Lanchester Parish Council



War Memorial Working Group

Lynwood House Tuesday 19 June 2018 4.00pm

Present Sally Laverick, Councillor Ossie Johnson, Dorothy Hall, lan Murray

Eric Hepplewhite (arrived at 5.00pm)

A few members of the working group met, the purpose of which was to make progress on the list of names for inclusion on the War memorial. This information will be presented at the next full meeting of the working group.

Dorothy produced an updated list of names for discussion.

The following was noted:

- The list now contains 127 names
 - 99 names (read out on Remembrance Day)
 - 21 names (additional names from existing memorials)
 - 1 name (requested by family)
 - 6 names (from Knitsley memorial)
- The additional six names are from Knitsley memorial which no longer exists. Through research it was discovered that there were seven names on the memorial, one of which was included in the 99 names read out on Remembrance Day. It therefore seemed logical to include the other six names.
- The middle names have been included on the list, verified through research. There is one middle name outstanding which cannot be traced.

It was thought that full names would look better on the memorial.

It was agreed that this long list of names should be sent to Art of Stone so they can prepare a proof.

It was agreed that this long list of names be presented to the next full meeting of the working group.

It was suggested that a meeting of the working group takes place early in July. The purpose of the meeting will be to sign off the design and list of names. Further consultation with the community will take place over summer.

It was suggested that the dedication of the War Memorial could take place on Friday 19 October 2018.

The next meeting of the group will take place on 4 July 2018 at 5.00pm at Lynwood House.

Meeting ends 6.00pm