

STC Market Working Group
Thursday 22nd February at 10 am
At the Courthouse in the small meeting room

Agenda

Present: Abi Brackenbury, Peter Brooker, Penny Rainbow, Karen Roberts, Peter Harris, Lyn Harris (Convenor)

1. **Apologies for absence:** Steve Perry
2. **Matters arising from previous meeting notes not covered by agenda**

Market Square parking restrictions – it was noted that there is a discrepancy between the NCC Highways and Parking Enforcement. NCC state that there should be no parking between Kings Court and the market. However, Parking Enforcement say that a permit costing £300 pa can be applied for.

It was decided to contact the Parking Enforcement board to raise the issue. It was also agreed to ask for the board's minutes and their next meeting agenda.

The Saturday stalls effected by new parking restrictions

It was agreed to offer the pet stall trader a space on the market for his van. (The trader sells from his van).

The other stalls will be advised that from June they will need to park in King's Street car park. STC will provide a parking permit.

3. **Skatepark opening event**

A discussion was held concerning an event to celebrate the opening of the Skatepark.

Skate Nottingham provide packages which will organise the skateboard event which would include training sessions and competitions.

The event will be a joint venture between the Friends of Southwell Parks and the Town Council. It was noted that we do not know how much involvement FOSP wish the Council to have. It was agreed that a meeting be held urgently to discuss this with FOSP which could also include a discussion as to the date of the event. At the moment the prospective date will be Saturday April 20th but if STC need to run the event we will need more lead in time. It was agreed to suggest May 6th Bank Holiday Monday as a more suitable date.

STC will need to do the risk assessments and provide first aid for the event.

Budget

It was proposed and agreed that STC provide a contribution of £750 towards the event and Abi will see if there are any grants which could also help. This recommendation will go to the next Town Environment Committee on March 13th.

4. **AOB** none
5. **Date of the next meeting:** Thursday 11th April 2024 10am