

## Report of Centenary End of Great War Working Group Meeting No 5 Tuesday 5 June 2018 at 7 pm The Bann View Committee Room

Present Members: Councillors Knight-McQuillan (Chair) and Quigley

RBL Reps: B Mills, S McClements, J McCurdy, M McLaughlin, J Tait, R Galbraith

Officers: M Quinn, Director of Corporate Services

NO.		ACTIONS
1.	WORKING GROUP MEMBERSHIP	
	The Working Group were advised that Councillor Clarke was no longer a member of the working group. The Working Group agreed Councillor Knight-McQuillan as chair.	DSM
2	APOLOGIES	
	Alderman Hillis, Councillor McCandless and G Kane	DSM
3.	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	
	Nil.	
4.	NOTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING HELD 1 May 2018	
	The Notes of previous meeting were circulated to Council.	
5.	UPDATE EVENTS GUIDE	
	Ballycastle RBL	
	RBL concert in Ballycastle Holy Trinity Church, Friday 22 June 2018. James McCurdy advised that plans for the event were going very well, still some	

NO.		ACTIONS
	<ul> <li>tickets available but seating is limited. Event commences 7:30 pm. There would be two 45 minute sessions. Light supper served afterwards. VIPs invited included Lord Lieutenants and Chief Executive. Six tickets allocated for Council representation. Other organisation also invited.</li> <li>J McCurdy requested contact details for Cadet Forces – Youth Side. Councillor Knight-McQuillan agreed to provide details to James regarding contact details for cadet forces.</li> <li>In terms of running order for Beacon lighting, James to confirm details with Minister as soon as available and forward on.</li> <li>James also liaising with Bushmills group re Exhibition, and requested availability for council facilities at Portnagree House in the event of the Presbyterian Church not being available (for the exhibition)</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Ballymoney RBL</li> <li>Ballymoney Town Hall – Concert Featuring the Royal Irish Regiment Bands. S McClements advised that the date was likely to be 20 October, although still to be confirmed.</li> <li>Ballymoney Town Hall - Centenary Dinner. S McClements advised that the date for the dinner had been changed to Friday 9 November to Friday 2 November. Arrive 7 pm for 7.30 pm.</li> <li>Townhead Street car park closed off military vehicles on Saturday 10 November.</li> </ul>	
	Flowerbeds - J Tate confirmed that flowerbeds were in hand for war memorial. Design to be brought back. Arrange press coverage when flowerbeds finished.	

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	War Memorial Boards are currently at Green Lane Museum. Orange Heritage Centre have requested use. If Orange Heritage Centre are not using, Limavady RBL would like to use. Consult with Helen Perry.  All	
	<ul> <li>Dates for site visits regarding the beacons in each area to be arranged along with a contact point from Council Estates Department.</li> <li>The WG discussed the running order for beacon lighting. Ballycastle to be confirmed.</li> <li>Invoices in relation to the event to be sent through to Council. Code has been set up for same.</li> <li>If Members of the WG were aware of any other legions doing anything to mark the centenary, it would be helpful to know the details. Contact Councillor Knight-Quillan with details.</li> <li>There is a Culture Arts and Leisure Grant available of up to £1,000</li> <li>J Tate confirmed she was secretary of Group 10.</li> </ul>	
6.	DATE OF NEXT MEETING	
	Thursday 4 September at 7 pm. Venue to be confirmed.	All

This being all the business the meeting closed 7.50pm.