

Appointment of Town Council representatives to outside bodies - 2019/2020

Organisation	Current Representative	2019/2020
<p>Age UK Warwickshire Meets once a year at the AGM in mid-October. Invitation to the appointed representative and Mayor or Deputy Mayor. Purpose - Age Concern and Help the Aged are now Age UK. Information and advice for the elderly about benefits, care, age discrimination etc.</p>		1 rep required
<p>Alveston Relief in Need Charity Meets possibly four times a year after church, or makes decisions via e-mail. Charitable organisation administered by St James Church, Alveston. Purpose - to look at small hardship cases, often relating to education</p>	Rolfe	1 rep required
<p>Bard Watch/Retail Radio Link Bard Watch meets once a month, Retail Radio Link meets once every two months in a differing members licensed premises Purpose – Promotes wellbeing of day and night time economies. Acts as a crime preventative measure, protecting the public in licensed premises and beyond.</p>	Jackson	Awaiting confirmation 1 rep required
<p>Bishopton Community Centre Meets every couple of month at the Bishopton Centre. Purpose – management of a community venue which is available for hire.</p>	Alcock Wall	Awaiting confirmation 2 reps required
<p>CCTV Forum Initiated by the Town Council, an onward programme of meetings at the Town Hall, the likely time frame being four per annum</p>	Dowling	Awaiting confirmation 1 rep required
<p>Christmas Lights Co Ltd Meets once a month at 7.30pm on a Wednesday night at the Shakespeare Hotel. The lights have been managed by The Stratford-upon-Avon Christmas Lights Company Ltd since 2001, an independent company of non-fee charging volunteers who are responsible for all fund-raising, marketing, engineering and planning.</p>	Alcock	1 rep required
<p>Friends of Shakespeare's Church</p>		1 rep required
<p>Municipal Charities Meets once a month at the Alms houses in Church Street. Purpose - The Municipal Charities of Stratford-upon-Avon exist to:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ provide low-cost, self-contained accommodation for older people of 	Bott (Expires 2020) STC may appoint 2 reps	Awaiting confirmation 1 rep required

<p>limited financial means</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ give emergency financial assistance to local individuals and families in their hour of need <p>The organisation has a long and detailed history of helping local people with housing and grants facilitated via a number of charities set up by well-meaning bodies, philanthropic individuals and families connected with Stratford-upon-Avon. Over the years a number of various charities have amalgamated resulting in the existing four separate Alms house charities and three grant-giving charities.</p> <p>The Alms house Charity The Emily Payne & Elizabeth Saunders Homes The Mary Newland's Alms houses The John Roberts Alms houses The Charity for Alms people The William Tyler Charity The Stratford upon Avon Relief in Need</p>		
<p>Historic Buildings Preservation Trust A charitable body set up to aid and participate in the preservation of historic buildings at risk. Meets four times per year</p>	I Fradgley	1 rep required
<p>Historic Spine Meets at the Town Hall. Purpose –</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) to promote high standards of planning and architecture in or affecting the said area. b) to educate and stimulate public interest in the geography, history, natural history and architecture of the said area. c) to encourage the preservation, protection, development and improvement of features of historic or public interest in the said area. 	J Fradgley	Awaiting confirmation 1 rep required
<p>Shakespeare Line Promotion Group</p>		Awaiting confirmation 1 rep
<p>Stratford-upon-Avon Town Trust Term of office for Trustees is 4 years, starting on 1 June and ending on 31 May.</p>	Tony Jackson 2020 Charles Bates 2020 Tessa Bates 2020	0 reps required
<p>Stratford's of the World (formerly Sister Cities) Meet twice a year, more when hosting events. Purpose – to keep the Stratford's of the world in contact – Ontario, Connecticut, Prince Edward Island, England, New Zealand and Australia. First started by Ted Lloyd and Ted Riley as Sister Cities.</p>		1 rep required
<p>Stratford-in-Bloom Meets once a month at 6.30pm at the Shakespeare Hotel. Purpose -</p>	J Fradgley	2 reps required

<p>To enhance the beauty of Stratford upon Avon in conjunction with Stratford upon Avon Town Council, Stratford Town Trust, Stratford-on-Avon District Council and others, by the introduction of floral features within the town boundary.</p>		
<p>StratForward BID Meets once every two months for main Board Meeting and as and when for working party meetings at office or in member premises. Purpose - Stratforward BID exists to support local businesses through building a commercially vibrant town centre. It is charged with delivering a comprehensive marketing strategy; to increase and develop events and festivals; the introduction of a Town Host programme; the introduction of new street entertainment, as well as offering a range of business support initiatives.</p>	<p>1 Fradgley</p>	<p>1 rep required</p>
<p>Stratford Transport Group Day time meetings at the Town Hall every six weeks. Purpose – (i) review and comment on transport and parking matters in the town; (ii) encourage the local authorities to adopt best practice derived from other historic towns; and (iii) act as a conduit for information from and to the local authorities on relevant matters related to transport and parking in the town.</p>	<p>1 Fradgley</p>	<p>2 reps required</p>
<p>VASA Purpose – to help promote volunteering, help groups by providing a range of advice and practical support, by recruiting volunteers and representing their interests with decision-makers, and also deliver a number of services essential to individuals and local communities.</p>		<p>1 rep required</p>