

Liskeard Unlocked 2024 draft

Monday 5th August 2024 at 2.00pm at the Liskerrett Centre

Present: Councillor Rachel Brooks (Chair), Rachel Bennett (Stuart House), Brian Olam (OCS), Leanne Llewellyn (Library), Sally Hawken (Liskerrett Centre), Ann Kinahan (Market Makers). Carmen Hunt (Scoots Kernow) and Mandy Hancock (Liskeard Town Council)

Festival dates Friday 6th – Sunday 15th September, 2024

Theme: Routes, Networks and Connections

1	<p>Welcome and Apologies</p> <p>Rachel Brooks welcomed everyone to the meeting.</p> <p>Apologies were received from Iga Webb (Museum) and Lesley Strong (WHS).</p>	
2	<p>Routes, Networks and Connections Theme</p> <p>A. Twinning with Kopychyntsi in Ukraine</p> <p>Public Hall event on 14th – Rachel Br advised that the event times had had to be changed to make it possible to connect with Kopychyntsi. She had met with Jacqui, David and Carmen at the Hall to discuss logistics for the event.</p> <p>Doors will open at 4.30pm, hopefully a live link with Kopychyntsi will work at 5pm for about 20 minutes. This will include the Liskeard Silver Band along with Melodi Lyskerrys and the choir from St Martin’s Primary School singing the Ukrainian national anthem. After the link up, the Band and choirs will each perform separately for 20 minutes each. At around 6.15pm food will be available to buy followed by Cornish dancing. The bar will be run by the Liskerrett Centre.</p> <p>Free tickets will be available from the Tourist Information Centre. Rachel Br will speak to Vicky about creating these. The capacity is 126 with the food available at the back of the Hall. It is hoped that an open rehearsal can be arranged in September with Melodi Lyskerrys.</p> <p>Food - Rachel has spoken to Rumours, Bean, Fat Frog, Hooked at Highwood and Stuart House with positive responses. She will follow up her earlier contact with Café Fleur, the Hub Café and the Cornish Pudding Co this week.</p> <p>Folk Art – Sally confirmed that the printing has been trialled and events are scheduled to create the bus shelter panels. There is a possibility of another doll making session.</p> <p>Pen pals/postcards – No response has been received from Lyskerrys Youth Club. Leanne will investigate if the Library can do this with the 13-17 age group. The Town Council are happy to supply postcards which are available at the TIC. Rachel Br will check the timescales with Simon Cassidy.</p>	<p>RBr</p> <p>Rbr</p> <p>LM</p> <p>RBr</p>

	<p>Museum – Simon Cassidy has brought back a folk costume and other items that are currently in quarantine. The clothing and dolls to be displayed at the Museum, the other items could possibly be displayed at the twinning event.</p> <p>Crying the Neck – The event will need to start promptly at 4pm. Carmen has confirmed that Kathy Wallace will allow her Sunflower legend to be read after the Crying the Neck ceremony. She will check if Kathy is available for the event and send the words to Rachel Br. Father Gilmour, Christina Whitty and Rod Sheaff are all confirmed for the event.</p> <p>B. Mining Routes, Networks and Connections</p> <p>Walks:</p> <p>Accessible Walk – Rachel Br confirmed that £79 has been paid to Forestry England for them to process the application for the free, accessible walk. We are awaiting a response. She will speak to Mark Camp also.</p> <p>VR Walk – Brian advised that the text and images are done and that the virtual walk is progressing. The route will be the same as his event walk.</p> <p>C Other Aspects of the Theme</p> <p>Bus Shelter Panels – Ann displayed a picture from Susie of the Market Makers which could form the basis of a panel to publicise the Cider Cottage event. The group welcomed this with text detail to be added.</p> <p>The groups at the Liskerrett Centre will produce five panels and the Market Makers one.</p>	<p>CH</p> <p>Rbr</p>
3	<p>Buildings Opening / Hosting Events</p> <p>Stuart House will be starting their exhibition on 2nd September.</p> <p>No further information had been received on 1 Lower Lux Street.</p>	
4	<p>Publicity</p> <p>Updated flyers with the new timings for the Taste of Ukraine event are now available and were distributed amongst the group. Any not showing Crying the Neck at 4pm and Taste of Ukraine at 4.30pm should be recycled. The distribution list was circulated and additions were made. Holiday parks were added and it's hoped to deliver to them shortly before the festival. Mandy will circulate the updated list for those not at the meeting to volunteer to deliver to. Sally advised that Polraen House Hotel were a good contact with heritage interests. Brian will take flyers to Callington for the event there the week before. The Tourist Information Centre will promote events on social media.</p> <p>When the Tourist Information Centre has the website page drafted</p>	<p>MH</p> <p>BO</p>

	Mandy will send to everyone to check over it is in progress. If anyone has personalised posters they should send them direct to tourism@liskeard.gov.uk . Mandy will check the website link and QR codes work ok.	MH MH
5	Next Meeting The next meeting is: Monday 2 nd September, 2pm at the Liskerrett Centre.	

Mandy - These links have worked for me when I've checked. 😊

Here's the link to the front page which has the links to this year's dedicated page along with the virtual events from previous years. By using this landing page we can keep the link and QR code the same for future years:
www.visitliskeard.co.uk/liskeard-unlocked/

This is the dedicated page with the events for this year:
www.visitliskeard.co.uk/view-event/liskeard-unlocked-heritage-open-days-8/

Here's the QR code too. We've added it to our banners:

