



Minutes of Bembridge Village Partnership meeting held at 5.00pm on 5th July 2017 in the Parish Office, 5 Foreland Road, Bembridge

PRESENT: Cllr M Donlon, Cllr M Sullivan, Mr K Cook, Cllr S Weedall, Rev A Bloor, Mrs E Goldring (Clerk)

1. **ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN**

Cllr M Donlon was elected as Chairman.

2. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies received from Mrs B Clough, Cllr C Behan and Cllr R Widger. Non-attendance Cllr R Weaver and Mr S Warburton.

3. **MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING**

To receive for approval minutes of the Village Partnership held on 3rd May 2017

RESOLVED: Approved minutes of the Village Partnership held on 3rd May 2017 and duly signed by the chairman

4. **VILLAGE PARTNERSHIP PLAN 2017/18**

- To consider the updated forward plan

PROJECT/EVENT/TASKS	ACTION REQUIRED	LEAD MEMBER/S	PRIORITY/TIMESCALE
Steyne Park Project	MUGA, Youth Shelters Have applied for a Sports England grant £50,000 for a MUGA. Funding not successful will try others	SPP Group	Grant funding required
Spring and autumn litter picks	18 th March & 17 th June beach cleans 15 th April litter pick have been successful Next beach clean 15th July	GTS Group	No budget
Footpaths, cycle routes and bridleways projects	Brooks Close to Foreland Farm Lane project complete. Gates and signs to be installed. BB10 Sandhills now complete BB2 to be agreed FC 18 th July	GTS Group	Ongoing Budget £0
Bonfire & Fireworks Event November 2017	BYCC organising the event	BYCC	November 2017 Budget £500
Christmas Event December 2017	BYCC organising the event	BYCC	December 2017
Dragons Den Day 2017	Windmills Preschool £423.32 Bembridge FC £350.00 Bembridge Scouts £230.00 Bembridge Rainbows £129.00 Bembridge Youth FC £750.00 Friendship Circle £200.00 Friends of Holy Trinity £150.00 Pat a Happy Pony £200.00 Welcome Bonus – a special prize cheque with money from the collection pots on the counters and April's carrier bag fund at Welcome	VP Group	Budget £2800

	Store. £386.63 was awarded to Bembridge Youth Football Club based on the evening presentation.		
Bembridge in Bloom Awards 2017	Application forms in, judging will take place mid-July and the awards will be held in the Village Hall on 27 th July 2.00pm	GTS Group	August 2017
Bembridge Street Fair	Green Towns to have no stall at Fair on Monday 29 th May	GTS Group	
Village Map	Discussions underway on new design	VP Group	

- To monitor the budget 2017/18

VILLAGE PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNTS 2017/18					
Dragons Den			Budget		
Date	Chq No	Description	Supplier	Payments	Receipts
14-Jun	bacs	Compare	D Randini	£ 100.00	
14-Jun	bacs	Donation	Holy Trinity Church	£ 150.00	
14-Jun	bacs	Donation	Friendship Circle	£ 200.00	
14-Jun	bacs	Donation	Pat a Happy Pony	£ 200.00	
14-Jun	bacs	Donation	Bembridge FC	£ 350.00	
14-Jun	bacs	Donation	Bembridge Youth FC	£ 750.00	
14-Jun	bacs	Donation	Windmills Preschool	£ 423.32	
14-Jun	bacs	Donation	Rainbows	£ 129.00	
14-Jun	bacs	Donation	Scouts	£ 230.00	
TOTAL				£ 2,532.32	£ -
Neighbourhood Plan			Budget		
Date	Chq No	Description	Supplier	Payments	Receipts
TOTAL				£ -	
Green Towns			Budget £750		
Date	Chq No	Description	Supplier	Payments	Receipts
14-Jun	bacs	3rd Place award	Community Action		£ 100.00
TOTAL				£ -	£ 100.00
Bembridge in Bloom Competition			Budget		
Date	Chq No	Description	Supplier	Payments	Receipts
TOTAL				£ -	£ -
Miscel			Budget		
Date	Chq No	Description	Supplier	Payments	Receipts
TOTAL				£ -	£ -
Date	Chq No	Description	Supplier	Payments	Receipts
TOTAL					
01/04/2016		Carried forward from previous year			£ 3,827.88
01/04/2016		Grant for 2017/18			£ 4,500.00
		Dragons Den		£ 2,532.32	£ -
		Neighbourhood Plan		£ -	£ -
		Green Towns		£ -	£ 100.00
		Bembridge in Bloom Competition		£ -	£ -
		Miscel		£ -	£ -
				£ -	£ -
					Balance
				£ 2,532.32	£ 8,427.88
					£ 5,895.56
		Birdham Corner Tidy Up		£300	
		Bembridge in Blom		£450	
		GTS Budget		£750	

- To monitor Bembridge Neighbourhood Development Plan Annual Report published in November. All fine.

