BERWICK-UPON-TWEED TOWN COUNCIL

To: ALL MEMBERS OF THE EVENTS COMMITTEE

You are hereby requested to attend a meeting of the **EVENTS COMMITTEE** to be held in the Ante Room, Town Hall, Marygate, Berwick-Upon-Tweed, on **MONDAY, 23 MAY 2011 at 6 pm**

The Agenda for the meeting is set out below.

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Town Clerk

Tuesday, 17 May 2011

AGENDA

1. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

To elect a Chairman of the Committee for the 2011-12 municipal year.

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence.

3. APPOINTMENT OF VICE CHAIRMAN

To appoint a Vice-Chairman of the Committee for the 2011-12 municipal year.

4. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

To sign as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 7 March 2011.

5. STATEMENTS BY THE PUBLIC

The Chairman to invite members of the public present, to put questions to, or draw relevant matters to the attention of, the Council, prior to commencement of business. This is for a period of 15 minutes overall and is limited to 3 minutes per person.

6. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

To receive from members, in respect of any items included on the agenda for this meeting, disclosure of any personal or prejudicial interests

7. AMENDMENT TO MEMBERSHIP OF COMMITTEE

To consider revising membership of the Committee.

8. BERWICK EVENTS GROUP

To receive a report from Councillor Bettison/Councillor McNeely.

9. EVENTS UMBRELLA INSURANCE

To consider an up-date on the provision of an umbrella insurance policy for events.

10. CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

- (a) To receive an up-date on Christmas lights.
- (b) To consider the request from the Rotary Club for financial assistance to erect and dismantle lights on the New Bridge.

11. EVENTS LEAFLET

To receive a report on the proposed events leaflet.

12. APPLICATIONS FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

To consider the applications for financial assistance. (Attachment A).

13. APPOINTMENTS TO OUTSIDE BODIES

To consider any requests for representation to outside bodies, notified to the Council in advance of the meeting.

14. EVENTS IN 2011/2012

To consider any issues relating to events in 2011/2012, notified to the Council in advance of the meeting; this item to include reference to the proposed visit of the Can-Am Pipes and Drums in August 2012.

15. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Monday, 4 July 2011 at 6 pm in the Ante Room of the Town Hall.

MEMBERS OF THE EVENTS COMMITTEE:

Councillors J Beresford, H Bettison, A Bowlas, I Dixon, P Herdman MBE, M McNeely, A Reid, J Robertson and J Smith