



SHOTGATE PARISH COUNCIL

, Cllr.M. Biddle 01268 562877 – Clerk Emma Morris clerk@shotgatepc.org.uk

MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL EVENTS MEETING held, via Zoom meeting, on Thursday
18th February 2021 at 3pm

THE CHAIRMAN REQUESTED MOBILE PHONES ARE SWITCHED OFF/TURNED TO SILENT
£ = Expenditure decision 👍 = A resolution made

Cllr. Jackie Woolf- Chairman	
Cllr. C. Burton- Vice Chair	Mrs Joanne Ride
Cllr. T. Hammond	Clerk – Emma Morris

01.21	Chairmans Welcome & Apologies & Reasons for Absence – Cllr Mark Biddle – Personal commitments. Cllr Eunice Brockman – Work commitments. – Accepted.
02.21	Agree Previous Minutes. - Agreed
03.21	Declarations and Interests (existence and nature) None
04.21	Christmas Tree & lamppost lights de-brief. All agreed that both the tree and lights were well received by the community. Cllr Hammond would prefer more traditional lamppost lights. – Actioned to have a look at possible alternatives. It was decided by the committee that no tree is not an option. Cllr Woolf to obtain quotes for the Tree. PHS the usual supplier offer an early-bird discount. Will contact plantscape to find out if they offer another solar option to the lamppost trees.
05.19	Dates for proposed 2021 Events. Covid -19 decision to be made on all. Easter Sunday 4th or 11th April - Cancel Funday Sunday May 2nd - Cancel Open Air Theatre Sunday 25th July (paid in full) - to wait until the governments announcement on 22 nd Feb to see if 2021 will be financially



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	<p>viable. Clerk to discuss with Folksy Theatre possibility of postponing to 2022.</p> <p>Music Festival 18th September - Cancel</p> <p>Halloween Saturday 30th October - Cancel</p> <p>Christmas Tree Event Sunday 5th December. – Order tree & lights. May go ahead as 2020, or if allowed a small event only as 2019.</p> <p>All decisions agreed in full.</p>
06.21	<p>Review Budget for 2021</p> <p>Agreed that only Christmas needs to be budgeted for. Possibility of the theatre needs to be considered.</p>
7.21	<p>Virtual fundraising</p> <p>Cllr Hammond mentions online quizzes & escape rooms. Cllr Burton states that this wouldn't be something he would wish to participate in outside of his family zoom meetings.</p> <p>Mrs Ride mentions virtual competitions, in place of the events. For instance an Easter colouring competition, pictures submitted on line, a prize posted out. – Agreed that was a good idea to keep the council visible.</p> <p>Committee agreed to hold small competitions.</p>
08.21	<p>Items for the next agenda.</p> <p>Cllr Hammond would like to hold a Table Tennis Day event on 6th April if restrictions allow. Also a pickleball exhibition on 10th October.</p> <p>Budget to be considered.</p> <p>Christmas tree Quotes</p> <p>Christmas Lamppost decorations.</p>
09.21	<p>Date of Next Events Committee Meeting</p> <p>3pm 18th March.</p>
	Meeting Close.