

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COMMUNITY CENTRE  
AND GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE OF ARMTHORPE PARISH  
COUNCIL HELD IN ARMTHORPE COMMUNITY CENTRE,  
WELFARE PARK, CHURCH STREET, ARMTHORPE, ON  
TUESDAY, 19<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2012

PRESENT: - Councillor V. Doran (in the Chair)

Councillors T. Corden, L.S. Dickman, M.J. Doran, P.J. Farrell and F.J. Tyas.

APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received from the Chairman, Councillor P.A. Hanson, the Vice-Chairman, Councillor S.L. McGuinness and Councillors J.R. Armstrong, A. Brown, A.J. Brown, E. Butler, V. Jennings, C.J. McGuinness and S.A. Pickles.

17. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

RESOLVED that in the absence of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Councillor V. Doran be appointed Chairman of the meeting.

18. DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL AND PREJUDICIAL INTERESTS

RESOLVED that the following declarations made at the meeting be noted:-

Councillor V. Doran - Minute 22 relating to cheque number 507800.

Councillor L.S. Dickman - Minute 22 relating to cheque number 507811.

Councillors L.S. Dickman and P.J. Farrell - Minute 28 (1) relating to hire of the Community Centre.

19. FUN IN THE SUN LIMITED

RESOLVED

- (1) that Mr. Mark Craddock of Fun in the Sun Limited, be thanked for his presentation regarding the services provided by his company;
- (2) it be noted that Mr. Craddock would supply references and copies of the Agreements he uses for his services;
- (3) that the Clerk make enquiries of Messingham Parish Council regarding the services provided to them by Mr. Craddock's company;

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- (4) that in the meantime the services of Mr. Craddock's Fun in the Sun company be used to make an application to secure funding for the payment of Sports Leaders for the Council's Splash programmes.

20. REPORT OF SPORTS AND RECREATION OFFICER

RESOLVED

- (1) that the contents of the report of the Sports and Recreation Officer, Mr. Carl Hughes, which (amongst other things) updated Members of the Committee about activities undertaken since its last meeting, be noted;
- (2) it be noted that as a result of essential repairs being carried out at The Armthorpe School during the school summer holidays, the Summer Splash Holiday Programme could no longer be held on the school site for health and safety reasons;
- (3) that in view of The Armthorpe School being unavailable for the Summer Splash Holiday Programme, the Sports and Recreation Officer prepare alternative options for Members to consider at the special meeting of the Council to be held on 26<sup>th</sup> June 2012;
- (4) that approval be given for the purchase of 5 T-shirts and a jacket for use by the Sports and Recreation Officer;
- (5) that independent sports leaders who provide their services at future Splash programmes be paid the sum of £5.50 per hour.

21. MINUTES

RESOLVED that the Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 15<sup>th</sup> May 2012 (copies of which had previously been circulated to each Member) be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman of the meeting.

22. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

RESOLVED that the following schedule of accounts paid or for payment be approved:-

	£		
Tip Top Oven Cleaning	150.00	Cleaning cookers and microwave	507780
DMBC (The Armthorpe School)	78.60	Damage to toilet pipe (Splash)	507781
A. Lang	180.00	Sports Leader fee - Easter Splash	507782
L. Jones	180.00	Sports Leader fee - Easter Splash	507783
A. Hurst	170.00	Sports Leader fee - Easter Splash	507784
Christine Crozier	50.00	Deposit for food - Tea Dance - Jubilee	507787

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J.E. Hardy	265.63	Reimburse cost of brushes & release tank for Victor buffer machine	507788
Councillor S.L. McGuinness	80.00	Gift vouchers - Fancy Dress - Jubilee	507789
A Bouncy Castle Man	250.00	Hire of inflatables - Jubilee	507790
Joseph Jay	250.00	Children's Entertainer - Jubilee	507791
Christine Crozier	375.00	Supply food - Tea Dance - Jubilee	507792
C.M. Marsh	399.50	Supply food - St. Georges Day	507793
Councillor C.J. McGuinness	40.00	Bunting - Jubilee	507794
Dale Entertainment Productions	200.00	Entertainment - Tea Dance - Jubilee	507797
Councillor V. Doran	223.36	Miscellaneous items - Jubilee	507800
A.G. Barr plc	57.35	Soft drinks	507801
British Gas	2,047.28	Gas charges	507808
Gas & Hire Ltd.	11.88	Cylinder hire	507809
British Gas (Commercial) Ltd.	938.25	Annual maintenance charge	507810
Councillor L.S. Dickman	37.30	Raffle prizes - Jubilee celebrations	507811

