



Minutes of the Bradford on Avon Town Council
Community & Wellbeing Committee
Held at Town Council offices, St Margaret's Hall, Bradford on Avon
On Tuesday 22nd June 2021 at 7.00 pm

Present:

Cllr S Blackwell

Cllr J Parker (Chairman)

Cllr K Vigar

Cllr J Vittles

Ian Brown - Director of Operations

Apologies: Cllr E Franklin, Cllr A Potter, Cllr K Bessant

Members of the Public: Sasha, Emma, Bryony, Elsie Community Family Care, Peter Eveleigh Men's Shed and 4 members of the Public

1. Minutes

It was proposed by Cllr J Parker and seconded by Cllr K Vigar to accept the minutes from the last meeting held on the 25th February 2020.

2. Matters arising

None.

3. Declarations of interest

None.

4. Election of Vice-Chairman

Chairman asked for nominations for the election of a Vice-Chairman. Cllr J Parker proposed and Cllr K Vigar seconding with no further nominations and all in favour, it was **RESOLVED**: That Cllr E Franklin be Vice-Chairman of the Community and Recreation Committee.

5. Youth Strategy

Community Family Care undertook a presentation, including the experiences of the two young people (Bryony and Elsie) to the committee on the youth provision over the last contract period, the priorities for the up-coming contract and the results from their youth survey then answered questions from councillors and the public.

6. Police update

No report received.

7. Dementia Action Alliance

Chairman tabled and explained her dementia leaflet. She also gave an update on awareness sessions and dementia friends training available. She said that the Town Council staff will be doing training and refresher training at the end of July. She asked for councillors and volunteers to do training once a date is agreed.

8. Men's Shed

Peter Eveleigh presented a report on the men's shed, which was noted.

9. Grants

(i) Grant Advisory panel's recommendations were accepted: -

| | Project title | Amount £ | Decision |
|---|-------------------------------------|-------------|---|
| 1 | Walkers are Welcome | £727 | £727 towards Walking festival and overheads |
| 2 | Wisdom Space CIC | Nil | |
| 3 | Bradford on Avon Preservation Trust | £1,950 | £1,950 towards pennant stone |
| 4 | Railway Station Volunteers | £1,500 | £1,500 towards new fence trackside |
| 5 | Bradford on Avon Museum | £500 | £500 towards purchase of picture |

After discussion, it was proposed by Cllr J Parker seconded by Cllr J Vittles and with all in favour it was **RESOLVED:** To award grants amounting to £4,677 in line with the Grant Advisory Panel's recommendations.

10. Area Board update

None.

11. Date of next meeting

The next meeting has been arranged for the 14th September 2021.

Meeting closed 8.12 pm.

Members of the public who spoke at the Community & Recreation Committee meeting on the 22nd June 2021

1. James Sullivan-Tailyour asked the committee a grant application form to promote the Shop Local Scheme in the town.