

# Workington Town Council

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To Members of Culture Committee

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(Copy for information only to other members of Workington Town Council)

You are summoned to a meeting of Workington Town Council Culture Committee on Tuesday 22 May 2018 at 6.00pm at the Town Hall, Oxford Street, Workington.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'C Bagshaw'.

Chris Bagshaw  
Town Clerk

## AGENDA

### 1. Apologies

To receive and accept any apologies for absence.

### 2. Declarations of Interest

To receive any declarations of interest relating to matters which appear on this agenda, but which have not been previously declared on members' declarations of pecuniary interest and other interests.

### 3. Exclusion of Press and Public (Public Bodies Admission to Meetings Act 1960)

To consider whether there are any agenda items during consideration of which the press and public should be excluded.

### 4. Minutes of the Previous Meetings

To receive the minutes of the meeting on 27 March 2018 and affirm them as a true record.

## **5. Culture Programme 2018-19**

To receive an update from the Events Officer on the current programme of Cultural Events in the town, and to consider proposals for future events.

### **Background**

The Events Officer will run through the progress and any issues arising from delivering the current programme of events. The committee will then consider any proposals for additional events, both in the current financial year and for the next financial year. These include suggestions for the 2019 Party in the Park date, and a number of ideas being proposed by Allerdale Borough Council which at the time of writing had not progressed to fully fledged Proposals for Funding. These include the Festival of Running, and co-funding a number of Town Centre events.

## **6. Proposals for Funding**

### **a) National Youth Chamber Choir**

To consider a proposal from Workington Rotary Club and Rosehill Theatre that the Council funds a matinee performance by the National Youth Chamber Choir at St John's Church on 4 November 2018.

### **Background**

A funding proposal has been submitted by Workington Rotary Club that the Council funds £3,000 of the estimated cost of promoting a performance by the 24-member Chamber Choir of the National Youth Choir, at St John's Church on 4 November 2018. The supporting paperwork for the Proposal is attached to this agenda. The Proposal includes estimated costings for up to 300 attendees paying £15 each for adults and £7.50 for young people to attend. The proposal suggests a break-even figure of 200 attendees, though it is not clear from where additional funding will be sought.

**Funding conditions:** The Rotary Club has submitted its latest accounts, bank statements and constitutional arrangements, which are not included with this agenda, but are compliant with the council's conditions of funding and are available for inspection.

## **7. Remembrance Day 2018**

To receive a brief update on the plans being made for Remembrance Day 2018, which is the 100 year anniversary of the end of the First World War. The Committee has currently earmarked a budget of £2,000 for all the activities supporting the Royal British Legion in 2018, including Remembrance and Armed Forces Day. It may consider whether this is sufficient to cover the council's support for the range of activities being proposed, or whether other mechanisms may be appropriate (for instance promoting Community Service Grants for groups seeking funding for Remembrance activities).

## **8. Applications for Community Grants**

### **Carnegie Singers**

#### **£300**

To help towards costs of Spring Concert at Theatre Royal.

**Funding conditions:** The Carnegie Singers have submitted their latest accounts, bank statements and constitutional arrangements, which are not included with this agenda, but are compliant with the council's conditions of funding and are available for inspection.

**9. Jane Pit Miners' Memorial**

To receive a brief verbal report on the Heritage Lottery Funded project to establish a memorial to the Mineworkers of Workington at Jane Pit.

**10. Twinning**

To receive a report from a member of the Twinning Committee on the Association's activities.

**11. Sport Provision**

To consider any progress made towards developing links with sporting bodies in the town as a vehicle for consultation on the deployment of the council's sports budget allocation of £10,000.