COUNCIL	AGENDA ITEM No. 4 (i)
14 July 2010	PUBLIC REPORT

### **MAYOR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**

# 1. PURPOSE OF REPORT: FOR INFORMATION

This report is a brief summary of the Mayor's activities on the Council's behalf during the last meetings cycle, together with relevant matters for information. (Events marked with \* denotes events attended by the Deputy Mayor on the Mayor's behalf).

# 2. ACTIVITIES AND INFORMATION – From 3 April 2010 to 2 July 2010

### 2.1 Civic Events

- Annual service for Mayor's installation on 13 June
- Mayor's Open Day in the Town Hall on 17 June
- Fly a Flag for our Armed Forces Day ceremony on the Town Hall steps on 21 June

### 2.2 Visitors to the Mayor's Parlour

- Hosted Charity Committee meeting on 13 April
- Hosted visits by purchasers of half-day with mayor at charity events on 21 and 23 April
- Hosted Vinnitsa Group meeting on 28 April
- Presented Freeman Badges to existing Freemen of the City on 10 May
- Hosted visit to parlour and council chamber by Peterborough College of Adult Education students on 12 May
- Hosted visit to Parlour and Chamber by former members of 457<sup>th</sup> Bomb Group Association on 1 June
- Hosted Holocaust Memorial Day planning meeting on 22 June
- Hosted Charity Committee meeting on 29 June
- Hosted afternoon tea to celebrate the 80<sup>th</sup> birthday of Cllr Swift OBE with close family & friends on 2 July

#### 2.3 Charity Events

- Attended Last Night of the Proms at the Key Theatre on 18 April
- Handed out roses on front steps of Town Hall to mark St George's Day on 23 April
- Attended Greater Peterborough Model Club cheque presentation to mayor's charities at the Blue Bell, The Green, Werrington on 4 May

# 2.4 Council and Other Events

- Attended Rising of the Peterborough Crown Court on 8 April
- Attended Rising of the Peterborough Crown Court lunch in the town Hall on 8 April
- Attended Inaugural meeting of Cambridge Bethel Pentecostal church musical training programme at St Jude's Community Hall, Cranford Drive, Westwood on 8 April
- Attended Cambridgeshire Music Gala Concert 2010 at Peterborough Cathedral on 10 April \*
- Attended Mayor of Stamford's Charity Jazz Soiree evening in Stamford Arts centre on 10 April
- Attended Citizenship Ceremony in the council chamber on 13 April \*
- Chaired Extraordinary full council meeting on 14 April
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- Attended Veterans and Cadets night in Reception Room, Town Hall on 16 April
- Attended Opening of Peanut Park Playbuilder Project at Riseholme, Orton Goldhay on 17 April \*
- Attended buffet lunch at Deanery prior to Installation of the Bishop on 17 April
- Attended Installation of Bishop of Peterborough in the Cathedral on 17 April
- Attended Hereward Harmony Sing for Spring concert at the Fleet on 17 April
- · Attended Citizenship Ceremony in the council chamber on 20 April
- Attended Pride in Peterborough awards at the Marriott Hotel on 22 April
- Attended Volunteer Fire Brigade Ladies" Night at the Bull Hotel on 23 April
- Attended Chairman of Northamptonshire's civic dinner at Whittlebury Hall on 23 April \*
- Opened ASBAH art exhibition at ASBAH House, 42 Park Road, Peterborough on 24 April
- Attended Scouts St George's day parade and service in Peterborough Cathedral on 25 April
- Attended Anzac Day Service Broadway Cemetery on 25 April
- Attended Family Care Commissioning Service, Peterborough Cathedral on 26 April
- Attended Police award ceremony and reception, Hinchingbrooke House on 27 April
- Attended British Transport Police Station Opening, Station Rd on 28 April
- Attended Youth Bank celebration event at Peterborough Regional College on 28 April\*
- Attended Mayor of Huntingdon's End of Term dinner and dance at the Commemoration Hall, Huntingdon on 30 April
- Attended Mayor of Grantham's charity musical show at the Guildhall, Grantham on 30 April \*
- Attended President's Day' at Peterborough Rugby Union Football club, Second Drove, Fengate on 2 May
- Attended Independent Learning Presentation at Peterborough High School on 5 May
- Attended 25<sup>th</sup> birthday celebrations at Tuckers Court, Stanground on 7 May
- Attended Mayor of St Ives' charity concert at the Free Church, Market Hill, St Ives on 7 May
- Attended Peterborough Young Singers and Cambridge Orchestra concert at the Voyager School on 8 May
- Attended Castor and Ailsworth Evergreen Club Golden Jubilee Luncheon at the Bull Hotel, Peterborough on 10 May
- Attended Hampton College Eco event at the Town Hall on 11 May
- Attended Citizenship Ceremony in the council chamber on 11 May \*
- Attended Samaritans' Annual General Meeting in St Mary's Church Hall on 11 May
- Visited Women's Enterprise Centre, Bridge Street on 12 May
- Attended Charity night at Peterborough Greyhound Stadium hosted by the Chairman of Northants County Council on 12 May
- Attended St Ives Mayor making at Market Hill, St Ives on 12 May \*
- Attended Peterborough Playgoers 'Memories' at the John Clare Theatre on 14 May
- Attended Peterborough Youth Bands Orchestra Spring Concert at the Cresset on 16 May
- Attended annual council meeting in the council chamber on 17 May
- Attended Unity Football Club event on The Embankment on 18 May
- Attended 50<sup>th</sup> Birthday celebrations at Newark Hill School on 19 May

