

Minutes of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee Meeting held at the Village Hall 11am Monday 25th April 2022.

Present: Colin Wilkins (CW) Chairman, Sue Hayes (SH), Mike Hillier (MH), Dave Mileham (DM), Mel Mileham (MM), Annalise Cowley (AC) Zara Beedon (ZB) Charlie Beedon (CB)

Current Volunteers: Wavell Urry (WU), Anthony Pickhaver (AP), David Green (DG), Paul Sams (PS), John French (JF), Martin Jones (MJ), Orla Jones (OJ) Becky Brown (BB).

- 1.) The Maypole has been painted where areas were worn / damaged. A new Union Jack flag is being ordered and charged to the Jubilee Committee funds. (DM, MH, PS).
- 2.) Arrangements for power and VH sound equipment on the VG. SH has spoken to JF and he is happy to help with the set up. The band are communicating with MJ about the requirements to play other music during their rest periods. We already have a CD for maypole dancing music and the chosen tracks will be adapted to fit the band's equipment.
The committee would also like to use the VH sound equipment to continue after the band have finished. (MJ arranging)
- 3.) Marquees and chairs as previously discussed. SH has the 'village bunting'. Committee and volunteers to decorate the centre of the village, 1pm 1st June. Residents are also encouraged to decorate their own property. A Risk Assessment will be needed.
- 4.) Sarah Cox has taken over the responsibility for Across Exmoor magazine and further details of the event will be in the May edition.
- 5.) Posters detailing the event are being produced and will be placed around the village. Committee and Volunteers.
- 6.) A board with a timetable of events will be positioned by the war memorial. DM
- 7.) Most families with children in the village have been contacted explaining the concept of 'The River of Hope' with the wish that many children will take part. The Youth Club have also been contacted to see if they would be interested. Adults are encouraged to take part and information and paper will be available at the village coffee mornings (or use your own materials). DM
- 8.) There will be a duck race at 5pm and all proceeds will be divided amongst the winners. Ducks will be on sale before the event. SH and volunteers.
- 9.) BB has volunteered to make the Community 'centrepiece cake'.
- 10.) Display of photos and memories of previous Queen's celebrations AC, MM
- 11.) Community photo of all Residents attending, time to be confirmed. AP
- 12.) WU is arranging a classic vehicle exhibition of 12 cars, 2 tractors and 3 motorbikes
- 13.) It is hoped that the invitations will be available by 28th April at the Annual Assembly and the remainder distributed shortly after that.
- 14.) The trees from the Parish Council have been accepted by the Recreation Association and have been planted by Chris How.

Date of next meeting: Monday 9th May 11am Village Hall.

