

Loddon Town Council

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Minutes of the Events Committee held on Wednesday 19 June 2024, 8.00 pm in the Hollies

Present: Chairman - Cllr Liz Marsham (LM), Cllr Julie Appleby (JA) and Committee Member Carol Webb (CW).

In Attendance: Jo Leonard (AAO), Emily Curtis (Clerk) and three members of the public; Joanne Jackson (JJ), Lynn Starman (LS) and Rosalind Moore (RM).

Absent: None.

Agenda

- 1. Welcome and meeting etiquette. Note if anyone wishes to record the meeting The Chair welcomed everyone, no one wished to record the meeting.
- 2. To receive any apologies for absence and consider accepting them Apologies have been received and **approved** from Georgina Mitchell, Jane Hale and Sam Bailey.
- 3. To receive declarations of interest for items on the agenda and to consider any requests for dispensations None.
- 4. To approve as a correct record, the minutes of the meeting held on the 29 May 2024

The minutes were **approved** and signed by the Chair for the file.

5. Public Forum

None.

6. To review the proposed layout of the event and running order of the entertainment

The map was discussed, LM will remeasure the field to check dimensions are correct. Map will go back to the office and be marked up with stall holders who have confirmed **Action:** AAO/Clerk

Bouncy Castle forms have not been received. **Action**: AAO/Clerk to chase. **Action**: LM to contact Antiques Fare for permission to use their tables.

7. To receive an update from the Task Groups

Food & Beverage Task Group:Led by GMTo review the list of food and drink stallsLMIt was noted which food vendors had confirmed. Chase emails were sent today for
those who have not made payment.

Entertainment Task Group:

To ensure that all performers have received details of their performances

LM to pass on email contacts so running order & fete details can be sent. Action: Clerk.

Dog Show:

Led by JP

To review the overall arrangements for the dog show.....JP People can register online for dog show. 8 classes with maximum of 10 dogs per class, followed by a best in show. Rosettes will be given for 1st, 2nd, 3rd in all classes. The Swan have kindly sponsored the dog show, a sign with their logo will be displayed. Action: JP.

Participants must present their dog show ticket at the LTC tent by 1.00pm To review the prizes for the dog show JP

Sam Bailey will pick up the prizes kindly donated by Loddon Garden DIY. Action: SB.

Arena/Stage

Led by LB

Determine decoration of Playing Field – bunting etc

Bunting needs to be collected from Ann Sadler. Action: JA

Action: Clerk to ask LUFC if we can use their hoardings to display the logos of sponsors.

Action: AAO/Clerk Check there are sufficient stakes available to mark out 4 areas. 3 X 10X10 & 1X 15X15.

Organise delivery of the gaze trailer. Action: Clerk. Preferred if this is delivered for 8.00am on the day and collected just after 5.00pm.

To discuss advertising the program/running order

Advertising will continue on social media and putting up leaflet, local schools will be asked to send flyers with their newsletter. Action: Clerk to send flyer to local schools.

The A frame will be used to display a poster.

LM will create a map with the running order and logos and programme on the back. Action: LM.

Kids Entertainment

To review the stalls and volunteers running them

Commitment is needed from Councillors to assist with running the stalls, as there are not enough volunteers. Action: LTC Councillors

To confirm the arrangements for the circus workshops

Everything is in place, they will provide 2 displays at 12.15 & 16.00, in between they will run the workshop.

Entertainment - Wildlife.

To discuss a map for the event

To confirm the arrangements for the wildlife area Everything is in order CW will forward information to the office.

LTC stalls

Led by TBC

LM to create. To receive a list of confirmed stalls Discussed those that have confirmed. Have stall holders received confirmations and info about the day (pdf for their SM)

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Led by LM

Led by CW

Confirmed. To confirm if the medieval boat will be attending Confirmed. To confirm if the Loddon's fire engine will be attending Confirmed, needs to be sited so that a clear exit can be available at all times. Advertising & Marketing Task Group: Led by Council – Clerk To discuss arrangements for advertising the event LM will create a first draft of the map and running order. Action: LM General Logistics & Health & Safety: Led by Council – AAO Contact Antiques Fair to use their tables JH Chased by LM **Risk Assessment** In hand. Action: Clerk Marshal arrangements Confirmed. Parking arrangements Previously confirmed but now aware that the event clashes with White Dolphins Swimming Gala. Action: Clerk to check with Hobart. Portaloo Toilet arrangements Confirmed by phone.

Sponsorship/Fundraising/Raffle Task Group:

Led by GM

To review the raffle prize list Thanks to JA and local business for superb raffle prizes. Agree rota for advance selling of raffle tickets Agreed: 21 June - LS & RM 22 June - JJ & JA 23 June - JP & LM 28 June 29 June - CW 30 June 5 July - CW More help is needed, Action: Clerk to chase Councillors To agree the sale price of the Loddon tea towels 250 have been ordered. Sale price of £5.00 agreed. Artist has been paid £150 for the design. Proof is expected shortly. To review the sponsorship received Sponsorship has been received from Minimum World, The Swan, Allens Cadge and Gilbert, Youngs. Sponsorship expected from Musker McIntyre, Loddon Garden & DIY and Starkings and Watsons. To review the arrangements for the stage sponsorship

Discussed previously under Arena/Stage.

JJ left @ 21.25

- 8. To note the Finance Report Noted.
- 9. Items for a future agenda None.

10. Dates of future meetings

Please note changes to dates & extra meeting.

| 24 July 2024 | 27 November 2024 |
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| 25 September 2024 | |
| 23 October 2024 | |

| Action | Person Responsible |
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| Remeasure the field to check dimensions are correct | LM |
| Bouncy Castle forms have not been received | AAO/Clerk |
| Contact Antiques Fayre for permission to use their tables | LM |
| Mark map with confirmed vendors | AAO/Clerk |
| Send email addresses of entertainers to office | LM |
| Pick up the dog show prizes | SB |
| Bunting needs to be collected from Ann Sadler | JA |
| Organise delivery of the gaze trailer | Clerk |
| Ask LUFC if we can use their hoardings | Clerk |
| Check there are sufficient stakes available | AAO/Clerk |
| Send flyer to local schools | Clerk |
| Create a map | LM |
| Forward information to the office | CW |
| Create a first draft of the map and running order | LM |
| Risk Assessment | Clerk |
| Parking arrangements clash at Hobart | Clerk |
| Chase Councillors to sell raffle tickets | Clerk |
| Create sign for dog show for Loddon Swan as main sponsor | JP |
| Commitment to run stalls | LTC councillors |