

Colne Business Improvement District



Tuesday 31st October 2023, 5:30pm

VENUE: Tubbs of Colne

AGENDA & MEETING NOTES

Item	Notes
<p>1. Welcome, introduction, apologies.</p> <p>2. Board Member updates /Changes</p>	<p>Attended by Aneesa McGladdery (AMc), Sally-Ann McKno (SMc), Mark Bateman (MB), Ryan Gifford (RG), Jane Turner (JT), Joanne Greenwood (JG), Lily Hope (LH), Ash Sutcliffe (AS), Aaron Tunbridge (AT), Cllr Sarah Cockburn- Price (SCP),</p> <p>Guests/Volunteers: Christina Cope (CC)</p> <p>Apologies: Karen Arciniega (KA),Shahed Hassan (SH), Lily Hope (LH), Fiona Wright (FW), Jo'Anne Greenwood (JG)</p>
<p>3. Grant and Funding Updates</p>	<p>Arts Council</p> <p>Community Fund via Lottery</p> <p>Asda community</p> <p>Local Giving</p> <p>Colne Area Committee</p>
<p>4. Billing/BID Levy Debtors</p>	<p>AMc gave a verbal update on billing and debtors and the new operating agreement.</p>

5. Promote

Soapbox rally: update on sponsors given. Road closure applied.

Light Festival – update given of the grants. AMc told the board about the light up the north network and the Lightpool Conference. Verbal update given on these items.

Website: SCP said it would be good to have QR codes to the map and promote the website. Look at sponsored posts to push the map out.

Stop n Shop - no update on this.

Christmas: crafts and activities booked in, board to think of new activities for it.

6. Pride

Fresh Lick of Paint: no update

Vacant premises: Barclays, together housing - Regus, Ivy Palace, Sweet Craze.

Car Parks: SCP tour of car parks on Thursday 2nd November. Looking at all the town centre car parks - poor sense of arrival, poor lighting, ridden with litter and bad signage to get to them and with the discs. EV charging - SCP gave a verbal update as these are still in negotiations.

Big Colne Clean Up: AMc and CC will do a midweek pick up.

Roundabouts: no update

Bollards: AMc has asked Elisha House to carry on.

Gumdrops: Go with 10 bins for the year.

Muni: windows have been replaced with something that isn't CA friendly. AMc to write to SCP.

Heritage Action Zone: AMc has asked if this is something the BID can pick up? SCP advised that this needs to form part of the masterplan and to arrange a meeting with PBC (Ifty) and when is the masterplan going to be ready. Look for funding to support this too.

<p>7. Partnership</p>	<p>Brews with the BID: Morning session add on a workshop - social bitesize session.</p> <p>Pendle Business Week: no review with PBC as yet. AMc to engage with Deborah to do a feedback session.</p>
<p>8. Protect</p>	<p>ASB: AMC presenting POP award to Kai on Thursday 2nd November. New date to be set before Christmas.</p> <p>OP Centurion: AS advised the board that Lancs has received extra funding for the police to patrol the area. Going to hot spot areas for ASB and they will patrol the area. They are also working with CYAG and visiting the centre liaising with YP.</p> <p>CCTV: AMc gave a verbal update, CCTV is back on but not being managed by Blackburn just yet. CTC will keep the BID updated.</p> <p>CYAG: SCP gave a verbal update on this.</p> <p>CAND: AMc has been babysitting the group and has handed the leading of the group to Duke of Lancaster. BID will remain part of the group and admin on their behalf.</p>
<p>9. AOB:</p>	<p>BSIP: AS gave a verbal update of the meeting.</p> <p>CC advised that having read the report from the Soapbox rally, the 'where di you hear about us' question showd us how important our social media is, as this was where people had mainly heard about the event. The board also discussed posters.</p> <p>AS for Christmas, a gift for the non interacting bid levy payers - piece of Christmas cake?</p> <p>Date of next meeting: Tuesday 28th November at 5:30pm.</p>