

The next meeting of BEDALE TOWN COUNCIL IS on MONDAY 11th September 2017 at **7:00 p.m.** in the **Drawing Room** of **Bedale Hall**.

Charlie Hart

Town Clerk

AGENDA

1. **To receive and note apologies for absence**
2. To receive '**Declarations of Interest**' in items on the agenda
3. To approve the **minutes** of the meeting held on the 14th August 2017.
4. **Police Matters**
 - a) Report from Police representative
5. **Co-option** – to co-opt a new Councillor and to accept a signed declaration of acceptance of office.
6. **To appoint as necessary members to represent the Council on outside bodies**
 - a) Bedale, Aiskew, Leeming Bar and Burrill Joint Burial Board
 - b) Bedale Hall Management Committee
 - c) Bedale Hall Charitable Incorporated Organisation
 - d) Bedale and Villages Community Forum
7. **Market**
 - a) **Regulations** – To review and approve the Market Regulations and Market Disciplinary Policy
 - b) **Autumn Event Free Market** – to consider a proposal to **waive market rents** and suspend the '**non-duplicate stalls**' restriction (regulation 3) on Tuesday 24th October 2017 to support an Autumn themed event in the town.
 - c) **Christmas Festival Free Market** – to consider hosting an Event Market on Saturday 2nd December 2017 as a part of the Bedale Christmas Festival to be located on the cobbles where the Tuesday market is held.
 - d) Christmas Festival – to consider permitting the use of Bedale Park for additional parking for the Bedale Christmas Festival and for Festive pony rides around the park.
8. **Administration** – to approve the purchase of a small vacuum cleaner for the office at a cost of around £50 .

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9. **Social Media** – To consider the proposed Social Media policy as formulated by the Communications Committee.
10. **Bridge Street Toilets** – to consider whether a controlled entry system should be installed to the external toilet doors as a part of the upcoming refurbishment of the toilets.
11. **Bedale Park Play Area** – to consider options for improving the play area
12. **Updates**
 - a) Footpath to Masham Road
 - b) Bedale Hall Lease
 - c) Vacancy
13. **Reports of previous month's meetings etc.** - to hear from Town/District/County Councillors on any meetings attended or other information of interest to the Town Council
14. **Correspondence** (background papers provided)
15. **Planning** (background papers provided)
16. **Finance**
 - a) Receipts & payments
 - b) Budget update

Members of the Public are invited to attend and may speak at the discretion of the Chairman

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