

Minutes the MEETING OF THE COMMUNITIES AND EVENTS COMMITTEE on Monday 25 April 2021 at 7.30pm via Zoom video conferencing

Councillors:	Cllr M Hagon (MEH) (Chair)	Cllr S Williams (SW) (Vice Chair)
	Cllr S Jefferys (SJ)	# Cllr G Hollis (GH)
	# Cllr W Davey (WD)	Cllr A Hans (AH)
	Cllr S Bhinder-Dhonsi (SBD)	Cllr S Sproul (SS)
	# Cllr E Austin (EA)	Cllr J Walsh (JW)
Clerk	Jagjit Brar (Clerk)	Colin Needs (Deputy Clerk)

Item No	Agenda Item	
210426/01	Acceptance of Apologies for Absence See above, Cllr WD had technical difficulties trying to join the meeting	
210426/02	Declaration of Interests None	
210426/03	Public Session – 10 minutes None	
210426/04	Minutes of last meeting – 15 March 2021 Ratified at last Full Council meeting in April	
210426/05	Reflection of Year <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cllr MEH gave a summary of the year and encouraged the committee with our achievements despite lockdown including the first door to door newsletter, the Parish Survey, spring bulb planting, the Christmas tree on the green, improvements to Christmas lights around the Parish, the children's Christmas card competition and dementia friendly training. - A well done to all! 	
210426/06	Regular Events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cllr MEH requested that all Councillors sign up to help at our scheduled events by email <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tea Dance - Sunday 11 Jul, 1 Aug, 12 Sept, 17 Oct, 28 Nov 2021 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All venues and musician booked, please not date change 2. Music on the Green – Sunday 20 June, 18 July, 15 Aug, 19 Sept and 17 Oct 2021 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All bands booked - Clerk to arrange TENS Licences and check gazebo and Handyman 3. Beating the Bounds – 9 May 2021 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ACTION – Clerk to arrange posters in notice boards, website, arrange for gates to be opened on the day - Refreshments to be available at Higher Denham Community Centre 	<p>All Cllrs</p> <p>Clerk</p> <p>Clerk</p> <p>Cllr MEH</p>
210426/07	Great British Spring Clean & Community Litter Pick – 1st May 2021 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - We have been made aware of a pupil at Denham Green Academy that picked litter in their neighbourhood throughout the Easter holidays, Cllr MEH to arrange a certificate of appreciation - Cllr SBD and Cllr MEH suggested that residents take ownership of the monthly litter picks and we provide equipment - ACTION - Clerk to register and pledge hours with the Great British Spring Clean 2021 	<p>Cllr MEH</p> <p>Clerk</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ACTION – Clerk to arrange posters and update website - ACTION – Clerk to order hoops for litter picking - ACTION - Cllr SBD and Clerk to work with Bucks to arrange collections - Cllr JW advised the collections are in their infancy and may still need our leadership and Tilehouse Lane ditch should be targeted 	Clerk Clerk Clerk
210426/08	<p>Newsletter – (Replacement for Annual Parish meeting)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Similar layout and design as previous, Clerk to circulate proof to committee for sign off - Delivery through Royal Mail is not logistically feasible therefore previous distributors will be approached again. 	Clerk
210426/09	<p>Men In Sheds</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cllr SW advised she is meeting Jacqui McGowan at Higher Denham Community Centre to look at the feasibility - Clerk to arrange Expression of Interest poster 	Clerk
210426/10	<p>Denham Good Neighbours</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cllr MEH advised booking in July is difficult however 3 September has been booked at St Marks Hall in Denham Green 	
210426/11	<p>Dementia – Memory Café</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cllr MEH advised contact has been made with the Ealing Dementia Day Care Team and an experienced member of their team is willing to help for a nominal fee - Service users and their carers will be invited to get the project underway, a prep meeting will be arranged with the intention to run the session on the first Monday of the month after the 21 June and lockdown is eased - ACTION – Cllrs to forward details of potential clients to Cllr MEH 	All Cllrs
210426/12	<p>Christmas Lights</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Quotes were obtained by Cllr SJ for improvements which were circulated, the cost to light individual trees with LEDS is high - The power supply for the lights is the next task from the lamps post outside Coop in Denham Green and close to the Village Green. - ACTION – Services Committee to progress power supply on Village Green, Cllr SJ to contact SSE regarding Denham Green - The cost of using lamp post columns similar to Hillingdon are again proving costly at £1k per post each year - It was noted that Tatling End and Higher Denham received some extra lights this year and New Denham will be targeted in 2022 	Clerk
210426/13	<p>Soldier Silhouettes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Five silhouettes have now been ordered with the Parish Council branding and anchoring - ACTION - The lamp post poppies will be available in May - ACTION - Deputy Clerk to work with Cllr SW, Cllr JW, Cllr WD, Cllr SJ and Cllr MEH with regards of locations. 	Clerk Dep Clerk
210426/14	<p>Events To note, no discussion needed at this meeting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Carols on the Green – Friday 3 December 2021 - Queen’s Jubilee – June 2022 - Big Lunch - 5/6 June 2022 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Noted that Higher Denham are already planning an event for 2021, we will encourage other areas in the newsletter 	

	Items currently on Hold <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Repair Shop	
210426/15	Financial Report: - Noted	
210426/16	Date of Next Meeting – Tuesday 18 May 2021 at 7.30pm via Zoom	

Jagjit Brar – Clerk
21 April 2021