5. **GREEN TOWNS UPDATE**

All working effectively

6. **DRAGONS DEN**

Bembridge Village Partnership hosted a 'Dragons Den' event on Friday 12th May at Bembridge Youth & Community Centre where a grant funding pot of up to £2,500 was available to local organisations and community groups working for the benefit of Bembridge.

8 applications were received and made the final shortlist. The applicants delivered a presentation to the dragons with an audience looking on. The fearsome Dragons this year were Keith Cook, Cllr Richard Weaver, Cllr Sheila Weedall and Steve Warburton.

The funding pot was allocated by the Dragons between the following applications:

Windmills Preschool	£423.32
Bembridge FC	£350.00
Bembridge Scouts	£230.00
Bembridge Rainbows	£129.00
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7. **VILLAGE MAP**

3 quotes received. Go with the Sign Shop £90.00 Aluminium Di-bond boards. Sue McLagan has given permission to use of the BBA map. Locations would be outside the cemetery, Steyne park and village hall. Denis confirms the village hall is happy for us to replace the old map outside on the wall. Any amendments required to map? Keep St Helens. Add pharmacy and Parish Boundary of River Yar. Buy booklet holders for each of the maps to place the BBA guide inside. **RESOLVED:** Purchase maps from Sign Shop and booklet holders.

8. **BEMBRIDGE IN BLOOM**

Booked the Village Hall for the awards on Thursday 27th July at 2.00pm. HRD to sponsor for £200.00 and present the awards. The village partnership to support the rest. Barbara has arranged the judges for mid-July.

9. **STREET FAIR**

The fire brigade did not put the bunting up or attend for the first time in 18 years. The community bus did not attend. This needs to be rectified for next year and assumptions not made that they will turn up. Although the weather was not great the turnout was good and funds raised on average with other years.

From: Sarah Portwine [<mailto:bembridgestreetfaircontact@gmail.com>]

Sent: 15 June 2017 12:37

To: fatcat007; Emma Goldring

Subject: Street Fair - Village Partnership email

Dear Village Partnership

On behalf of the Bembridge Street Fair organisers, I would like to give you an update on the progress of this annual village event.

In 2015, myself and Jay Chapman, with the assistance of Emma Goldring, Jacqui McDade and Mike Tarrant, took over the organisation of Bembridge Street Fair. In the first year we received generous donations from yourselves and Bembridge Business Association which allowed us to expand and continue to deliver this event. In the past three years we have introduced a park and ride system, put on additional street entertainment and expanded the number of stalls at Bembridge Street Fair.

We are now in a position where we need to spend additional funds, traffic management for the village needs to be increased with additional cones to avoid parked cars causing obstructions and, in addition to the community bus, we need to continue to hire a minibus due to the popularity of the park and ride from Steyne Park. For 2018, we will need to purchase additional park and ride signs that direct people from Embankment Road and Steyne Road roundabout and additional bunting to decorate the full length of the street. We also require commercial bins to keep the street tidy and a PA system for announcements during the event. These expenses are in addition to the usual payments to IOW Council for the market licence, Raynet, Scouts and Randini.

As Bembridge Street Fair has grown so has the cost of hosting this event so your donation has been paramount to keeping this great annual event running. We would like to thank you for your support and we look forward to hosting Bembridge Street Fair 2018.

Regards
Sarah Portwine

10. NEW PROJECTS/EVENTS

Bembridge got talent event to be organised by Steve Warburton in the autumn at BYCC.

Carnival? Was considered by BYCC but too expensive with traffic management and insurance. Need a big group of people to run it. Storage for a float. Perhaps suggest additions to the Summer Festival for next year.

Steyne Park and the old School Field all weather walking/running track around the perimeter which is 1 mile. Take to Green Towns for a proposal to then go to Full Council for approval.

11. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Next meeting Wednesday 6th September at 5.00pm in the Parish Office

Meeting Closed 18.00

Signed:..... Dated:.....