

## Details

<b>Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)</b>	Cllr.Raymond Thomas
<b>Email</b>	cllr.rthomas@fylde.gov.uk
<b>Period this report covers (date):</b>	Nov 15 - Jan 16
<b>Name of Outside Body:</b>	Lytham Arts Partnership
<b>How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?</b>	Once a month. I have attended all meetings.
<b>Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council</b>	Continued support for the Partnership from the Council in all aspects as it expands its remit to the wider Fylde area, producing event programmes to involve members more directly and providing opportunities to promote its work, collaborate with others and inspire the creation of new work.
	Examples of issues could be those that may affect decisions regarding budget setting, challenges for residents, policy changes that affect partnership working etc
<b>Who did you inform of these issues within Fylde Borough Council?</b>	Paul Walker re funding advice
<b>In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?</b>	Yes
<b>Any further comments?</b>	Exciting changes this year within the remit of the Partnership, with regard to rebranding the Partnership, are taking place. Engaging with a cross section of artists, creative business and cultural organisations across the Fylde through social media and events. Building on Seachange 1 held in July 2015, and Insight, a research event with members operating in the Lytham St Annes area, this month sees Seachange 2 - a presentation of the Coastal Masterplan and the opportunities it presents for creative and cultural businesses. Though some funding has been secured from Creative Lancashire as match funding for the development of a new brand and marketing collateral, the Partnership is currently seeking additional funds to enable this brand development work to go ahead. A new Board of Directors is also being developed to enable the partnership to deliver its strategy effectively. The Partnership aims to re-launch early Summer this year.

### Outside Bodies - Member Reporting Form

Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Cllr. Vince Settle Council representative
Period this report covers (date):	Nov 2015 to Feb 2016
Name of Outside Body:	Arts Working Group
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Every 2 months. I have attended all 3 meetings since the May 2015 elections [September, November and January]
<p>Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council</p> <p><i>Examples of issues could be those that may affect decisions regarding budget setting, challenges for residents, policy changes that affect partnership working etc</i></p> <p>(continue on a separate sheet if necessary).</p>	<p>1 The restoration work for paintings has stalled due to lack of funding. The new arts officer will be tasked with finding external funding but this is not guaranteed. The council should consider internal funding in next year's budget to maintain at least a minimal amount of restoration.</p> <p>2 An Acquisitions and Disposals Policy has now been written and is awaiting approval. The Tourism and Leisure Committee should be asked to approve this, the action of disposals being particularly sensitive.</p> <p>3 The " Tagging the Treasures" project has now completed its' task and a brochure has been produced of all items in the art collection. Some form of publicity needs to be considered to highlight this achievement.</p>
Who did you inform of these issues within Fylde Borough Council?	N/A The group is chaired by a staff member of Fylde Council [Geoff Willetts]
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments? (continue on a separate sheet if necessary)	

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<b>Email</b>	cllr.rthomas@fylde.gov.uk
<b>Period this report covers (date):</b>	Oct 15 - Jan 16
<b>Name of Outside Body:</b>	Fylde Arts Association
<b>How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?</b>	No meetings called since Oct 15 - to attend.
<b>Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council</b>	Nil
	Examples of issues could be those that may affect decisions regarding budget setting, challenges for residents, policy changes that affect partnership working etc
<b>Who did you inform of these issues within Fylde Borough Council?</b>	Nil
<b>In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?</b>	
<b>Any further comments?</b>	Recommend if I am not called to attend or if no meetings are scheduled it may be appropriate that a representative may not be required from the Council this year.

