

**DOWNS COMMITTEE**

**6<sup>th</sup> September 2010**

**Report of: the Director of City Development**

**Title: Delegated and Upcoming Events Proposed on the Downs**

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**RECOMMENDATION**

**That the events and filming activity that has taken place under Delegated Powers be noted.**

**That the proposed future events between Committee meetings be noted.**

**Summary**

This is a report of the Events and Filming activity that has taken place under the Delegated Powers of the Downs Committee, as authorised by the Film Office and Events Team. It also presents an outline of the minor events proposed to take place between Committee meetings. The report is intended to update the Committee and provide an opportunity to raise any issues concerning events on The Downs.

**The significant issues in the report are:**

- a) Filming activity that has already taken place under Delegated Powers since the last Downs Committee Meeting (Paragraph 7).
- b) Events activity that has already taken place under Delegated Powers since the last Downs Committee Meeting (Paragraph 8).
- c) Proposed future events that will take place under Delegated Powers between Committee Meetings (Paragraph 9).

## Policy

1. Not applicable

## Consultation

### Internal

2. Robert Westlake – Downs Ranger
3. France Horner – Legal Services
4. Tony Whitlock - Resources

### External

5. None

## Context

6. The following filming activity has already taken place under Delegated Powers between Downs Committee meetings and is presented for the information of the Downs Committee.
7. The following events have already taken place under Delegated Powers between Downs Committee meetings and are presented for the information of the Downs Committee.
8. The following events are proposed to take place under Delegated Powers.

## Proposal

9. Filming that has taken place since previous report (5<sup>th</sup> July 2010):

<b>Production Company</b>	<b>Filming Activity</b>	<b>Date and times of Activity</b>	<b>Location Fee</b>
Burrell Durrant Hifle	Parry's Lane Unit Base Parking for Antiques Roadshow	15 <sup>th</sup> July 2010	£200
Company Pictures (Skins)	Parry's Lane Unit Base Parking	7 <sup>th</sup> July 2010	£350
BBC Casualty	Ladies Mile Unit Base Parking	14 <sup>th</sup> July 2010	£350
BBC Casualty	Parry's Lane Unit Base Parking	15 <sup>th</sup> July 2010	£350

<b>Production Company</b>	<b>Filming Activity</b>	<b>Date and times of Activity</b>	<b>Location Fee</b>
Sparticles (For BBC)	Parry's Lane Unit Base Parking	26 <sup>th</sup> July 2010	£350
BBC Casualty	Parry's Lane Unit Base Parking	6 <sup>th</sup> August 2010	£350
Sparticles (For BBC)	Parry's Lane Unit Base Parking	6 <sup>th</sup> August 2010	£350
Sparticles (For BBC)	Parry's Lane Unit Base Parking	17 <sup>th</sup> – 31 <sup>st</sup> August 2010	TBC

10. Events that have taken place since previous report (5<sup>th</sup> July 2010):

<b>Organisation</b>	<b>Event Title and Description</b>	<b>Date and Times of event</b>	<b>Site Fee</b>
British Military Fitness	Fitness Classes	1 <sup>st</sup> March 2010 - 7 <sup>th</sup> August 2010	£660.00
Buggy Buddies	Mothers Fitness Classes	Every Thursday between 10:00 and 11:00 between 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2010 and March 31 <sup>st</sup> 2011	£264.00
Red Bull Company Ltd	Catch 2:2 cricket event	8 <sup>th</sup> , 15 <sup>th</sup> , 22 <sup>nd</sup> & 29 <sup>th</sup> July 2010	£1,120.00
Bristol Aero Collection	Box Kites Celebration	17 <sup>th</sup> July 2010	£75.00
Association of Filipinos in Bristol (AFB)	Filipino Festival	24 <sup>th</sup> & 25 <sup>th</sup> July 2010	£450
The Big Leap	The Big Leap – Zip Wire Activity	8 <sup>th</sup> August 2010	£85.50
Pride Sports Day	Pride Sports Day	14 <sup>th</sup> August 2010	£20.00
Concern Universal	Charity Abseil	22 <sup>nd</sup> August 2010	£85.50

## 11. Proposed future events under delegated powers

<b>Organisation</b>	<b>Event Title and Description</b>	<b>Date and Times of event</b>	<b>Site Fee</b>
SSIT	Charity Abseil	12 <sup>th</sup> September 2010	£85.50
Great Western Air Ambulance	Charity Abseil	19 <sup>th</sup> September 2010	£85.50
Run for the Future	Charity Fun Run, Jog, Walk	19 <sup>th</sup> September 2010	£150
The Outer Edge	3 Moor Tour Cycle Challenge – Charity Bike Ride Registration	24 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2010	£150
St Christophers School	St Christopher Walk	26 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2010	£150
Rotary International	Focus on the Crocus – world record planting	2 <sup>nd</sup> October 2010	TBC

### **Other Options Considered**

12. None

### **Risk Assessment**

13. Not applicable

### **Equalities Impact Assessment**

14. None

## **Legal and Resource Implications:**

### **Legal**

#### **The Clifton and Durdham Downs (Bristol) Act 1861**

provides that the Downs should remain as a place for the public resort and recreation of the citizens and inhabitants of Bristol, and that a committee should be appointed to manage them. The recommendation contained in this report is within the powers conferred by this statute.

*Legal advice given by: Frances Horner, Senior Solicitor*

<b>Financial</b>	Income since last report under Delegated Powers (5 <sup>th</sup> July 2010):  Film Office - £2,300 Events already held - £2,760 Events proposed - £621
<b>Revenue</b>	Site Fees are based on the schedule of charges 2010 / 2011 agreed at the Downs Committee on 29 <sup>th</sup> March 2010.
<b>Capital</b>	None
<b>Land</b>	The land is under the control of the Downs Committee
<b>Personnel:</b>	None
<b>Appendices:</b>	None

## **ACCESS TO INFORMATION**

### **Background Papers:**

Event Site Licence Applications File  
Bristol City Council Schedule of Charges for Events 2010/11