



PREESALL TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the Civic Events committee held on Monday 29th January 2024 at 7pm in Preesall and Knott End Youth and Community Centre.

Present: Cllrs. T Johnson, K Tunstall, K Woods, R Drobny and J Jenkinson, P Orme.

In attendance: Yvonne Walton, Locum Clerk to the town council.

1 Apologies for absence

Cllr S Dobbie

2 Declaration of interest and dispensations

None.

3 Minutes of last meeting

Minutes not available

4 Public participation

No members of the public were in attendance.

5 Events

5.1 May Day event

Discussions took place regarding the May Day event to be held on 6th May 2024. It was resolved that the event would be held between 1pm and 4pm on the park. A list of groups to take part was created. These were:

School Cheer leaders

Highbury Morris Dancers

Frilly Pig

Emergency Services, including Fire Brigade Wellifant

Fair Ground to arrive between 7 and 8 am

Cllr Tunstall to run a themed competition

Potential appeal for a Teddy Bear dress up outfit.

5.2 Commonwealth Day

Attendance at the Battle of Britain Memorial at 9.45 for 10 am start. Required Clergy for Commonwealth prayer. Schools to be invited. Paperwork required for Proclamation. The Commonwealth Flag stays up for 24 hours. Consider involving Library

5.3 International Womens Day

Following queries by Cllr Tunstall it was felt that there was not an appetite for such an event.

5.4 D-Day 80 Anniversary

It was resolved that an event will be held to be considered in more detail at future meeting.

6 Date of the next meeting 18th March 2024 starting at 7pm

There being no other business, the chair closed the meeting.