



# Torpoint Town Partnership

**MINUTES** of the Torpoint Town Partnership (TTP) meeting held on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2024 at 6.00pm on MS Teams.

**PRESENT:** Cllr and Mayor Mr Gary Davis (GD) – Chair, Cllr Mrs Kim Brownhill (KB) -Treasurer, Cllr Chris Goodman (CG), Cllr Mr John Tivnan BEM (JT) – CC/TTC, Cllr and Deputy Mayor Mrs Julie Martin (JM), Cllr Rachel Evans BEM (RE) (late arrival) – Markets and Cinema, plus Milly Southworth (Clerk).

1.	<p><b>Welcome - Chair</b> Cllr and Mayor of Torpoint Mr Gary Davis (GD) welcomed all members to the meeting.</p>
2.	<p><b>Apologies for absence</b> Apologies for absence were received from Cllr Samm Bickle (SB) - FoTP, Jenny Hughes (JHu) - Markets and Cinema, Richard Pymm (RP) – Torpoint and Rame Peninsula Lions.</p>
3.	<p><b>Minutes of the previous meeting held on 14<sup>th</sup> November 2023 (as circulated) and matters arising.</b> Read and agreed. a) Bringing colour to the town – agreed for the council to review the opportunities to celebrate and create interest in the high street, with bunting perhaps.</p>
4.	<p><b>Report from the Treasurer</b> Balance in account £2,242.49, £210.03 ring fenced from the Christmas fayre fundraising towards future Christmas lights.</p> <p>The generator for the Christmas lights switch-on invoice is £122.50 and all agreed a donation of this amount should be transferred to the town council.</p> <p>Following receipt of an invoice, from Cornwall Council, for a road closure from a year ago – not received any further correspondence on this.</p>
5.	<p><b>Planned Events/Diary Dates – the Diary Dates had been previously circulated</b></p> <p><b>JT – Rededication of the RBL Standard</b>, a different date for this event is being arranged with the church and will be advised when agreed.</p> <p>Following a question put regarding free of charge use applications, submitted by JHu, JM agreed to ask JHu to liaise directly with KB, in order for KB to submit all the TTP free of charge use applications in, as a total of 6 free of charge applications can be considered for the payment of one administration charge of £15.00.</p> <p><b>Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November</b> will be the Lantern making Workshop at the Council Chambers.</p> <p>Following a discussion about the Torpoint and Rame Peninsula Lions Summer Fayre, which it is understood is cancelled this year, KB agreed to liaise with the Lions to see whether they would support a joint Carnival/Summer Fayre instead.</p> <p>All agreed to run a fundraising Dog Show in the summer, date to be agreed.</p>

	<p>D-DAY 80 Beacon Lighting event at Rendel Park – the town council to plan and organise this event (Clerk to add to next committee agenda). Would like to plant poppy seeds to “Help create a Ribbon of Poppies in Cornwall” (Clerk action).</p> <p>Other fundraising opportunities: - Torpoint Bowling Club would likely support a bingo night to be hosted there (action RE).</p> <p>The Torpoint Scouts firework display/bonfire night was briefly discussed, awaiting confirmation this is proceeding (possibility of the event taking place on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November).</p> <p>Christmas Carols – discussed the possibility of a lantern parade up Fore Street and towards Thanckes Park, nothing yet agreed, although KB will check out the date for Doorstep Carol’s (likely to be Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December).</p>
<p><b>6.</b></p>	<p><b>Any other Business</b> None</p>
<p><b>7.</b></p>	<p><b>Next Meeting</b> <b>Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March @ 1800 2024 on MS Teams, GD to provide Teams link.</b> <b>The April meeting will be a face to face meeting.</b></p>

The meeting closed at 6.56pm.