Liskeard Unlocked 2024 draft

Monday 2nd September 2024 at 2.00pm at the Liskerrett Centre

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

<u>Festival dates Friday 6th – Sunday 15th September, 2024</u> <u>Theme: Routes, Networks and Connections</u>

1	Welcome and Apologies	
	Rachel Brooks welcomed everyone to the meeting.	
	Apologies were received from Carmen Hunt (Scoots Kernow).	
2	Routes, Networks and Connections Theme	
	A. Twinning with Kopychyntsi in Ukraine	
	Public Hall event on 14 th – The Taste of Ukraine event is almost there. Rachel Br had met with the Silver Band and Choir. St Martin's School confirmed that they have a teacher and pupils attending.	
	Doors will open at 4.30pm, a live link with Kopychyntsi at 5pm for about 20 minutes. The Band will play at 5.30pm, Melodi Lyskerrys will perform at 6pm and food will be available to buy from around 6.20pm followed by Cornish dancing at 7pm. The evening will conclude at 8pm. Rachel Br will be the MC for the evening and explain the order of proceedings. She will check with the TIC how tickets are going.	RBr
	Food - Rachel confirmed that Hooked at Highwood, the Hub Café and Lorna Grimshaw will be providing food at the Hall event. Rachel had met with Jacqui and will chat again regarding the final arrangements. Becuuse of the need to keep food hot, the bar run by Liskerrett may be set up at the back of the Hall and the food available from the Wheal Phoenix Room rather than the other way round. Honey & Pepper flavoured vodka and a cocktail would be served. We'll find a good point for a toast with the shots, probably during the meal. Mandy will check if the Quimperle Room is available for the evening. Volunteers were sought for clearing tables, Rachel Be offered to help and Iga will ask at the Museum. Iga, Sally and Leanne offered the use of trollies for the evening. Leanne also offered tabletop induction hobs and pans.	RBr MH RBe IW/SH/ LL
	Folk Art – The boards will be on display at the bus shelters on The Parade from Thursday/Friday. Everyone involved in the workshops creating the items had really enjoyed it. Lots of people had been involved.	
	Pen pals/postcards – A response has been received from Lyskerrys Youth Club but it was too late for this summer. There hadn't been an opportunity to work with 13-17 year olds at the	

	library either. This may be possible when school based work starts in the new term.	
	Museum – The exhibition preparation is going well. Iga is seeking further information from the person donating the items which Simon Cassidy brought back from his trip. She has asked Simon to write a piece on twinning to go with the display.	IW
	Crying the Neck – Brian confirmed that the choir will perform two numbers after Crying The Neck. Rachel has received the Sunflower text, but it was felt that it wasn't possible to do it justice in the time available so she will email Carmen and let her know.	RBr
	B. Mining Routes, Networks and Connections	
	Walks:	
	Accessible Walk – Rachel Br confirmed that the Forestry Commission has given permission for the walk to go ahead. Mark Camp is confirmed and his fee along with the Forestry Commission application fee will kindly be covered by Moor 2 Sea legacy funds. Promotion by the Rolling Ramblers and Disability Cornwall will be sought.	
	VR Walk – The walk has had a few tweeks,but is now ready for the event. Leanne said it looks really good.	
	Brian's walk – 14 are currently booked in.	
	Talk:	
	Brian's talk at The Library currently has 40 people booked.	
3	Buildings Opening / Hosting Events	
	Stuart House exhibition has already started and the café has cake and soup.	
	Open Studios at Cider Cottage have 15 Market Makers in the exhibition. Brian has provided information to go with Ann's paintings. Signage to the property will be placed on Friday morning.	
	The Pipewell will be opened by the Facilities team. Sally gave Iga arrow boards to assist with directing people to the Well. The pink bunting will also draw attention. Jacqui had advised that the water is not safe to drink.	
4	Publicity	
	Rachel had managed to drop leaflets to The Story of Emily. Ann has delivered to many venues already and will visit Millendreath today. Brian will drop to the Copley Arms as well as venues already promised. We have covered more holiday venues this year than before and will build on this again next year.	

	The Market Makers are distributing Open Studios leaflets tomorrow around town and will drop event flyers where needed. The TIC's social media programme is going well with at least 1 post each day.	
5	Next Meeting Following the event a wash up meeting will be scheduled.	

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

