Campbell Park Parish Council

Caring within the Community

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The minutes of the Community & Social Wellbeing WORKING GROUP of Campbell Park Parish Council held on Monday 22nd November 2021 commencing at 7pm

This meeting was held online through Microsoft Teams.

This meeting was open to the Public

WG/12/21 Members Present

Cllr V Dixon Cllr P Halton-Davis
Cllr J Howard Cllr K Kavarana (Chair)

Cllr D Kendrick Cllr C Odunewu (arrived at 19:19)

Cllr N Oguntola (left at 19:45 & rejoined at 20:20)
Cllr M Petchey Cllr D Reynolds

In attendance:

T Jones – Community Officer/Committee Clerk

WG/13/21 Apologies for Absence

None

WG/14/21 Declarations of Interest

None

WG/15/21 Non-Committee Members/Members of the Public Present

Lisa Banks – to speak to the 1 Love Project Grant Application (leaving

on conclusion of this item)

Arlene Peters - MK Christian Centre

WG/16/21 Minutes of the Previous Meetings

The Working Group approved the minutes of the previous Working

Group meeting held on 25th October 2021.

Cllr Oguntola commented on minute WG/08/21. The Working Group resolved to reference the Neighbourhood Plan and allocation of green space within the agreed Homeground article.

WG/17/21 Public Involvement

Arlene Peters spoke about her role as Community & Network Coordinator at MK Christian Centre and the partnership work the MKCC are involved with. Arlene also spoke about a recent Fuse Youth session with a speaker about Gang & Knife crime which was attended by over 100 12-17 year olds.

Cllr Odunewu joined the meeting at the end of this item.

WG/18/21 Grant Applications

i. Grant Application – 1 Love Projects (Grant Application 010/21-22/Sect 137)
 The Working Group considered an application for a Start Up Grant from The 1 Love Projects for £1500.00

Lisa Banks spoke about the project, her ideas for the future of the project and the consultation with young people that had been undertaken in its development. Lisa Banks also received and answered questions from the Working Group members.

(Cllr Oguntola temporarily left the meeting during the course of this item)

Committee reached an agreement to make a recommendation to Council to support the application with an award of £1500 paid in 2 equal instalments. The second payment only to be released on the successful completion of Part 1 of the project, as set out in the application.

A Recorded Vote was requested by Cllr Kendrick:

For: Cllrs Dixon, Reynolds, Kendrick, Halton-Davis, Kavarana, Odunewu

Against: Cllr Oguntola (recorded in comments function)

Abstain: Cllrs Petchey & Howard

The Working Group later returned to this item and concluded that consideration should be given to loaning laptop/s to this group, rather than providing a grant for the group to purchase a laptop, as set out in their cost breakdown.

After meeting note: A copy of the 1 Love Projects Constitution, Safeguarding Policies and details of their Management Committee structure and have been requested. The Working Groups recommendation will be put forward to Council on receipt of these items.

ii. **Grant Evaluation – St Mary Magdalene Church, Willen** (Grant Application 007/20-21)

The Working Group received the Grant Evaluation from St Mary Magdalene Church following the grant of £1000 awarded in January 2021 towards the purchase and installation of benches in the churchyard for community use.

WG/19/21 Celebrating The Queen's Platinum Jubilee in 2022 (Council Min 95/21, Working Group Min WG 07/21)

(Cllr Oguntola re-joined the meeting during the course of this item)

The Working Group reviewed the estimated costs for the selected project ideas under consideration as part of CPPC's celebration of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee in 2022, reaching an agreement that all projects, with the exception of the purchase of a commemorative item for each child in the Parish, could be progressed. Further investigation will be required to establish stakeholder interest in participation and firm costs need to be established on some projects. The Working Group resolved to put forward the projects to the Finance and Administration Committee for review of affordability, identifying the following projects as their priorities;

- 1. Family Fun Day delivered in partnership with Willen Pavilion, ending with a Beacon Lighting ceremony.
- 2. Provision of Jubilee themed Activity Packs
- 3. Planting of a Jubilee Rose at each Sheltered Housing centre.

WG/20/21 Community Larder (CSW Min. 11/21, Council Min 116aii/21, WG 09/21) Further to Council's acceptance of the recommendation of the Community & Social Wellbeing Committee that the principle of having a Community Larder in the Parish should be pursued further, the Working Group agreed that the next steps would be to visit 2 Community Larders (Coffee Hall & Downs Barn) to see them in operation and obtain an understanding of the resource requirements. Cllrs Petchey & Dixon & Committee Clerk to arrange to visit. Additionally, a meeting between CPPC, Fishermead Trinity Centre and SOFEA

(the charity that operates the Community Larder scheme) to be set up.

WG/21/21 Green Tick Code

Cllr Halton-Davis spoke to this item. The Working Group reviewed the CPPC Green Tick Code, resolving to work with our local primary schools to re-launch the initiative.

Some re-wording to the Code was agreed to include DO NOT CROSS at the end of the first sentence on Item 3 and greater emphasis to be put on importance of looking, as electric cars are very quiet.

It was suggested that it may be worthwhile sharing The Green Tick Code with MK Safety Centre and seeking their input.

WG/22/21 Christmas Activity Packs

The Working Group noted that the Christmas Activity Packs will be made available for collection from the Parish Office from Wednesday 15th December. Due to the popularity of the last 2 packs, the number of packs made will be increased to 130 (+15 per age group).

The Working Group considered a suggestion from Cllr Dixon that a small wrapped gift be included within the Christmas Activity Packs, agreeing that this would not be progressed.

WG/23/21 Wombling/Litter Picking Groups

The Working Group considered establishing Wombling Groups within the Parish. Cllr Dixon spoke to this item.

The Working Group agreed to consider this idea in more detail in January 2022.

WG/24/21 Date of Next Meeting

The next scheduled meeting will be held on Monday 24th January 2022 at 7pm