

A meeting of the Heritage & Events Committee was held in the Pavilion, Manor Park Sports Club, Hackthorn Road, Welton on Monday 20th April 2026 at 7.30pm.

Present: Cllrs Mrs M Chapman (Chairman), G Briggs, R Lobley, Mrs S Watson, Mrs C Grimble and D Pikett

Clerk: Mrs J Murray

Please be advised that these are notes of the meeting taken by the Clerk and cannot in any way be regarded as the official minutes of Council proceedings until they are approved and signed at the next meeting.

A public participation session took place prior to the official start of the meeting.

26/04/22 Chairman's remarks

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.

26/04/23 Apologies

On a proposal from Cllr Briggs, seconded by Cllr Lobley, it was unanimously **RESOLVED** following a vote to accept apologies from Cllr Hornsey having considered and accepted his reason for absence.

26/04/24 Declarations of Interest

None

26/04/25 Minutes

On a proposal from Cllr Mrs Watson, seconded by Cllr Briggs, it was unanimously **RESOLVED** following a vote that the notes from the meeting held on 16th February 2026 were approved and signed as the minutes.

26/04/26 Clerk's Report

The Clerk had nothing to report on this occasion.

26/04/27 Financial

Councillors were provided with a financial report to 31.3.2026.

26/04/28 May Fair

All arrangements have been made and all is in order.

26/04/29 Music & Arts Festival

The programme has now been delivered. Ticket sales are going well, the only two workshops that haven't sold so far are the Floral Panel and Wreath Making which may have to be withdrawn.

26/04/30 Dr Richard Smith Memorial:

Two quotes for the cost of having the lettering enamelled have been received and on a proposal from Cllr Briggs, seconded by Cllr Mrs Grimble, it was unanimously **RESOLVED** following a vote to accept the quote from Drapers.

26/04/31 Community Awards

- a) One nomination has been received and was circulated to all members with the agenda and after reviewing the nomination against the policy and on a proposal from Cllr Lobley, seconded by Cllr Briggs, it was unanimously **RESOLVED** following a vote that it did not meet the criteria and therefore no Community Awards will be given this year.

b) No gifts required.

26/04/32 Councillors' Reports

Cllr Mrs Watson reported that she had attended a Councillor's Refresher Course at LALC recently and had learnt that LCC has a team of volunteers that clean War Memorials and this should be noted for the future. The Clerk will make enquiries.

Chairman: Date:

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