

**WILLITON WAR MEMORIAL RECREATION GROUND &
WILLITON PARISHCOUNCIL**

**Minutes of the Events sub-committee held on Wednesday 8 January 2025
At 7.00pm in the Quantock Room, Williton Pavilion**

Attendees:

Councillors: Payne, Aldridge
Other: Mrs Elizabeth Payne, Mrs L Greenway

Apologies:

Councillors:
Clerk: Mrs M Francis
Other: Ms Lin Barlow, Mr Guy Morgan

- 24/110C Election of Chairman:** In the absence of a Chairman, Cllr Payne was agreed to chair this meeting and in the absence of the Clerk, Mrs Elizabeth Payne agreed to take the minutes.
- 24/111C Apologies:** As noted above.
- 24/112C Approval of the minutes of the last meeting held on 4 December - Approved**
- 24/113C Correspondence:** None
- 24/114C Christmas Events (WPC)**
24/114.1C Children's Party: this was cancelled due to Storm Darragh.
24/114.2C Christmas Trees: Volunteers attached the lights and the Fire Brigade erected them. The large tree on Bellamy's Corner was not erected due to a) transport difficulties and b) Storm Darragh. Need to think about this coming Christmas in good time.
Not all businesses had a tree, and some shops ere empty, maybe the Parish Council pay for the tree and the stores just pay for the electricity where needed. According to the . minutes the trees were £11.00 plus VAT
The Fire Brigade took the trees down, they were then taken to be shredded.
24/114.3C Christmas Window Competition: First: NFU, Second: Gliddons and Third: The Carpet Shop.
- 24/115C Mother's Day 30th March & Father's Day 15 June (WWMR):** Due the lack of numbers present, this was only briefly discussed with the suggestion that a cream tea might be a better option for the March event.
- 24/116C VE Day 8 May 2025 (WPC)** Not discussed
- 24/117C Fete Saturday 5 June 2025:** Not discussed in detail as too few people present. A suggestion was if the Fete could not be organised the Flower, Produce and Craft Show could be as a standalone event.
- 24/118C Film Club 22 Feb:** Liz Parker had sent some suggestions re Films, but as she was not present it was not easy to make decisions. A preference was expressed for Paddington 2 as it would be at the end of Half Term. Second Choice as 'One Life'. **If Liz decided to go ahead some**
- 24/119C Communication:** Without Williton Window there are problems with letting the Village know what is happening. It was suggested that a simple Newsletter could be circulated to those on the list of Volunteers or even more widely.
- 24/120C Date of next Meeting:** Wednesday 12 February 2025. The meeting Closed at 7.40pm