

Mirfield Town Council



Annual Report 2015/2016

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Mayors Report Cllr. Vivien Lees-Hamilton. 2015/2016

It has been an Honour and a pleasure to be the Mayor of the Town for three years and I would like to thank all the members of Mirfield Town Council for your support, attendance and input during my years as Mayor.

This year has been fantastic and as a council we have been able to enhance the town by working with local community and Friends groups like Friends of Mirfield Library, Friends of Mirfield Railway Station, Mirfield Rotary Club & Mirfield Round Table to name but a few.

Listed below are just some of the projects Mirfield Town Council has been involved with:

- Grants
- Sponsorship Mirfield Show/Mirfield Bonfire
- 2 By-elections
- Car Park Limits
- Mirfield Matters Survey
- Local Plan
- Neighbourhood Plan
- Defibrillators
- Christmas Lights
- Christmas Market
- Mirfield Public Toilets
- Queens 90th Birthday Celebrations
- Flood Prevention/Flood Resilience



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These are just some of the amazing projects that I am proud to have been a part of.

2015/16 has seen an Election and 2 By-elections and although this has not been an easy journey we now have a Town Council with 16 committed and hard working Councillors.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the Community Groups, Organisations and Town Councils for their kind invitations. It has been a privilege to meet them and see the fantastic work that they do.

This year has ended on a positive with a well attended Civic Service and four very worthy Ambassadors in Richard Hartley, Clare Moorhouse, Jenny Tomlinson Walsh and Leah Silvester.

Once again thank you to all the Councillors for their hours of volunteering and the Clerk for her hard work and dedication.

Cllr Lees-Hamilton

Town Mayor & Chair of Mirfield Town Council



Register of Fixed Assets 31st March 2016

Asset	PURCHASE COST	INSURANCE SCHEDULE
Mayoress's Jewel & Chain	Unknown—valuation 2009 £7,500	£8,116.40
Vice Chairman's Chain of Office	Unknown—valuation 2009 £2,000.00	£2,164.03
Chairman's Jewel	Unknown—valuation 2009 £2,500.00	£2,705.81
Chairman's Chain	Unknown—valuation 2009 £8,850.00	£9,576.94
Medal on Ribbon (Vice Chairman's Consort)	£175.00	£175.00
Office Equipment inc. Furniture/storage	Unknown £3,246.56	£3,343.96
Consumables, including books and stationery	Unknown £1,082.53	£1,115.01
Computer Equipment	Unknown £3766.71	£3,879.71
Christmas Lights (insured by Kirklees when in storage)	Unknown—valuation £20,000.00	£21,218.00 (whilst in situ)
St. Georges Standard / Pole inc. cord and tassel	£205.96	£205.96

ALLOTMENT LAND - (Nominal value Community Asset)

Bankfield	(0.5 acres)	£ 1.00
Lowlands	(3 acres)	£ 1.00
Nab Lane	(2.5 acres)	£ 1.00

The Mirfield Gardens and Allotments Society insure the sites and their tenants as per our lease.