

Agenda Item No: 9

**Report to:** Museums Committee

Date of Meeting: 22 June 2009

**Report Title:** Museum Loans

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**Acting Museums Curator** 

# **Purpose of Report**

To update members on requests for loans from the Museum Collection

## Recommendation(s)

1. the report is for noting

**Reasons for Recommendations** 

### **Background**

#### 1. Request for Loan

Brighton Museum and Art Gallery have requested a loan for their forthcoming exhibition 'The Land Girls: Cinderellas of the Soil'.

The exhibition takes place from 3 October 2009 to 14 March 2010, and will be curated by Amy de la Haye, Reader in Fashion Curation and Material Culture at London College of Fashion.

Further to a visit to Hastings to see our collections, they have requested the loan of a total of 41 items, including uniform, photographs and certificates.

Brighton Museum has environmentally controlled galleries and can meet all required security and environmental conditions.

#### 2. Confirmation of Curator's action in consultation with Chairman

Rye Art Gallery requested the loan of the oil painting of the Central Cricket Ground by Bill Day. This was for the retrospective exhibition of his work that was running from 9 May to 21 June at the Stormont Studio.

Rye Art Gallery were able to fulfil all loan requirements as regards transport, insurance and environmental and security conditions.

#### **Wards Affected**

Ashdown, Baird, Braybrooke, Castle, Central St. Leonards, Conquest, Gensing, Hollington, Maze Hill, Old Hastings, Ore, Silverhill, St. Helens, Tressell, West St. Leonards, Wishing Tree

### Area(s) Affected

Central Hastings, East Hastings, North St. Leonards, South St. Leonards

### **Policy Implications**

Please identify if this report contains any implications for the following:

Equalities and Community Cohesiveness
Crime and Fear of Crime (Section 17)
Risk Management
Environmental Issues
Economic/Financial Implications
Human Rights Act

Yes

Yes

No





Yes

## **Supporting Documents**

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