



BISHOP AUCKLAND
TOWN TEAM

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Town Team Events Sub-Group**

Thursday 24th May 2018 at 5:15pm

The Park Head County Hotel, New Coundon
Bishop Auckland

Meeting Minutes

Those present:

Alan Anderson, Rob Berry, Lee Brownson, Nigel Bryson, Gillian Campbell, Clare Davison, Maureen Davison and Hazel Kennedy.

1. Apologies

Apologies were received from Clive Auld, Claire Gibbons, Peter Heslop and David Wilson.

2. Minutes of the last meeting – 10th May 2018

The minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as a true record.

3. Matters Arising

Gillian reported that Sherwoods – Vauxhall Dealer – had contacted her about the New Car show on Friday 24th August. It was agreed that the 6 dealers who took up the spaces last year should be approached about confirming their attendance at this year's show.

4. Tombola – Saturday 26th May 2018

Alan gave details of the Tombola being organised on the 26th May and it was agreed he should get some prizes. There were tickets and prizes left over from the previous Tombola. There should be sufficient volunteers to staff the stall although both Claire Gibbons and Nigel would have to leave early.

Alan would check where the Town Team banners were.

5. 1940s Weekend – Saturday 9th June 2018

Nigel briefed the group on the progress so far:

- A staging company had been approached and we were trying to arrange a site visit.
- The military vehicles were confirmed.
- Lee would approach Colin Wilks to see if we could get a food stall for the event.
- We would identify stewards at the next meeting but Nigel, Clive, Lee, Maureen and Clare should be available. Nigel would approach Town Ambassadors for volunteers as well.
- Josh from the Bishop Auckland Theatre Group would be approached to see if they could do a couple of scenes from 'Put that Light Out', a wartime themed play based on a radio programme.

A provisional programme was proposed which would be confirmed at our next meeting.

Posters and leaflets would be designed and we need to turn these around as soon as possible. Lee will work with the printers to get a suitable design.

Gillian proposed to do a display of 'banned' post cards. It was suggested David Wilson be approached to use the old Shoezone shop as a display facility.

6. Classic Car Show – Sunday 15th July 2018

It was agreed we would consider this further at a future meeting.

7. Any Other Business

Town Street Banners: The money from the banners had not yet been paid into the account. It was agreed we should issue a final reminder. Once the money had been paid, we could look at sites for the roadside banners.

Jackets: Member commented that the Town Team jackets looked good and the gold logo contrasted well with the dark blue main colour of the jackets.

8. Date of next meeting

The date of the next meeting would be Thursday 31st May at 5.15pm in the Park Head Hotel.

4th June 2018