

# Notes of Community Pride Meeting Barbour Institute 24<sup>th</sup> February 2020

## PRESENT

Caroline Artingstall (BI) Pat Black, Georgina Blackhurst, Terri Hull,  
Ruth Morgan (Church), Tracey Oates (Village Market), Lisa White.  
Ann Wright (Clerk)

## Apologies:

Louise Gibson, Jon Hurst (PCSO), Lesley Jones, Mike Jones (CW&C), Yvonne Keeping (Local History), George Richards (Church), Esther Sadler-Williams.

## Noting of Key Dates

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May – VE Day 75 – Super Friday at the Flacca family event.

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> May – Family Day VE Day 75 – Exhibition & Book Launch (Billiard Room).

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> May – Exhibition & Book Launch (Billiard Room) & VE Day 75 Tea Dance (3pm)

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> November – Remembrance Sunday

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> December – Market & Christmas Tree

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> December – Children's Christmas Parties

It was noted the Billiard Room had been booked for the WW2 poster exhibition and also the Book launch, the costs of the event including room hire, printing and refreshments is £353, it was noted that a grant application had been submitted to the Council to cover these costs.

It was noted the BI is the best place for the exhibition due to the space available and also the display boards as well as it being the heart of the village.

It was noted the Hall is booked from 3pm on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> May for the tea dance, the decorations from the ball will be up and the round tables are also available, it was agreed if the tables can be folded away some can be removed to allow for dancing. It was suggested 4 tables could be removed.

It was confirmed the BI is booked for the 8<sup>th</sup> November for the Remembrance refreshments.

## Christmas 2020

It was agreed to allocate a Christmas lead in the future.

It was agreed to combine the Village Market with the Christmas Tree Switch on and blessing. The market will run from 2.00 to 5.00pm with the Christmas Tree event taking place at 4.30.

It was agreed the event would include lanterns and the lights switch on the Millfield and that Father Lameck would be asked to bless the tree and say a few words.

Lisa White agreed to contact the Primary School regarding the school choir singing at the Christmas Tree event.

It was agreed to hold the children's Christmas parties on the 12<sup>th</sup> December.

It was agreed that Lisa White would start the process of looking for an entertainer for the parties.

It was suggested that the gifts already held by the Council could be used as well as small selection boxes.

The working group agreed to recommend to the Council appointing a contractor to install the Christmas Trees, wreaths and lights and remove them after the Christmas period.

### **Remembrance**

It was agreed that the streetlight poppies should be erected on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> November and removed on the 15<sup>th</sup> November.

### **VE 75**

#### Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May

It was agreed that Lisa White lead on the Super Friday event in consultation with the Recreation Club at the Flacca.

It was agreed that an act of remembrance including the last post would be held at the War Memorial and that the Clerk would contact David Bish regarding laying a wreath on behalf of the village.

It was noted that the national bell ring is taking place at 7pm.

#### Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> May

Pat Black agreed to lead the Tea Dance, 3-6pm, with Anne McGrath, it was noted that TADs are planning a Dad's Army sketch for the tea dance.

It was agreed that tickets would be £3 each and that tea and cake would be provided any profit made at the events would be donated to the Royal British Legion.

Lisa White agreed to contact the organisers of the swing dancing lessons to see if lessons can be held in Tattenhall.

It was noted that Gifford Lea had suggested burying a time capsule to be recovered in 75 years, it was suggested that this could involve the school. Terri Hull agreed to contact Gifford Lea regarding this and their involvement in the events.

It was agreed the Clerk would contact the school to see what events they were planning for VE day and how they could contribute to the weekend.

#### Budget

It was agreed most events would cover their own costs however any profit would be donated to the RBL. The following budgets were agreed:

Tea Dance £200

Exhibition £353 (possibly provided as a grant)

Wreath £100

Terri Hull agreed to prepare an article for Tattenhall online – 'Are you ready for VE Weekend?' to promote events etc.

It was agreed to ask Anne McGrath to organise window displays in the village for the weekend.

It was agreed to contact Ju Morton regarding baking biscuits for the events for donations.

### **Squirrel Trail**

It was agreed to run the Squirrel trail from the 11<sup>th</sup> July until the end of August and combine the launch with the Church Fete.

It was agreed the theme would be red, white and blue.

A new Squirrel design would be created to go with ones being reused.

### Great British Spring Clean

Lisa White agreed to sign the Tattenhall up to the Great British Spring Clean.

It was noted that Lesley Jones had spoken to the Flacca management board regarding painting the container and had obtained approval subject to the final design.

### Agreed Actions

Event	Leads	Actions
VE – Preparation	Terri Hull	Are you ready article
VE – Preparation	Clerk	Contact school with events and seek their involvement,
VE – Preparation	Clerk	Contact Ju Morton regarding VE & Easter biscuit.
VE – Preparation	Lisa White	Contact Swing lessons
VE – Weekend	Anne McGrath	Window displays
VE – Weekend	Terri Hull	Contact Gifford Lea regarding events, time capsule and involving children.
VE – Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	Lisa White	To work with recreation club on family event
VE – Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> May Last Post & Commemoration	Ruth Morgan with Church	To arrange last post and prayers at war memorial
VE – Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> May Last Post & Commemoration	Clerk	Contact D. Bish regarding wreath and events.
VE – Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> May & Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> May	Terri Hull	Poster Exhibition & Book launch
VE – Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> May	Pat Black & Anne McGrath	Tea Dance
Christmas – Preparations	Working Group	To recommend to council appointment of contractor to erect trees etc and remove
Remembrance	Clerk	Organise Poppies up & down 1 <sup>st</sup> November & 15 <sup>th</sup> November
Christmas – Preparations	Georgina Blackhurst	Review Christmas gifts
Christmas – Preparations	Lisa White	Find entertainer for parties
Christmas – Preparations	Clerk	Notify school of Xmas events dates
Christmas Event 5 <sup>th</sup> December	Lisa White	Contact school choir to take part.
Christmas Event 5 <sup>th</sup> December	Ruth Morgan	Request Father Lameck blesses Christmas Tree at Millfield.
Great British Tidy	Lisa White	Register Tattenhall
Container Painting	Lesley Jones	Provide update – design agreed?

### NEXT MEETING

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2020

7.30pm – Boys Room, Barbour Institute.

Ann Wright  
25 02 2020