

SANDBACH PARTNERSHIP MANAGEMENT TEAM

DATE: 4th September 2018

DURATION: 5.30 pm to 7.00 pm

VENUE: SANDBACH ENTERPRISE CENTRE

ATTENDANCE: Dot Flint - Chair (DF); Mike Benson (MB); Craig Bayley (CB); Barry Moran (BM) Sue Brereton (SB) Sue Wood (SW),.



Item	Agenda Item/Discussion	Action/Comment
1	Apologies	Gill Merry
2	Previous Minutes Matters Arising	Accepted None
3	Financial Report SB reported that the current balance was £48,567, which includes £19,000 grant for the Paths project.	
4.	<p>Items for Discussion</p> <p><u>Electricity supply on the Cobbles</u></p> <p>Unfortunately, a Sandbach Street Traders has been using the electric socket on the Cenotaph, this supply is for community use only and is not for commercial use.</p> <p>The trader was asked to provide a generator for her business as all the other traders do.</p> <p>The Partnership received online abuse from the trader, the matter is now in the hands of CEC licensing.</p> <p><u>Alsager Partnership</u></p> <p>DF requested that the Partnership loaned Alsager Partnership £500 to pay their contribution to the Foot Path Project until the next financial year 2019.</p> <p><u>Sandbach Connected Communities Centre</u></p> <p>Unfortunately, due to the lack of CEC officers Sandbach has not got a Connected Communities Centre. DF and BM have a meeting with Dan Coin and Julie Walker on 7th September it is hoped that the project will be taken forward.</p> <p><u>Office Redecoration</u></p> <p>DF informed the group that the office will be painted week commencing 10th September. Groups will be asked to provide photos to display around the office.</p>	All agreed to the short-term loan

	<p><u>Paths Project</u></p> <p>DF reported that the new path has been finished and the benches have been installed the new piece of gym equipment has been ordered and will be installed at the end of October. Five trees have been removed as expected, replacement trees will be planted in October.</p> <p>The striders are working with ANSA to establish a junior park run.</p> <p>DF proposed Saturday 6th October 11am for the opening event and will be looking for young people to be involved with possibly a dedicated park run.</p> <p>The park has been awarded Green Flag status for 2019 and hopefully the flag can be raised on the opening day for the new path.</p> <p><u>Cycle Racks Update</u></p> <p>DF informed the group that the 2 new cycle racks have been ordered and the contractor will be installing them in the near future.</p> <p><u>Market Square – Tree Replacement</u></p> <p>DF and BM are working with CEC Highways and have a meeting on the 6th September to decide the way forward</p> <p><u>Sandbach a Dementia Friendly Town</u></p> <p>SW reported that she is in the process of setting up a local group of volunteers who are or maybe interested in helping with dementia friendly activities locally.</p> <p>SW will be manning a stand at Sandbach Today to promote the project.</p> <p><u>Communications</u></p> <p>Item deferred to the next meeting</p>	
5.	<p>AOB</p> <p>The date of the AGM will be Thursday 8th November 7pm at Sandbach Enterprise Centre.</p>	
6.	<p>Date of Next Meeting</p>	<p>Thursday 8th November 5.30pm Sandbach Enterprise Centre</p> <p>AGM 7pm</p>