road closure around £650 and for the event	
	£1500, will be put forward to Finance, there could also be	
	another Freedom in 2019, which will be discussed at Finance &	
	Policy. Apart from these additions it was agreed by the committee for the budget of 2018/19 to stay the same for	
	2019/20.	
45/18-19	8. Community Arts – the speaker did not confirm attendance.	
46/18-19	9. Agenda points for next meeting - Possibility of 5k/10k run	
	starting/finishing at summer fete 2019.	
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There being no further business to discuss the meeting closed at 8.02pm.

Next meeting will be held on 11th October 2018 at 7pm, in the Town Council Office.

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