- Attended25<sup>th</sup> Silver Jubilee re-dedication at Kestrel Court, Copeland, South Bretton on 21 May
- Visited Fulbridge School on 20 May
- Attended Blockbuster Exhibition, Peterborough Museum on 21 May
- Attended Baisakhi Festival at The Cresset on 22 May
- Attended College of Adult Education Supported Adult Learners Arts and Crafts Exhibition Launch at Peterborough Museum on 25 May \*
- Attended Citizenship Ceremony in the council chamber on 25 May
- Attended Reception and Opening Ceremony at Kidney Research, Nene Hall, Lynch Wood on 25 May
- Attended Art in the Cottage at John Clare Cottage, Helpston on 25 May
- Attended Cambridgeshire County Forum for Civic Leaders at the TA Centre, Coldham's Lane, Cambridge on 26 May
- Started Charity Endurance Race, Peterborough Raceway, Bretton on 27 May
- Participated in the Big Tidy Up, outside shops in Central Avenue, Dogsthorpe on 27 May\*
- Attended Pledge Against Prejudice evening at the Jack Hunt School on 27 May
- Attended Peterborough Lions Showtime, Parkway Sports and Social Club on 27 May
- Attended 25<sup>th</sup> birthday celebrations at Sutton Court, Werrington on 28 May \*
- Attended opening of the Lido on 29 May
- Participated in the Big Tidy Up in Millfield on 29 May
- Attended Old Uetonians Gala dinner at the Bull Hotel, Peterborough on 29 May
- Attended Italian Republican Day celebrations at the ICA Centre, the Fleet on 30 May
- Attended Children's Festival at Millfield and New England Recreation Grounds on 1 June
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- Attended 1<sup>st</sup> anniversary of supporters of Combat Stress at the Becket Chapel, Peterborough Cathedral on 1 June
- Attended Mayor of Cambridge's Outgoing dinner at Corpus Christi College, Cambridge on 2 June
- Attended Green Festival Trashion Show, Queensgate Centre on 3 June
- Attended Green Festival family picnic at the Green Backyard, London Road on 5 June
- Attended Hangar Dance at RAF Molesworth on 5 June\*
- Attended 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Army Cadet Force at Ely Cathedral on 6 June
- Attended Glinton Friendship Club PCVS Volunteers Week, Glinton Village Hall on 7 June
- Attended Citizenship Ceremony in the Council Chamber on 8 June
- Attended First visit of Bishop Donald Allister to Churches Together in Central Peterborough Forum at All Souls RC Church, Fitzwilliam Street on 8 June\*
- Attended Peterborough Lions meeting, Ebeneezers, Grove Street on 8 June
- Attended Annual Civic Leaders tour of RAF Alconbury and Molesworth on 10 June
- Attended Duke of Edinburgh presentation evening at the Jack Hunt School on 10 June
- Attended Alconbury High School Graduation Ceremony in Peterborough Cathedral on 11 June
- Attended Philippine Independence Day celebrations at Homerton Hall Nurses' Home, thorpe Road on 12 June
- Attended Churches Together in Central Peterborough joint service The Working City at Park Road Baptist Church on 13 June\*
- Attended City Cycle tour day of activity in Bridge Street and Cathedral Square and the City Cycle Tour race on 15 June
- Attended Royal Anglian Homecoming Parade from Ely Market Place followed by service in Ely Cathedral on 16 June
- Attended official opening of St Edmund's Court extra-care housing scheme in Hampton on 16 June\*
- Attended Millfield Community Association annual general meeting at Millfield Community Centre on 16 June
- Visited Mr & Mrs Tate of Gunthorpe on their Diamond Wedding on 17 June

- Attended Primary School Dance Showcase at The Cresset on 17 June \*
- Attended East of England Show and President's Luncheon on 18 June
- Attended Help for Heroes Charity Disco & Supper, Royal British Legion, Yaxley on 18 June \*
- Started the Lakeside Club 24 hour race in aid of the RNLI at the Water Sports Centre, Ferry Meadows on 19 June
- Attended Dragon Boat Race, River Nene, Peterborough on 20 June
- Kicked-off Help for Heroes 5-a-side tournament at Powerleague, Stanground on 20 June
- Attended Peterborough Environmental Project open evening at the Railworld site on 21 June
- Opened eco-friendly classroom at Bishop Creighton School, Vineyard Road on 22 June
- Attended Citizenship Ceremony in the Council Chamber on 22 June
- Attended Proclamation of Midsummer Fair, Cambridge on 23 June
- Attended photo shoot on Town Hall steps to promote new recycling bins on 24 June
- Attended Presentation at Honeyhill Centre, Paston on 24 June
- Attended Society of St George summer reception at Buckden Towers, Buckden on 25 June
- Led Mayor's Carnival Parade from Cathedral Square at 11am to Central Park on 26 June
- Opened Peterborough Festival in Central Park and attended day and evening's events on 26 June
- Attended Diabetes UK Walk in the Park at Central Park on 26 June
- Attended Annual service of Remembrance at Peterborough Crematorium on 27 June
- Attended Festival event in Central Park on 27 June
- Attended Cathedral Patronal Festival beginning with Sung Eucharist in Cathedral followed by a barbecue in the Deanery garden on 29 June
- Attended Summer music concert at Peterborough High School on 29 June \*
- Visited Longthorpe Primary School Attended on 30 June
- Visited and tour of John Mansfield & Brook Street sites, City College, Peterborough (formerly PCAE) on 30 June
- Attended Art exhibition at Peterborough High School on 30 June
- Attended Welland & Deepings Internal Drainage Board annual tour of inspection on 1 July
- Attended launch of Art at Andronicas at Peterborough Garden Park on 1 July \*
- Attended Festival Recital, St John's Church, Cathedral Square on 1 July \*
- Attended She Stoops to Conquer festival event at the Great Northern Hotel on 1 July
- Attended Colour Wheel Art Exhibition at Alwalton Village Hall on 2 July
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