

Liskeard Unlocked 2019

Thursday 4th April, in the Mayor's Parlour at 7pm

Present: Councillors Rachel Brooks (Chair) and Sue Shand. Rebecca Catterall (DCRP), Peter Murnaghan (Catholic Church), John and Julie Gilbert (Methodist Church), Brian Oldham (Museum and Old Cornwall Society), Margaret Hawken (Eventide) and Mandy Hancock

Apologies were received from: Rachel Bennett (Stuart House), Tony Piper (St Martin's Church), Jenny Foster (Liskerrett Centre), Carmen Hunt and Sue Pike

1	Councillor Brooks welcomed everyone to the meeting and used the previous notes to structure the meeting.	
2	Properties	
	Catholic Church – Peter Murnaghan advised that there is a date stone on the door.	
	Constitutional Club – Mandy has contacted them and is still awaiting a reply. Their initial response had been that they usually try to tie in with St Matthew's Fair. Mandy will chase them.	MH
	Cornish Times – nothing more to add from last time.	
	Eventide – Brian Oldham gave Margaret Hawken information on Eventide, including the original plans for the building. John Gilbert also had information which he can pass to Margaret.	JG
	Greenbank Church – Mandy has contact them and is awaiting a reply. Peter Murnaghan has a contact and will speak to them.	PM
	Greenbank House, (2 Greenbank Lane) – Brian Oldham is liaising with the owners. The property is Henry Rice's house and has an inscribed stone.	BO
	Greenbank Villa (3 Greenbank Lane) – Brian Oldham is liaising with the owners. (possibly adding Policeman's area)	BO
	Liskerrett Centre – The Liskerrett Centre are preparing an exhibition showing the establishment of the Centre.	JF
	Masonic Hall – Mandy will contact Brian Smith to check the outcome of their Committee meeting.	MH
	Methodist Church – This could involve Manna and the community groups involved in the Church. Brian Oldham will pass the temperance puppets currently at the Museum to John Gilbert, these could form part of a feature on the Temperance Society and the Hotel's rebuilding after a fire.	BO

	Pendean– Will open on the Saturday this year.	
	Pipewell – no further information	
	Policeman’s Cottage, Greenbank Lane – Brian Oldham advised that this will not be part of the event. Although Greenbank Villa at No. 3 does have former Policeman’s offices and cells so there could be a display there.	BO
	Public Hall – nothing more to add	
	Railway – It was thought that the signal box would not be for this year’s event. Possibly next year when it was no longer in use. Platform 3 has received funding from GWR for a Heritage Centre. Rebecca Catterall said that John and Dave Watts were willing volunteers. There were 3 rooms and the Ticket Office could be made available. Photo displays and films could be shown. Sue Shand will look into lending the portable TV screens from the Liskerrett Centre.	SS
	St Martin’s Church – nothing further to add.	
	Stuart House – Rachel Bennett is working on photos. Anyone who will have exhibition display boards that will be moved to Stuart House needs to let Rachel Bennett know their size and when she can expect them to arrive.	All to note
	Tregantle, Barn Street – nothing further to add.	
	Trewithan House – will open on Saturday.	
	Lanchard Cemetery - It was thought that the Cemetery might be an addition in the future, but it is currently fenced off. There is a booklet listing the graves at the Museum.	
3	Other Events	
	Children’s Strike Play – Rachel Brooks has spoken to Nina and Jack Morrison from FEAST who has encouraged an application for funding. Rachel has drafted a submission. It is hoped to film at least one of the performances of the promenade play. Brian Oldham has spoken to Iain Rowe who is happy for his item on the Children’s strike being used.	RBr
	Brian’s Walk - Brian’s walk around town will focus on the traders in the town, the rope makers, watercress sellers.	
	Geology walk – Brian Oldham had been to Echo Centre to see Callum without success. No reply had been received to his 16 th	

	March email. He will chase it.	BO
	Old Cornwall Society Talk – all OK	
	Railway walk – Peter Murnaghan will further investigate the route. It was decided to do the walk on Saturday 21 st as part of the event. There will be 2 coach train working and it was thought would work ok as the timings wouldn't really clash with Looe Live visitors.	PM
	WI – Brian Oldham had an email confirming that the WI did not do the Country Market. He has the board and historic photos which John Gilbert said could be displayed a the Methodist Church.	BO / JG
4	Other Things	
	Liskeard Bun- The Old Sawmill Bakers have confirmed to Sue Pike that they can supply buns.	
	Recording at Venues – Brian Oldham advised that Jenny Jones is happy to do this. Brian will pass her contact details to Mandy and he will ask her to the next meeting.	BO
	Registration – Mandy has sent the Registration Forms to everyone and received one back. She will get them online asap on return from leave. To receive full promotional support from HOD they need to be registered by 1 st May. The final deadline is 1 st August	
	Publicity – Rachel Brooks will take to C & E in May figures to order 2000 A5 flyers and 100 A4 posters. Flyers will be given to each property taken part to give out on the day. Rebecca Catterall will arrange to display railway posters again, she needs this by the end of July and be Double royal size with logos show. Rebecca will also promote the event on social media Organisations participating will be asked to share the event and it will feature in the Autumn edition of the Lyskerrys magazine. It was decided not to hold a Family Trail this time due to lack of participation previously. Mandy will ask Vicky at the TIC if she can find out how many people accessed the event via the website.	RBr MH
5	Next Meeting	
	The next meeting was arranged for 9 th May at 7pm in the Mayor's Parlour.	