



Heybridge Parish Council

Minutes of the meeting of the **EVENTS COMMITTEE** of the Parish Council held on **THURSDAY 9th March 2017** at Plantation Hall, Colchester Road, Heybridge.

	PRESENT
Chairman:	Gary Young
Councillors:	Simon Burwood, Richard Perry, Lew Schnurr,
Non-voting Members:	Keith Pitt as a non-voting member.
Officers:	Amanda Hilton – Assistant
Public:	None

In the Chair: Cllr Gary Young

The meeting commenced at 7.30pm.

- 16/497** **Apologies for absence**
Apologies were received from Cllr Michael Edwards and Cllr Ashley Jones.
- 16/498** **Chairman's Announcements**
The Chairman announced that the Vintage Dance held on Saturday 25th February was a huge success with 75 people attending with £342 raised for the Charity of the Year.
- 16/499** **Minutes**
The minutes of the Events Committee meeting held on Thursday 12th January 2017 were received. It was noted Minute No. 16/435 should be amended to reflect the correct date for the Winter Talk being held on the 19th March 2017.
- It was **RESOLVED** that the amended minutes of the Events Committee meeting held on 9th February 2017 be approved and confirmed as amended.
- 16/500** **Declarations of Discloseable Pecuniary Interests, Other Registerable Pecuniary Interests, Registerable Non-Pecuniary Interests.**
None

16/501 Public Participation

None

16/502 Community Festival – July 30th 2017

The Action Plan was reviewed and updated.

16/503 Other Events

i)Meet Your Councillors – 9th April 2017

Cllr Young reminded members of the date and time and asked those that can attend to email the office.

ii)Combined Rotary and Council bingo and fish ‘n’ chips- 29th April 2017

The Action Plan was reviewed and Cllr Young updated members following the Sub Committee meeting held on Tuesday 7th March 2017.

iii)Barge Talk-19th March 2017

Cllr Young asked members to consider a donation to the Thames Sailing Barge Trust and the Chelmer Canal Trust. It was **RESOLVED** to donate £25.00 to each Trust.

iv)Chelmer Canal Trust -TBC

Cllr Young is still waiting for a date to be confirmed.

v)Vintage Dance -TBC

Following the success of the dance held on Saturday 25th February 2017 members discussed the possibility of holding another dance this year. Cllr Young agreed to speak to Cactus Productions with a view to booking late October early November.

16/504 Events Budget

It was noted that there was no report to refer to.

16/505 Future Meetings

The next Parish Council Meeting will be held on Thursday 16th March 2017 at 7.00pm.

The next meeting of the Planning Committee will be held on Thursday 6th April 2017 at 7.00pm.

The next meeting of the Events Committee will be held on Thursday 13th April 2017 at 7.30pm.

The next meeting of the Environment and Resources Committee will be held on Thursday 23rd March 2017 at 7.00pm.

The Chairman closed the meeting at 8.25pm

Signed by Chairman
DATED: