

# Events and Community Committee Meeting

Kidsgrove Town Council  
Victoria Hall  
Liverpool Road  
Kidsgrove  
Staffordshire  
ST7 4EL

Tel: 01782 782254

[www.kidsgrovetowncouncil.gov.uk](http://www.kidsgrovetowncouncil.gov.uk)



## Minutes of the Meeting held on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2023

- 23-24-EC2-01** Present:-  
Councillors Cressida Dickens, Sylvia Dymond, Craig Skelding and Paul Waring
- In attendance:  
Hannah Marr (Town Clerk) and Sue Oakley-Dunn
- In the absence of the Chair, Councillor Dymond Chaired the meeting
- 23-24-EC2-02** To receive apologies for absence  
Councillors Christine Duffy, Gill Burnett-Faulkner, Dave Grocott and Jill Waring
- 23-24-EC2-03** To note declarations of Members' interests  
No declarations were received
- 23-24-EC2-04** To approve the minutes of the previous meeting  
The minutes of the previous meeting were approved
- 23-24-EC2-05** Public participation  
There were no questions or comments submitted by the public
- 23-24-EC2-06** To consider matters related to the Committee budget  
Members noted the Committee budget
- 23-24-EC2-07** To receive nominations and to consider and agree non-Councillor appointments to the Committee for the Council year 2023 – 2024  
It was **resolved** to appoint Roy Barber, Maria Watts and Denise Coffey to the Committee
- 23-24-EC2-08** To consider matters related to grant applications  
Members **resolved** to award £500 towards the Douglas Macmillan Hospice for nursing support for children and young adults  
Members **resolved** to grant £100 towards the Mow Cop Scarecrow Trail  
Members **resolved** to grant £500 to Kidsgrove Allotment Association towards adjusting fencing to install a double gate

- 23-24-EC2-09** To consider matters related to events currently planned for the Council year 2023 – 2024:-
- Dementia Café – Every Monday morning between 11am and 1pm
  - Victoria Hall Beer Festival – August Bank Holiday Weekend
  - Allotment Show – Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2023
  - 1940's Night – Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2023
  - Remembrance Sunday – Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2023
  - Christmas Market, Lantern Parade and Light Switch On – Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2023
  - Rotary Christmas Dinner – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2023
  - Community Carol Service – Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2023
  - Cinderella Pantomime – Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> December 2023

Members were provided with updates on all the events and activities listed

- 23-24-EC2-10** To consider matters related to the 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of D-Day – 6<sup>th</sup> June 2024

Members **resolved** to repurpose beacons previously purchased for the Queen's Jubilee and purchase replacement ceremonial tops which commemorate the 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of D-Day

- 23-24-EC2-11** To discuss and consider matters related to additional events and activities for the Council year 2023 – 2024

Members were asked to consider additional events and activities which can be presented at future Committee meetings

- 23-24-EC2-12** To note the date of the next meeting – Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2023

Members noted the date of the next meeting