



Folkestone Nepalese Community (FNC) UK
1st Quarterly Meeting, Sunday, 25 June 2023, 7:00pm at the FNCC.

Apology: Vice Chairman Suman (duty)

Agenda:

1. Review Minutes from the AGM - 26 March 2023 - <https://fncuk.org/fnc-meeting/>
2. FNC Nepalese New Year Celebration – Friday 14 April 2023, The Bar Invicta & **Treasurer Report**
3. FNC Ceremony of Unveiling the Portrait & Celebration the Coronation of the HM King Charles III at the FNC Centre - **Proceeding Lead** Trustee Capt (Retd) Ram Pun. Event Coordination Meeting & Day Schedule
 - **FNC Centre project subsidise for the Event which is as follows:**

Income

S. N	Descriptions	Amount	Remark
1	Folkestone & Hythe District Council	£83.00	Alex Sansom
2	FNC Members	£150.00	Bikram Rai
3	FNC Senior Citizens	£460.00	Shivadhan Rai
Total		£693.00	

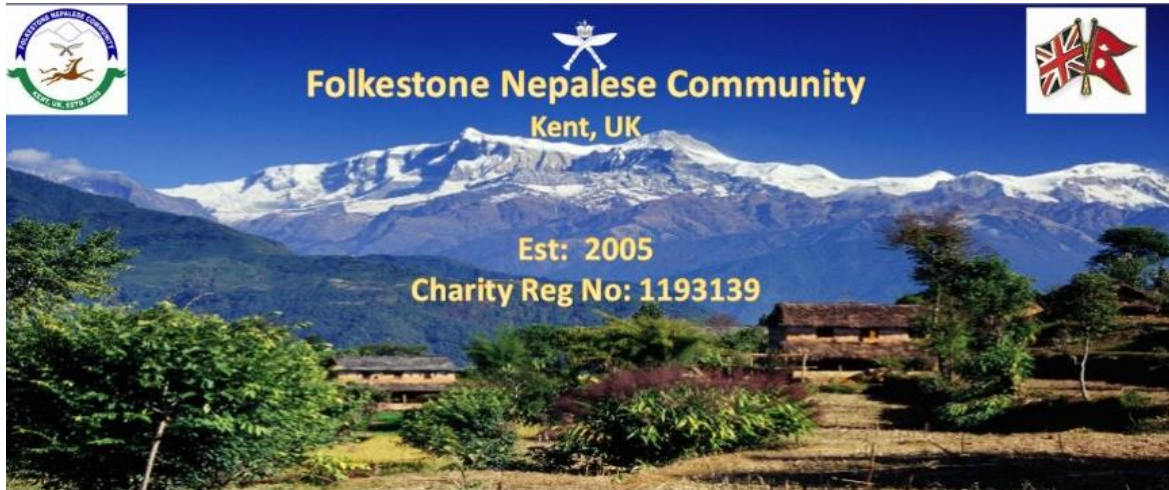
Expenditure

S. N	Descriptions	Amount	Remark
1	Gurkha Curry Lunch for 130 people	£1,300.00	Lemon Leaf
2	Drinks for Guests & Toast - Gurkha Hill & Tesco	£370.48	Chitra Gomden
3	Big Tent Supply & Transport - Patrick & Team	£60.00	Maha Rai
4	31 May 2023 - Fatigue Team Refreshment & Food	£172.15	Bikram Rai
5	Banners, Bunting, Ballons & Mis Decoration	£101.29	Capt (Retd) Ram Pun
6	Framed King Charles III Portrait	£83.94	Maha Rai
7	PA System - Bhaskar Rai	£110.00	Maha Rai
8	Curtain poles, flags & bunting - amazon	£74.82	Maha Rai
9	Cake - Cake Box	£137.00	Bikram Rai
10	Red Curtain	£55.00	Chairman
11	Volunteers, Cleaners & flowers	£56.00	Maha Rai & Bikram Rai
13	White Sheet Laundry	£20.00	Prithviraj Rai
Total		£2,540.68	

Surplus (£1,847.68)

People attended at the Ceremony = 92 Seniors, 10 RBL, 28 Guests and 24 FNC members = 154

4. **FNC Major Event**, Dashing Get-Together Celebration forecasted and fixed, Sunday, 15 October 2023, The Leas Cliff Hall.
5. Due to venue issues and unforeseen circumstance 17 June 2023, Charity Event postponed - reschedule for Augst 2023.
6. ECMS, Board of Trustees and Advisors - personal email to be provided (for active volunteers), Microsoft Office Charity.
7. Trustee Capt (Retd) Ram Pun: Banner for the FNC's Meeting & AGM- discuss the content & design, see next page:



8. Community Centre Main projects for July: (for other please visit www.fncuk.org)

- a. **World in a Tent, Multicultural Festival** - 09 July 2023, Sunday at the FNCC: Stakeholder are Equator Festivals, Folkestone & Hythe District Council and Arts Council England.

All the diverse communities around the world will perform the music, dance, and songs. From the FNC: Kelang, Silli and other traditional & cultural music & dance.

- b. 17 July 2023, Monday - **BBC 2 The Great British Menu**, Andi Oliver visit to the Centre, filming for the BBC 2.
- c. 23 July 2023, Sunday - **BBC 2 Music Festival, Folkestone**, FNC to take part coordination with South Shore Production and Folkestone Music. Again, showcasing traditional, cultural music from Nepal.
- d. **Community Farming:** Farming in Protected Landscapes- Kent Downs AONB: Pent Farm & Equatorial Festival Jan/Feb 2023 – 2024. *See Planned Sheet.*

Aim: Community recreational Garden in the countryside, learn & understand the British farming & lifestyle

- 9. FNC Outreach program:** NHS Kent & Medway - 10 May 2023, Leas Cliff Hall. Trustee Capt (Retd) Ram Pun presented about the FNC establishment, its objectives and General Secretary presented the projects/activities that the FNCC coordinates with NHS and their agencies. As results, the FNCC has ongoing projects of Community Researchers: **a. Kanchan Roka (10-15hrs)**, **b. Roshan Rai(15hrs)** and **c. Bijendra Singh (15hrs)** - sponsored/funded by the Health Education England. They are undergoing training with the University of Reading and Scottish Development Community on Supervised by the Project & Centre Manager and will produce a report/presentation at the end of May 2024 on need and concerns of our community.

Also, as result of outreach program NHS Kent and Medway Clinical Commissioning Group is engaged with the FNCC regarding the Integrated Care Strategy by asking us to perform the surveys and submit the report by the end of July 2023. The Community Researchers are involved in the task.

- 10.** General Secretary and Treasurer, under the direction of Trustee Capt Ram Pun, is in process of submitting the FNC Annual Accounts for Mar 2022 - Mar 2023 to the Charity Commission. Trustee Capt Ram Pun has been directing General Secretary to do the task ASAP since end of the April 2023.

11. Matters from the FNC Senior Citizens.

12. AOB:

13. Chairman Final Remarks.