

CAROLS AROUND THE CHRISTMAS TREE

Following the success of previous years event, propose we repeat again this year.

£400 budget provision for Christmas

Proposed - order 16FT tree from Leamside Nurseries

Estimated costs including erection, delivery and disposal **£150**.

Proposed night Sunday 23 December (Monday 17 December (St Mary's Church Carol)

Proposed band - Pittington Brass Band - subject to availability (No fee but donation welcome – last year we gave **£100**.)

Proposed time:

Proposed refreshments - Jubilee Hall to be booked to provide refreshments and alternative venue in case of inclement weather. Cost Max - **£45** (3 hours)

Other costs – publicity, batteries, potential additional lighting .

Any other suggestions to improve the event welcome.

Approval is sought to:

- Book Pittington Brass Band for Monday 23 or alternative if availability is an issue
- Book Jubilee Hall for Monday 23 Dec– provisional 6.30pm to 9.30pm subject to confirmation of availability of band.
- Order a 16 ft Christmas Tree from Leamside
- Commit other expenditure as outlined above within overall budget provision

Cllr Wallage
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