## Nadelik Lyskerrys 2025

## Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2025 at 2pm Liskerrett Community Centre, Varley Lane, Liskeard

Attendees: Councillor Rachel Brooks (in the chair), Ed Hart (Library), Lizzy Caddy (Museum) and Sally Hawken (Liskerrett Centre) and Mandy Hancock (Town Council)

Nadelik Lyskerrys, Cornish Christmas – **Saturday 29**<sup>th</sup> **November 2025** 

| 1 | Welcome and Apologies  |         |
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|   | Rachel welcomed everyone to the meeting.   |         |
|   | Apologies were received from Councillor Tracy Adams, Jenny<br>Chester (Stuart House) and Iga Webb (Museum). Mike Allsopp<br>(Liskeard and Looe Radio) subsequent to the meeting.                                   |         |
| 2 | Schools and Community Involvement  |         |
|   | Schools - Sally has received positive feedback from 7 schools and expects they will participate plus Hillfort and Liskeard School & Community College. She will contact community groups at a later                | SH      |
|   | stage. Sally will pass details of the schools to Rachel for the Cornish language workshops to be planned.  | SH/RB   |
| 3 | Lights Up Event  |         |
|   | PA system – Rachel advised that the Communications & Engagement Committee had approved renting staging, lighting and sound equipment at its last meeting. The Facilities Manager has sought quotes.                | JO      |
|   | Stewards – Power Runs will help again this year. We will let them have briefing info etc when arranged. The Harriers haven't replied yet. Sally will chase the cadets.   | SH      |
|   | Food – Sally will ask Dan about the electricity supply at the Canopy and ask him to approach providers that can be positioned at the Canopy and on Barras Street.  | SH / DS |
|   | Choirs – Sally has spoken to the Community Choir who would like to perform again before the tree lights are switched on. They also offered a small group who could possibly perform at the Museum                  | SH      |
|   | before the event if space allows with some rooms being closed during the time. Lizzie will speak to Iga. The Library also offered to host the Choir who wouldn't need to have microphones there. Performing at the | LC / IW |
|   | Canopy will also be investigated. Mandy will book the date and advise that we are awaiting a response from the Museum and would be interested in possibly expanding the event over venues.                         | МН      |
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|   | Christmas Tree Switch On – Rachel advised that Bogdan, the Mayor of Kopychyntsi, could be visiting and he could switch on the lights. If not, the team will keep thinking of who could do it.  Theme – the theme is still being considered.  Fire Brigade – once Sally has a response from Rainbow Circus about live fire we will consider inviting the Fire Brigade to take part.  |                |
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|   | First Aid – Mandy will ask St John Ambulance for a quote for a pair of first aiders and cadets. They will also be invited to attend the event planning meetings. The Library will have first aid trained staff on duty too.   | МН             |
| 4 | Other Christmas Events  |                |
|   | Rainbow Circus – have submitted a proposal to Sally which includes a workshop and stilt walkers. Sally will speak to them and confirm the details of where and when they would be available during the day and that the workshop will be free for participants and where/when it would be held. The plan would be to have them during the Family Trail in the morning, entertaining people before or after the lantern parade and taking part in the lantern parade. She would also confirm if their insurance covered them for all their activities, including live flames. Mandy will check if the Public Hall is booked for the day and book it out if not. Mandy will check the date for the road closure submission. | SH<br>MH<br>MH |
|   | Roustabouts – once Rainbow Circus are confirmed Mandy will let the Roustabouts know we don't need to book them.   | МН             |
|   | Family Trail – this will be discussed at the September meeting.<br>Community Treaure Chest, Rod and Stuart House will be asked to attend.   |                |
|   | Native Makers Christmas event it will be confirmed by the September meeting if this is happening. Consideration of the location of the cakey tea would take place too.  |                |
| 5 | Budget  |                |
|   | Sally has contacted 5 Parish Councils for grants and received forms to complete or confirmation that it will be put to the Council.   | SH             |
|   | Fireworks – Tracy had sent information that the Traders have raised just under half of the funds for the fireworks.   | ТА             |
| 6 | Publicity   |                |
|   | Mandy will create a publicity schedule for the next meeting with the aim of receiving the event flyers back by 27 <sup>th</sup> October, ready for half   | МН             |

|   | term. A Communications Plan and Social Media Plan will also be brought.  The Tourist Information Centre are looking at the history of Lights Up for publicity.   |    |
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| 7 | Next Meetings  Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> August, 2pm at Liskerrett Centre. Nearer the meeting, if necessary, Sally will give us the route to take to avoid the road closure  Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September, 2pm at Liskerrett Centre | SH |