



Meeting of the Events Committee & Working Group

Please find below the agenda for the Events Committee & Working Group meeting that will be held at The Council Chamber, Cinderford, on Thursday 25th January 2024 commencing at 6.00pm.

Dated: 18th January 2024

Mrs E Bennett, Clerk to Council

1. To receive apologies for absence
2. Declarations of Interest – to receive any declarations of interest in any matter to be discussed at the meeting. Members and Officers are requested to identify the nature of the interest.
3. Public Participation Session – to provide the opportunity for Members of the Public to raise questions or comment on items on the Agenda (limited to 15 minutes, with a maximum 3 minutes per person).
4. Minutes of the meeting held on 19th September 2023
5. Matters arising
6. Chairman's Urgent Business
7. To receive any feedback from past events to improve future event planning:
 - Light Switch On/Lantern Parade - 25th November 2023
 - Xmas Convoy - 9th December 2023
 - War Memorial 100th Celebration
8. To receive a presentation from Canopy regarding a future arts event and proposed budget implications for 2025/26
9. To receive an update from Crossroads on the 2024 Fireworks and other events planned (DV)
10. To discuss the half term activities programme and future events planned in 2024
11. To receive feedback from MusicWorks on the opening and any events
12. To receive feedback from FOD Dog Rescue on Cinderford events
13. To discuss ideas for 2024, agree dates and progress any arrangements for events noting budgets set and agreed:
 - Pancake Race
 - D Day - 06/06/2024 Beacon Lighting
 - FOD Pride - 28/07/2024
 - Cindyfest - 25/08/2024
 - Eurovision - 11/05/2024
 - Fireworks (Crossroads)
 - Olympics/Paralympics 2024
 - Skatepark Opening

14. To receive information on the following ideas and consider taking forward:

- Book Hunt
- Summer One Day Farm
- Monthly Triangle Storytime Session
- Monthly Triangle Creative Open Mic Session
- Arts Events
- Cinema showing on D-Day
- Other Suggestions/Ideas

15. Date of next Meeting – TBC

Members are reminded that the Council has a duty to consider the following matters in the exercise of any of its functions: Equal Opportunities (race, gender, sexual orientation, marital status and any disability), Crime & Disorder, Health & Safety and Human Rights”.