

# Tourism & Events Working Group – Report

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## Report of meeting July 22<sup>nd</sup> 2010

Present: Cllrs Sue Toft-Hunt, Cheryl Stamper, Peter Robinson, Alan Myers, Stephen Worth, Deputy Clerk / TIO Manager Liz Dowell; MS Centre – Mark Dewey

### Events – Fun in the Park

Budget £750

Timing : 2 – 6pm

Date : August 28<sup>th</sup>

Already booked:

- Balloon modeller
- Inflatable assault course and the paintball target shooting,
- 2 small roundabouts
- Rowan Tree Farm will provide burgers etc and cold drinks
- Welly Whanging to be run by Macmillan confirmed
- WPC stalls: Ball in the bucket; Candy Floss; Coconut Shy; Feed the Monkey; Milk the Cow; Hook the Boat; Football; Splat the Rat; Hoopla; Treasure map;
- Hire costs for WPC stalls £55
- MS-Centre cake stall and hot drinks, Tombola
- St Annes: Tug of War and Face Painter, and 1 further stall - Mike Spain to report
- Landlord of King & Queen pub will provide a beer tent.
- Music – Nightsound disco – no Karaoke
- Ice Cream
- Toilets
- Mix 96 will attend with promotions team.

Items discussed:

- Donation collection buckets will be restricted to stalls.
- The RAF have confirmed that they cannot support the event. Need to ask Cllrs to commit to support the event by 28<sup>th</sup> July.
- MS-Centre may be able to provide more support

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- HS2 have requested stall, they must provide activities eg by taking on one of the WPC stalls. Alan Myers to ask them
- Charities that run a WPC stall will get the profit after deduction of costs.
- Site plans needed – STH will draw as per discussion
- Liz has completed forms, insurances and risk assessment for Police and services.

### **Recommendations to Amenities Committee:**

1. Appoint chair of WG and confirm new membership
2. Charities that run a WPC stall at fun in the park will get the profit after deduction of costs.
3. Set up a ceremony to unveil the War Memorial plaques. Target mid-late Sept
4. The TIO may list and book the Inspected B&B properties, and may also offer a list of properties that have not been inspected
5. TIO manager to identify stock that can be sold in local shops and/or offered as prizes at the Fun in the Park.
6. Summer Charity market to be amalgamated in 2011 with the Fun in the Park event

**Date of next WG meeting:** Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> August, 10:30am at Dobbins Lane.