

Agenda Item No: 8

Report to: Museums Committee

Date of Meeting: 28 June 2010

Report Title: Museum website

Report By: Cathy Walling

Museum Curator

Purpose of Report

to update members on the Museum website

Recommendation(s)

1. the report is for noting

Reasons for Recommendations



Introduction

The Museum website, www.hmag.org.uk, was set up in 2003 by HBC IT Dept.

Museums staff keep the News and Calendar sections up to date. The other sections are updated by the Communications dept, following requests from staff. All phone numbers and contact details are currently correct, and events are in the Calendar to the end of 2010.

The only part of the website which appears to be out of date is the Virtual Tour of the Durbar Hall, which has not been changed since the displays were altered during the HLF refurbishment project.

The Council is overhauling all of its websites over the next 6-8 months and, as part of this process, the contents of www.hmag.org.uk will be reviewed and refreshed.

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	Yes
Crime and Fear of Crime (Section 17)	No
Risk Management	No
Environmental Issues	No
Economic/Financial Implications	Yes
Human Rights Act	No
Organisational Consequences	Yes

Background Information

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