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Minutes of Mirfield Town Council Armistice Committee Meeting

Held on: Wednesday 1st April 2026 at 7.00pm

Held at: Trinity Methodist Church, 4 Trinity Street, Mirfield, WF14 8AD.

In Attendance

Clerk: L Staggs
Councillors: J Roberts, M Connell, S Naisbett, S Guy, P Tolson
Members: M Connell, J Roberts, P Doubell, S Doubell, B Clough, D Cross, D Horrobin, S Naisbett, S Guy, P Tolson
Public: M Walker, M Bee

MAC79/2025

Chairman's Welcome and Remarks:

Cllr Connell welcomed members to the meeting and members of the public

MAC80/2025

Apologies for absence:

1. To receive apologies – B Stephenson, T Carter & R Conley sent apologies it was resolved to accept the apologies
2. To approve reasons for absence – It was resolved to accept the reasons for absence

Members are reminded that apologies **MUST** be sent to the Chairman if they are unable to attend.

MAC81/2025

Declaration of Interest:

To receive any declarations of interest to any item on the agenda including any pecuniary interests whether they have been declared under the Council's Code of Conduct or Members Register of Pecuniary Interests – **None to declare.**

For members to declare if they have been lobbied on any matters on the agenda

MAC82/2025

Confirmation of Minutes:

To approve the minutes of Mirfield Town Council Armistice Committee Wednesday 18th March 2026 as a true & correct record. Cllr Naisbett **Proposed** the minutes were a true & correct record Cllr Guy **Seconded Vote: All in favour**

MAC83/2025

Mirfield Remembrance Parade & Other events:

To discuss 2026 Remembrance Parade and agree and actions or costs

1. To discuss 2026 Remembrance Parade and Festival of Remembrance and agree any actions necessary in line with the budget – Cllr Guy reported that he had liaised with Choral Society music director. Clerk confirms she has had a positive response from Crossley Fields and Crowlees. Members discuss possibly asking B Preece to interview veterans. M Walker states that one of his cadets is studying media and may be able to help. B Clough states that there have been other conflicts since end of WW11.
 - **Action: M Walker to ask media student if they will assist**
 - **Action: Contact veterans for interviews**
 - **Action: Invite WYP & WYCA to a future meeting (Previously invited and no response)**

- Clerk reports the cost of the gritters for 2026 is £3934.51 for 2026 parade
2. To discuss 2026/2027 budget allocation and review and consider any actions necessary – Resolved to accept cost of inflatables (reported in last meeting), PA System and First Medical for Family Fun Day and £3934.51 for gritters
 3. To discuss Party in the Park on Saturday May 9th and decide a course of action – Clerk reports the cost of PA System at £325 and cost of First Medical at £520. Cllr Naisbett reports that the Ice Cream van is booked. He is contacting other vendors.
 - **Action: Clerk to authorise PA System, First Medical and Inflatables**
 - **Action: Posters to be uploaded to Website & Facebook**
 - **Action: Cllr Connell to authorise banners and posters**
 - **Action: Cllr Roberts to find out about Vintage vehicles**
 - **Action: P & S Doubell to find out if Stocks are available from Spen Air Cadets**

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Future meeting dates to agree.

To agree the date of the next Mirfield Town Council Armistice meeting Next

Meeting: **Wednesday 15th April 2026 at 7.00pm**

Time Meeting Closed: 7.32pm