

Notes from Events Meeting Tuesday 12th April 2022 held in the Parish Office

Present Cllr R. Thorn (Chair), Cllrs, Lamb, Richardson, J. Thorn, Coyle-fox,
Clerks: L.Skinner M Rouston

Members of the Public: Christine Goldson, Dave Butler, Chris Goldson, Pat Robinson.


1. **Welcome by chair.** Cllr. R. Thorn thanked all for coming to the meeting tonight.
2. **Apologies.** Cllr. Wormleighton.
3. **Approve minutes from 8th March meeting.** All had looked through the minutes and Cllr. Coyle-Fox. proposed to accept minutes as a true record. Cllr. Richardson seconded. All in agreement.
4. **Parish Council Events.** Thursday 2nd June is the lighting of the beacon. Nothing to report on this as all is going according to plan.
5. **Picnic in the Park. Saturday 4th June on the Monson Playing Field – 1-4pm.**
Cllr. R. Thorn will do a risk assessment for the day. Clerks will do the advertising with posters around the village and on social media. The Pavilion tearoom will be open and run by Cllr. J Thorn and a volunteer. Christine said she has organised a mobile 'slush puppy machine', also there will be a mobile 'eskimoo' milkshakes van. Daisy made will be there selling ice-cream. Music will be arranged by Maggie. Christine will source a mascot. Dave will have a few children's games but will need volunteers to man them.
6. **Gala – Sunday 26th June on Monson Playing Field. 12 noon to 5pm.**
Christine said she has 40 stalls booked for this event which includes the Fair and the miniature railway, also it has been confirmed that the 'Hurricane' will be doing a flypast. Time is to be confirmed also weather dependant. Cllr. Lamb is arranging an ambulance to come for people to look around and learn about the equipment it holds. Ring entertainment was discussed. Dave had been in contact with both schools who are letting him know if they can arrange something. Dave has been in touch with the NTR youth who may put on a performance. This to be confirmed. Ring entertainment from 2pm-4pm. Party workshops will be in attendance, and they usually do a stint in the ring. Dave said we need rope pins as he doesn't have enough. Dave also has 4 large Gala signs that he will place at the three entrances to the village and one by the vicarage. Christine is trying to contact the band to ask if they are coming. Christine suggested getting a pony and trap to give rides around the playing field. There is a chap that is in the village on a regular basis must approach him. Clerks will try and track him down. Tommy Houden has agreed to do the marking out. Arrange for Paul to leave his trolley and dustbins in the pavilion for easy access. Clerks will arrange for skip hire.
7. **Future Events for the Diary.**

a) 50/61 Memorial Afternoon	- Sunday 12 th June at 2pm.
b) Armistice Day	- Friday 11 th November at 11am
c) Christmas Fayre,/Switch on lights	- Sunday 27 th November TBC

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Date for next Events meeting to be Tuesday 10th May 2022.

Meeting ended 7.30pm

Signed  Date 10/5/22