## Witney Twinning Association



## Committee Meeting 2nd October 2019 Minutes

- Twinning Anniversary 2020
- Photo Gallery
- Remembrance
- Twin Town Challenge (TTC)
- Unterhaching Phone Box
- Twinning Anniversary 2020
  - Budget / Grant Application
  - Schedule/Events
  - Concert Hall & Grant Application
  - Raffle
  - Promotional Activities

John gave a rough overview of the schedule of the actual anniversary, that he had sent to Brenda for review with the Town Council who in turn will then see what additional events they would like to add and what funds might be available

The schedule will be shared as soon as we can have feedback from Brenda form her meeting with the Town Council. Suggestion during the meetings offering our guests tour of Witney along with the Blanket tour.

Mike will find out about the grant application and any decision the Council will make, According to an email that was received by Mike and John, the decision was due to be made on Monday the 7th. There are going to be 100 tickets for sale.

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Each party, Voice Box, Witney Town Band and the Twinning Association will be in charge to find four raffle prizes. Andy has already said he will offer a prize from his current place of work, the Byron, and speak with the new manager at the Cafe Rouge for a prize.

Felicity shared with everyone the poster and leaflets that she has prepared and has arranged for tickets to be sold at the Tourist Information Centre and Rapture

- Photo Gallery
  - Library Update
  - Woolgate Clock Tower update
  - Photo Collection

Hilary is working on the Library with Chris B and has found out that in the library there is only one window available for external users. Hilary think this will be plenty of space as otherwise too much material will be needed.

John will provide some flags for the display. The Woolgate Centre's Clocktower will be eliminated as John Found out that the cost to rent the space for the day is £200 throughout the week and £300 for a Saturday.

So far no photos have been collected and again a further push will be made to try and collect some, either through social media or connections.

- Remembrance
  - Schedule
  - Guests
  - Membership Dinner

The Twinning Association will host the guests arriving on the Friday with drinks and nibbles on the Friday evening, with a dinner planned on the Saturday to

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which the membership will be invited. John has written to Kate n France ot see how many she thinks would be able to come.

From Germany there will be three people, amongst them will be Bernie, who unfortunately will not be able to stay for the concert on the Sunday.

- Twin Town Challenge (TTC)
  - Update on Participants

There is still some interest, however the race will be self funded with an attempt to raise money to cover some of the cost, however it will not be a Twinning funded car. Mike and Andy are working on a plan.

- Unterhaching Phone Box
  - Update on Mini-Library

Each committee member will have a look through their books at home to see if there are any they can donate. Should not enough books come together John will collect some books at the Christmas Fayre of the King's School where historically they have always had many books on offer.