

Minutes of the meeting for Montgomery Tourism Committee held on 16th September 2020 this was a Virtual meeting via Zoom.

Present: Cllr's H Andrew, L Weaver, J Kibble,

MINUTE 26 – T/20 APOLOGIES

Cllr C Weston - Hospital

MINUTE 27 – T/20 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None

MINUTE 28 – T/20 MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

Minutes of 7th July 2020 agreed but not signed due to meeting taking place virtually.

MINUTE 29 – T/20 MATTERS ARISING

1. Notice regarding pathway to Castle from Arthur Street has not been completed
2. Castle Grounds will be closed at 4.00 pm from October
3. Planned event by Taste Montgomery did not go ahead
4. Walking Festival has been cancelled

MINUTE 30 – T/20 DESTINATION MONTGOMERY

1. Development Officer had provided a report as she was not able to join the meeting through illness
2. Postcards are now available in shops in Montgomery

MINUTE 31 – T/20 NEWS TEAM

No updates

MINUTE 32 – T/20 Tourist Information Area

- Christmas Festival Committee would like to remove old fairy lights on the tree at the junction of Arthur Street and Princes Street and replace them with new lights. Cllr Kibble will speak to Powys CC to request permission.

MINUTE 33 – T/20 Hungarian Connection

- Cllr Kibble advised Magyar Cymru were doing a promotion on Building Bridges. Cllr Kibble has arranged for local residents to make a short five - minute video of the town and residents for the group which will be shown in Hungary. This project does not involve any costs.

MINUTE 34 – T/20 Promotional Material

- Cllr Kibble would like this committee to review the Town Leaflet and consider any changes or additions. Cllr Kibble will speak to Mr Williams regarding a new design.

MINUTE 35 – T/20 Budget-Precept

- Expenditure was reviewed so far this year.
- Cllr Kibble advised this group would be looking at the same budget 21/22
- Destination Montgomery was winding down but a further application for funding to keep a Development Officer was being sought.

MINUTE 36 – T/20 Date of Next Meeting

Wednesday 7th October 1.30 pm via ZOOM.