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Cllr Cheryl Little
Period this report covers (date):	Sept 2015 – March 2016
Name of Outside Body:	YMCA
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Four times a year – but I have only attended twice
<p>Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council</p> <p><i>Examples of issues could be those that may affect decisions regarding budget setting, challenges for residents, policy changes that affect partnership working etc</i></p> <p>(continue on a separate sheet if necessary).</p>	<p>Unfortunately due to personal circumstances both out of our control – I have only attended two meetings – and a further tour of the YMCA facilities had to be cancelled</p> <p>I am intending to attend the next meeting when it is reconvened</p>
Who did you inform of these issues within Fylde Borough Council?	Cllr Sue Fazackerley
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments? (continue on a separate sheet if necessary)	-

### Outside Bodies - Member Reporting Form

Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Councillor Cheryl Little – Trustee
Period this report covers (date):	Sept 2015 – February 2016
Name of Outside Body:	Lowther Trust
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Once/Twice a month although this has increased – due to the nature of the business
<p>Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council</p> <p><i>Examples of issues could be those that may affect decisions regarding budget setting, challenges for residents, policy changes that affect partnership working etc</i></p> <p>(continue on a separate sheet if necessary).</p>	<p>I attend Trust meetings and am supporting Lowther through their transitions not only through the Trust but the physical changes the new pavilion, café and theatre provision. We have tendered and employed the architect who is preparing planning application for the next Development Committee. I am also helping further encourage Lowther to work with more of the community in more places as they take the Lowther brand to all areas of the Fylde.</p>
Who did you inform of these issues within Fylde Borough Council?	Leader Councillor Sue Fazackerley
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Most definitely
Any further comments? (continue on a separate sheet if necessary)	Lowther is an ongoing and valuable asset and the Trustees and Fylde Council are working together to ensure its viability and future

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Councillor Tim Ashton Director
Period this report covers (date):	2015/16
Name of Outside Body:	Lytham Town Trust
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	4 times per year I normally attend 4 times a year
<p>Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council</p> <p><i>Examples of issues could be those that may affect decisions regarding budget setting, challenges for residents, policy changes that affect partnership working etc</i></p> <p>(continue on a separate sheet if necessary).</p>	<p>Lytham Town Trust owns Lytham hall and has granted a lease to operate the hall to The Heritage Trust Northwest.</p> <p>A large regeneration project is taking place both within the grounds and on the building at Lytham Hall. The works on the building will start in Spring 2016 and residents will see a considerable amount of improvement on site.</p> <p>The trust also operates the Assembly Rooms in Lytham and these rooms are relatively well used and on occasion the council holds events there.</p> <p>2 reports were presented to the Tourism and Leisure Committee one giving an update on progress with the Heritage Lottery Project and one regarding the Coastal Communities successful grant application. The Coastal Communities Grant requires Fylde Borough Council to act as The Accountable Body.</p>
Who did you inform of these issues within Fylde Borough Council?	The Tourism & Leisure Committee
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	There is a need for council involvement with the upgrade and ultimate operation of this strategic asset which is the only Grade 1 Listed Building in the Borough. Initially the Council had 3 directors on the Trust but this has been reduced to 1.
Any further comments? (continue on a separate sheet if necessary)	None

### Outside Bodies - Member Reporting Form

Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Councillor Cheryl Little St George's Day Festival Committee
Period this report covers (date):	Sept 2015-Mar 2016
Name of Outside Body:	ST GEORGES FESTIVAL
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Twice monthly although I have attended meeting weekly meetings with Andrew Lambert due to the increase of attractions at the event
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council <i>Examples of issues could be those that may affect decisions regarding budget setting, challenges for residents, policy changes that affect partnership working etc</i> (continue on a separate sheet if necessary).	This year will be the eighth annual St George's Day Festival. Last year SGD Festival raised £50,533.17 in total for their chosen charities – and this year in addition to ABF The Soldiers Charity and Trinity Hospice they are raising money for Love Lowther Campaign. A real coup for local residents and Lowther Trustees who along with myself attend SGD meetings. In addition to its past attractions this year it is introducing a colour run which will in itself produce not only increased visitors but organisational skills Fylde Council is renowned for.
Who did you inform of these issues within Fylde Borough Council?	If any arise - I report to Cllr S Fazackerely and Leadership Board
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes most definitely
Any further comments? (continue on a separate sheet if necessary)	This event is an important visitor and high profile event which puts Fylde on the Visitor Economy map