

EASINGWOLD TOWN COUNCIL SOCIAL & EVENTS
COMMITTEE
MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER,
THE GALTRES CENTRE 20TH MARCH 2023

Present: Councillors C. Barnes (Chairman) P. Nottage, F. Johnston-Banks

In attendance: Councillors K. Butcher, N. Madden,

Clerk: Mrs J. Bentley

1.	Apologies Apologies for absence were received from Councillors R. Varney, C. Metcalfe, A. Gledhill
2.	Public Questions or Comments It was resolved to adjourn the meeting for up to 15 minutes to take questions or comments through the Chairman from members of the public. No members of the public were present therefore no questions were asked.
3.	Clerk's Progress Report <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Easingwold in Lights winner has been presented with the trophy • A proposal from the Youth Council has been approved in principle for a shelter on Millfield • Music in Our Markets event will take place on Friday 31st March with 3 groups of musicians playing live in the buttercross supported by Hambleton District Council
4.	Easingwold Youth Council No further meetings had taken place since last month.
5.	Entertainment in the Market Place An update was received from Councillor Johnston-Banks. The Summer of Music will take place but with a slightly altered timetable which is in the process of being confirmed.
6.	Digital Activities 6.1 Digital impact - The google analytics report was received and noted. 6.2 Website – it was AGREED that the website will be reviewed and revised in April once the Unitary Authority, North Yorkshire Council, is in place. 6.3 An update was received from Councillor Johnston-Banks regarding progress with wifi provision in the town centre. It was AGREED that Easingwold Town Council would share the cost of installation, with the NYC Locality Fund, of additional WiFi equipment to complete the NYNet WiFi to the buttercross side of the town square. It was AGREED that the Clerk should contact ETIC regarding the phone line.
7.	King's Coronation An update was received from the Clerk and it was RESOLVED that the Clerk should contact the Business Forum to confirm updated requirements from Easingwold Town Council.
8.	Summer Planting The summer colours were confirmed as red, white and blue to reflect the Coronation.
9.	Tree & Bench donation policy The tree and bench policy was reviewed and it was AGREED that the Clerk should send Councillor Barnes current materials to enable him to draft a new policy which will be agreed by email.
10.	Budget The financial position at the end of February 2023 was noted and no virements were considered necessary.

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11.	Action Plan The new format of the action plan was received and will be populated following the meeting.
12.	Date of next meeting The date of the next meeting is 19 th June 2023.

The meeting closed at 19.50