WARWICK TOWN COUNCIL



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COMMUNITY & CULTURAL COMMITTEE

18th APRIL 2019

MINUTES

Present:

Councillor Mrs C Cross
Councillor Mrs D Da Cruz
Councillor Mrs M A Grainger (Chair)
Councillor J Holland
Councillor Mrs A Littlejohn
Councillor T Morris (Sub)
Councillor N Murphy

Co-opted Members:

Unlocking Warwick representative – Karen Parker.

- **355. Apologies:** The Mayor (ex Officio) Councillors Mrs L Bolton, PS Birdi, R Edgington. Bernie Allen.
- **356. Declarations of Personal and Prejudicial Interests.** –Cllr T Morris Afternoon Tea grant.
- **357.** Minutes of the meeting held on 13th February 2019. It was resolved to approve the minutes as a true record.
- **358. Twinning Eurocamp 2019 & 2020** Cllr Mrs A Littlejohn advised that four youths have been selected to attend this year's Eurocamp in Verden. 2020 brings Eurocamp to Warwick the theme is Woodcarving. Students will be encouraged to carve their town's crest which will be displayed in Priory Park.
- **359.** Warwick in Bloom Cllr Mrs A Littlejohn advised that the number of baskets had increased again. Judging would be on the 5th July. Finance support had been received from Warwick Castle.

360. Community Engagement

Karen Parker Chair of Unlocking Warwick updated Councillors on the activities undertaken by her group. In the ballroom continues to be popular and the tea dance has a steady following. Court House tours have started again. The group are working with Peter Knell to create a Court House App linking into Town treasures. Cllr J Holland passed on our thanks and support to all that the volunteer's do for the Court House.

361. Community Forums – Bernie Allen was absent from the meeting. The next forum will be held on the 26th September 2019

362. Dementia Carers – Cllr J Holland to report

Cllr J Holland had nothing further to add from a previous meeting. Bernie Allen had advised Cllr Holland of activities across the District.

He stated that this item should be progressed by the new administration.

363. **Children Centre** – Councillor Mrs D Da Cruz had sent a report Cllr Mrs D Da Cruz requested that representation be found in the new Administration to continue to represent the Town Council at future meetings.

364. Grants – approve

Warwick Town Christmas Lunch, Summer Tea Party - £634.40

Following a lengthy discussion and formal complaint against Cllr T Morris, under the code of conduct, it was resolved to support the cost of the ballroom hire and tablecloth cleaning which equalled £300.

Warwick Nursery School, Toy Library Re-Launch - £2,610 Approved Friends of Aylesford Primary, ICT Suite - £2,000 – Approved up to this amount or less. (Cllr T Morris to liaise with the applicants to discuss options for a more competitive quote).

Junior Angling Committee - £1,669.84 - Approved

Warwick Community band - £690.94 – Cllr Mrs A Littlejohn to request a further 2 quotes – amount approved in principle up to that amount or less. There was a request to mark Ron Everett's commitment to Warwick and to place this on the agenda for June meeting.

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