

NEWBIGGIN-BY-THE-SEA TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of a Meeting of the Grant Committee held on Thursday 16th August 2018 at 12.00 noon at The Council Offices Newbiggin by-the-Sea

PRESENT: Councillors: L Burns (Chairperson) M Boon, M Cholerton
Officers: E Brown – Deputy Town Clerk

GC18/008 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING HELD 13 JULY 2018

GC18/009 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS – None.

GC18/010 EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

RESOLVED: That under Section 100A (4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items on the Agenda as they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraphs 1 and 3 of Part I of Schedule 12A of the 1972 Act relating to personal financial and business affairs.

GC18/011 APPLICATIONS FOR GRANT

RESOLVED that:

- (i) A grant contribution of £300.00 was agreed towards funding the competition costs that will see 4 of Newbiggin Bowls Club representing the Club and the town at a national level.
- (ii) A grant contribution of £150.00 was agreed towards supporting Northumberland Age UK
- (iii) A grant of £300.00 was agreed towards extending the display period of the Newbiggin Genealogy Project Coal Mining Families Exhibition which would be moved to the Community Acts Centre.
- (iv) Members did not support a grant request to Crohns and Colitis UK in their application for funds to hold a fundraising event in Durham.
- (v) A large grant application had been received from MUMC Newcastle requesting £2000 towards hosting and prizes for a golf tournament to be held at Newbiggin Golf Course on 23rd August. On explaining that the large grants could only be determined by the Full Council the applicant asked if the application could be considered for a small grant of up to £300. Members did not support this application noting that it had no benefit to the residents of Newbiggin by the Sea.

Signed by the Chairperson: Date: