ELSTREE AND BOREHAMWOOD TOWN COUNCIL

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE

MINUTES of a meeting held in Fairway Hall, Brook Close, Borehamwood on **Tuesday 10 March 2020** at 7.30pm

Present: Cllr Mrs P Strack (Chairman) (in the Chair)

Cllr Mrs F Turner (Vice-Chairman) Cllr Mrs S Parnell (ex-officio)

Cllr V Eni

Cllr P Kaza (Substitute)

In attendance: Cllr C Butchins

D Salter (Entertainments Officer)

63. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND SUBSTITUTIONS

Apologies for absence were received from Cllr S Rubner (ex-officio) (Other Business), Cllr S Lawrence, (Other Business), Cllr A Collins (Other Business)(Cllr P Kaza Substitute) and Cllr M Vince (Other Business).

64. DECLARATIONS OF COUNCILLORS' INTERESTS

There were none.

65. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

The Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 4 February 2020 were approved and authorised for signing by the Committee Chairman.

66. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

There was none.

67. PRE-FESTIVAL:

Members received the Entertainments Officer's update report on the layout and activities taking place on the Pre Festival event for 16 May 2020.

Outside All Saints Church

- Bunting
- Banners
- Flags
- A Boards

Piazza behind All Saints Church

- Town Council Stall
- Information Stalls
- 1 x Bungee Trampoline
- 1 x Bouncy Castle
- 1 x Inflatable Slide
- Free Tea & Coffee Area (Tables & Chairs)
- Stalls (Community Groups)
- Borehamwood Brass and other acts

It was AGREED:

- (i) To use the same layout as 2019 Pre Festival; and
- (ii) To produce banners to go on the roundabouts near Tesco and the Railway Station.

68. CIVIC FESTIVAL 2020

The Entertainments Officer provided Members with an update on arrangements for the 2020 Civic Festival.

Saturday 13 June

- Parade
- EBLOS Show

Sunday 14 June

- Teddy's Trails Festival Walk
- Mozart Players Concert

Monday 15 June

• Festival Chess Night at Fairway Hall

Wednesday 17 June

• Elstree and Borehamwood's Got Talent

Friday 19 June

- Borehamwood Brass Concert All Saints Church at 8pm
- Flower Festival set up between 10am 12pm (All Saints Church)

Saturday 20 June

- Elstree Productions
- Festival Park Run
- Fire Station Open Day 12pm 4pm
- Flower Show

Sunday 21 June

- Festival Museum Walk
- Civic Service

Monday 22 June

- Coffee Morning Flower Show
- Soul Jump Concert at Fairway Hall

Tuesday 23 June

- Schools Performing Arts Concert
- Festival Quiz

Wednesday 24 June

• BBC Elstree Concert Band – Licence to Kill

Thursday 25 June

• Allotments Openday

Saturday 27 June

• Families Day

Sunday 28 June

- Meadow Park Band Concert 3pm 4.30pm
- Literature Festival at Fairway Hall 5pm 9pm

Families Day

Main Arena

• Lawsons Circus (4x40min Shows)

Walkabouts

- Bubbleologist
- Wowbower Mobile Photo Booth with Characters

Side Activities

- Bozo and Zizi's Circus Workshop
- 2x Fairground Rides
- 1x Giant Slide
- 1x Inflatable Gladiator Game
- 1x Spiderman Bungee Trampoline
- 1x Magical Moonwalk Inflatable
- 1x Bungee Run

It was AGREED:

- (i) the Talent Show judges would be Cllr F Turner, Cllr S Parnell and Cllr P Strack;
- (ii) tickets for the Literature Festival be set at £5; and
- (iii) a screening be put on during the festival of an MGM film made at Elstree.

69. COACH TRIPS:

Members agreed dates for the summer coach trips.

Monday 8 June Broadstairs (1st trip)

Tuesday 9 June Eastbourne Wednesday 10 June Cotswolds Thursday 11 June Southend

Festival

Monday 29 June Clacton on Sea

Tuesday 30 June Hastings

Wednesday 1 July Bournemouth Thursday 2 July Brighton Monday 6 July Folkstone
Tuesday 7 July Cambridge
Wednesday 8 July Broadstairs (2nd trip)

Thursday 9 July Portsmouth

70. PUBLICATIONS:

Members discussed producing two new publications, the first being a twice yearly A5 entertainment guide and the second a new Town Guide.

It was AGREED:

(i) to go ahead with both publications subject to budget and costings.

71. CLOSURE

It was noted that the next Committee meeting was scheduled to take place on Tuesday 31 March 2020.

The Meeting closed at 9.00pm.