LEDBURY TOWN COUNCIL

Report from the October Fair Working Party at 11.40am on Tuesday 10th May 2016 in the Town Council Offices

Present: Cllrs M Eager, P Bettington, K Francis, A Crowe, K Francis, B Barnes

and E Fieldhouse

Apologies: Cllr D Baker and A Manns

1. The report of the meeting held on 29th February that had been adopted by Full Council was agreed by those present to be an accurate record.

- **2.** Cllrs P Bettington and A Crowe declared that as honorary members of the Showmans Guild they would refrain from voting.
- **3.** To consider again a request from the Rogers family to hold another annual street fair during March.

Members discussed in depth reasons for not holding a fair including...

- a. Additional expense for families.
- b. The time of year is not suitable.
- c. The inconvenience to shop owners/businesses and public.
- d. The non relevance to the Charter to this request.

Recommendations:

- i. That Ledbury Town Council does not support holding a second street fair.
- ii. That if a second fair is considered then a suitable venue outside the town centre be sought, CIIr B Barnes will speak to Howard Pugh.
- iii. That the Rogers family are contacted and a meeting date set to discuss further their proposal.

Meeting closed at 12 noon.

Date and time of next meeting to be decided.