23. QUEEN'S DIAMOND JUBILEE

RESOLVED

- (1) it be noted that the events organized by the Council at Armthorpe Community Centre to celebrate the Queen's Diamond Jubilee were enjoyed and appreciated by all who attended;
- (2) that the Committee formally records its sincere appreciation to the Council staff who worked during the public holiday period, namely, Mrs. J. E. Hardy and Messrs. J. Hardy, A. Campbell and C. Hughes;
- (3) that the two volunteer sports leaders be paid at the rate of £10.00 per hour for the services provided on 4<sup>th</sup> June 2012;
- (4) it be noted that baby KP was born on 5<sup>th</sup> June 2012 and qualified for a commemorative gift, which the Chairman of the Council agreed to make further recommendations to the Committee as to the type of gift to be awarded.

24. SEASIDE TRIP

RESOLVED that in respect of the seaside trip to Bridlington on 6<sup>th</sup> July 2012:-

- (1) it be noted that it had not been possible to make arrangements for the lunchtime meal at JC's Fish & Carvery Restaurant, Bridlington, as the premises had closed down;
- (2) it be noted that as an alternative, to allow more time to be spent in Bridlington and a meal be provided on return to Armthorpe, the following quotations had been obtained:-

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- (a) The Wheatsheaf - £7.95 for a carvery meal;
  - (b) Horse & Groom - £9.95 for a two course roast dinner with tea and coffee;
- (3) that the quotation from the Horse & Groom be accepted, for the reasons that (a) it appears to represent better value for money (b) it would be waitress service making it more convenient and safer for the senior citizens and (c) all senior citizens would be seated together in one room, which would make for easier supervision;
- (4) that Councillors V. and M.J. Doran, Councillor T. Corden, his wife and volunteer relative be thanked for their undertaking to attend and supervise the trip.

25. YORKSHIRE DAY CELEBRATIONS

RESOLVED that in respect of the Yorkshire Day Concert to be held at the Community Centre on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> August 2012:-

- (1) admission be set at £6.00 including a pie and peas supper and Mrs. C. Marsh be requested to provide pie and peas at the event;
- (2) Armthorpe Elmfield Band be asked to provide entertainment at the event, upon payment by the Council of £150 for the Band's services;
- (3) arrangements be made for the bar to be open from 6.30 pm until 11.00 pm;
- (4) that the function check list be included as an item on the Agenda for completion at the next meeting of the Committee.

26. 1960's NIGHT

RESOLVED that arrangements for the 1960's Concert and a function check list be included as an item on the Agenda for completion at the next meeting of the Committee.

27. CHRISTMAS ILLUMINATIONS

RESOLVED

- (1) that the contents of a letter received from Christmas Plus Limited, requesting an extension of the contract for the installation, dismantling etc. of Christmas motifs for the years 2012 to 2015 inclusive on the same terms and conditions as the existing one (including price), be noted;
- (2) that as the Council's Financial Regulations and Contract Standing Orders do not apply to an extension of an existing contract, the contract with Christmas Plus Limited be extended to 2015;

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- (3) that the Merry Christmas motif for display over the main gates leading to Armthorpe Community Centre be hired for the first year (including installing and dismantling) at a cost of £550.00 plus VAT and a determination as to hire/purchase of the motif for future years be deferred until after the Christmas period this year.

28. HIRE OF COMMUNITY CENTRE

RESOLVED

- (1) that the contents of a letter received on behalf of 'Markham Main Armthorpe' Combined St. John Ambulance Unit, requesting use of the Community Centre on 8<sup>th</sup> September 2012 for a presentation evening, be noted and they be allowed use of the main hall and lounge bar free of charge;
- (2) that the Chairman of the Council, Councillor V. Doran, be nominated to present the awards and certificates on the evening of this event.

29. TEA DANCES/ENTERTAINMENT

RESOLVED that the request from Dalentertainment Productions to hire the main hall in the Community Centre for the purpose of holding tea dances be deferred until the next meeting of the Committee.

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