



## **Extraordinary Regeneration and Community Committee Meeting**

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2023 at 10am**

**Meeting held at Pye Green Community Centre, Bradbury Lane, Hednesford, WS12 4EP**

### **Present:**

Cllr Sharon Jagger (Chair)  
Cllr Alan Pearson  
Cllr Ann Turville  
Cllr Sheila Cartwright  
Cllr Laura Harrison

### **In attendance from Hednesford Town Council:**

Lindsey Smith - Chief Officer  
Matt Johnson – Community Engagement Officer

### **Members of the Public:**

There was 1 member of the public present

### **1. Public Participation**

No points were raised under public participation

### **2. Apologies:**

Cllr A Walker

### **3. Declaration of Interest**

No declaration of Interests were raised

### **4. Previous Minutes**

Previous minutes were accepted to record

Proposed: Cllr A Turville

Second: Cllr S Cartwright

Agreed: Cllr S Jagger, Cllr L Harrison, Cllr A Pearson, Cllr S Cartwright, Cllr A Turville

## **5. Chair Update**

- a. Summer Festival - The Chair shared thanks to Hednesford in Partnership for another wonderful Summer Festival and updated that HTC supported the event financially and that the Mayor of HTC opened the event
- b. 12<sup>th</sup> August 2023 – Update that Mayor attend Summer Festival
- c. 13<sup>th</sup> August 2023 – Update that Deputy Mayor represented HTC at the District service at St Peters Church

## **6. Hednesford Street Market**

An update was given on the recent markets

Cllr S Jagger informed that residents had been asking questions as to why the market now finishes at Eskrett Street and feels that HTC need to ensure the community are aware of petition.

Cllr S Jagger suggested looking at Skipton Council and how they run their street market

Chief Officer advised that access to Casa Mia is now sorted following an agreement with Parking Eye with the concern now being access for the residents at Woodland Court

**Action: Officers to monitor the situation and report back**

## **7. Events/Projects**

a. Update from Community Officer – 130 individuals had to date taken part in the consultation, which is being held across 7 different venues on various dates and times. Results, theme and patterns are already emerging. Full report due following end of consultation

Childrens summer activities have been run during summer holidays at PGCC. Being run in partnership with West Chadsmoor Family Centre. Currently awaiting report back from WCFC. Looking for future funding for these to continue

Warm Hub will launch on 11<sup>th</sup> September - The Hub @ Pye Green

Wellbeing Walk is due to start from PGCC on 6<sup>th</sup> September

Have received all but 3 community support grant reports

Christmas Lights – HTC are overseeing the installation of these this year. Lots of work involved. Paperwork has been submitted for permissions

Has been working with Cllr Walker to support in the setting up of Friends of Hednesford Nursery school to enable funding applications to be made to support the nursery school. Cllr A Pearson had been in contact with CCDC re: removed play equipment from CCDC playground and was informed that the nursery school could have it but to date Cllr A Pearson has not received any feedback from the nursery

Trinity Church has now closed and the war memorial is to be rehomed at West Hill Primary School. Further information will be available at next meeting. Community Officer hopes to link in further with the school on a project leading up to Remembrance next year

Community Officer informed that the Christmas Light Switch on event has been changed by HIP from 1<sup>st</sup> to 2<sup>nd</sup> December and are wanting to close the whole of Market Street although HTC have resolved to cease all road closures at Eskrett Street

Cllr A Pearson suggested a young child should turn on the Christmas lights

A best dressed window competition will run the same day

#### **8. Partnerships**

Chief Officer updated that an SLA is now in place with Hednesford in Partnership and that the SLA with The Chase Lighthouse café is currently being put together

#### **9. AOB**

Cllr S Jagger informed that St Peters Church have purchased new chairs with funding and that the older chairs are being given away by the Church if anyone can rehome any or know of any other organisation who would benefit from them

#### **14. Date and Time of Next Meeting**

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2023 – 10am at Pye Green Community Centre

The meeting closed at 10:45am