

Item 117  
Kings Coronation

### **Background**

At the meeting of Community Engagement Committee, Cllrs allocated a budget of between £12,000 - £14,000 for the Kings Coronation event on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2023.

The following activities have been booked for the day:

Screen and Chairs	£2,809 + VAT
Stage/sound/generator	£2,840 + VAT
Face painters x 2	£ 220
Musicians x 2	£ 225
Brass Band	£ 200
Balloon modeller / magician	£ 250 (not yet booked)
Main attraction scientist	£ 470
Beach sand / equipment	£ 370
Videos for screen	£ 12
Cakes	£ 100 (Cllrs to consider 2 x large cakes for council tea tent)
Refreshments for tea tent	£ 5
Petrol for van	£ 20
	<b>£7,521</b>

Councillors are asked to consider additional costs associated with the event including:

Bhangra Dancing	£ quote awaited
Steel Band	£ 900 for 3 players for 2 hours
Seaside picture board	£ 50 estimate
Candy Floss machine	£ 150 estimate
Dome Cover for sandpit	£ 100 estimate

Other attractions attending at no cost to the council:

Ice Cream van  
Street part in Upper Brook Street through Cherishers

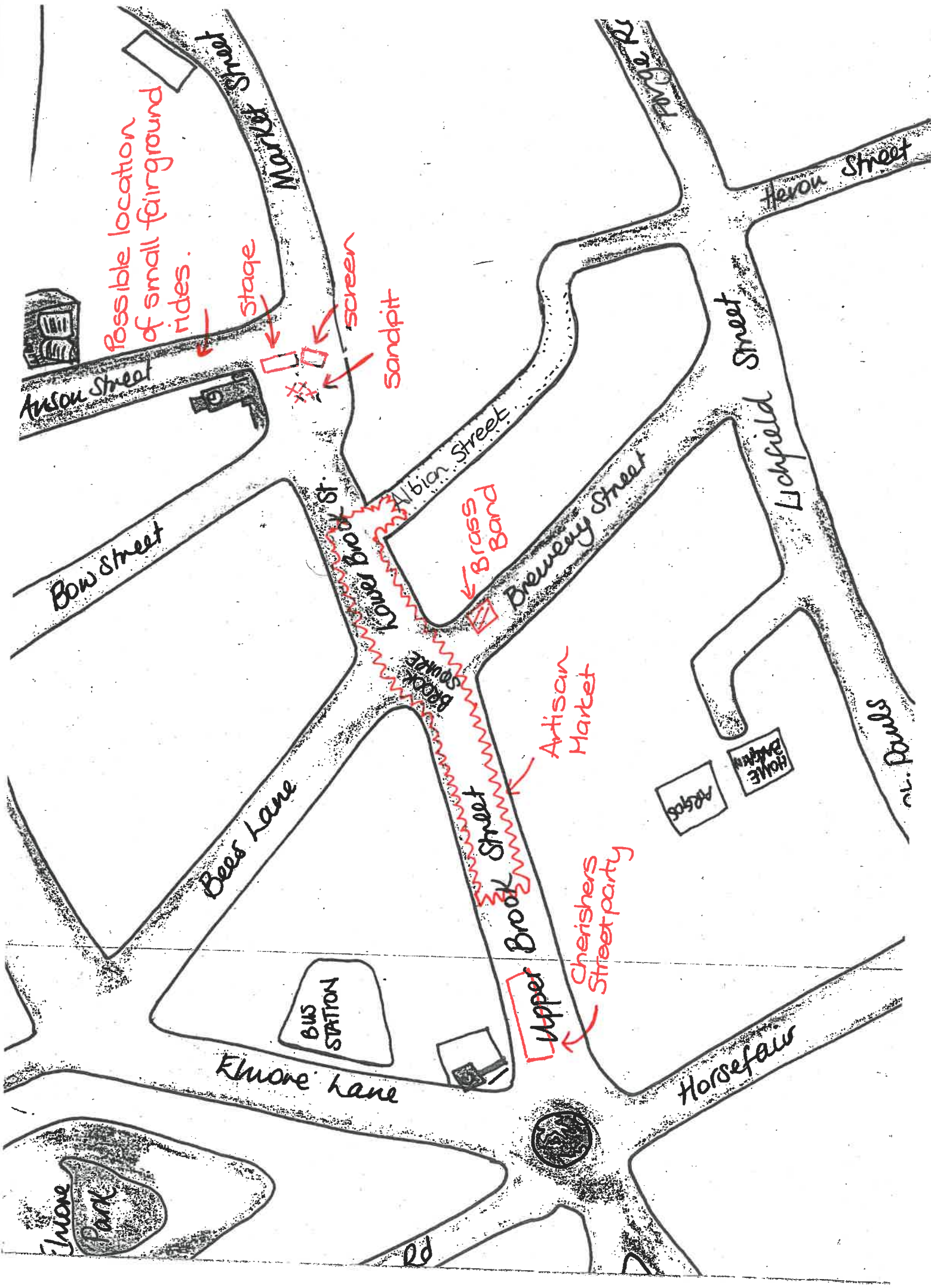
We have contacted local dance schools and choirs to see if they would like to attend and perform but we are not getting any positive response from them.

We are struggling to get food trucks interested in the event as it only runs from 10am – 4pm. A letter will be sent to all local food outlets in the town to advise them of the event and the opportunity to sell during the day.

There will also be an Artisan Market on that day, and we are looking to open up 40 stalls. These will be self-funding.

Do councillors want to invite William Jones to have small fairground rides along Anson Street?

Attached is a plan of proposed layout for the event.



Possible location of small fairground rides.

Stage

screen

sandpit

Bass Band

Artisan Market

Cherishers Street party

BUS STATION

Argos

Home Bargains

Bow Street

Bees Lane

Elmore Park

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Elmore Lane

Horsefair

Upper Brook Street

Upper Brook Street

Lower Brook Street

Albion Street

Brewery Street

Lichfield Street

Heron Street

Anson Street

Market Street