Comhairle Cathrach Bhaile Átha Cliath
Dublin City Council

Report to Arts, Culture, Leisure and Recreation SPC
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Item No. 12

Miontuairiscí - 14ú Eanair 2022 ag 2.30i.n

Miontuairiscí den chruinniú – Dé hAoine, 14ú Eanair 2022, 2.30pm ar Zoom

I Láthair: An Comhairleoir Mícheál Mac Donncha (Cathaoirleach), Ray Yeates, Julian de Spáinn (Conradh na Gaeilge), Orla McMorrow, Donncha Ó Cathasaigh, An Comhairleoir Deirdre Heney, An Comhairleoir Naoise Ó Muirí

Leithscéalta:

Ag glacadh na miontuariscí : Catherine Neville

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1. Bhí na Miontuariscí agus an clár glacaithe.

Chuir an Cathaoirleach ceist faoi Lá Mór na Gaeilge agus dúirt Ray Yeates go bpléifidh sé é le Julian de Spáinn nuair a bhíonn BÁC le Gaeilge níos socraithe. Maidir leis an Suirbhé, dúirt Orla McMorrow go raibh cursaí sholáthar le déanamh agus go bhfuil siad eagraithe anois agus tá súil ag Orla go mbeidh an suirbhé curtha amach go luath sa bhlian.

2. **Tuairisc ar BÁC le Gaeilge agus an ócáid atá eagraithe leis an Aire Stáit** -
Thug Julian de Spáinn tuairisc ar BÁC le Gaeilge agus an ócáid atá eagraithe leis an Aire Stáit. Beidh an seoladh de BÁC le Gaeilge leis an Aire Stáit ar 18ú Eanair ag Teach an Árdmhéara. Fuair RTÉ agus TG4 cuireadh chun bheith ann agus beidh an Árdmhéara ann chomh maith. Beidh Murphys Ice Cream (ar Shráid Chill Mhaintáin) ann mar shampla de ghnó le Gaeilge.
Tá preasráiteas le cur le chéile ag an Roinn agus tá Julian agus a fhoireann ag obair faoi láthair ar an lógó BÁC le Gaeilge chun bheith réidh don seoladh. Maidir leis na fostaithe nua, dheimhnigh Julian de Spáinn go mbeidh Micheál Ó Nualláin ag obair mar Stiúrthóir agus Erin Mac an tSaoir mar fheidhmeannach agus beidh siad ag tosú Dé Luain (17ú Eanair).

Roinn Julian de Spáinn samplaí den íomhaí lógó (BÁC le Gaeilge) atá siad ag forbairt faoi láthair (Caisleán le fáinne). Thug an Roinn an cead dóibh chun an an buiséad nach bhfuil caite a chur ar aghaidh go dtí 2022. Mar sin tá 50 míle sa bhuiséad 2022.

Chuir an Cathaoirleach ceist faoin dréacht preasráiteas nach luaitear an maoiniú a chuir Comhairle Cathrach Bhaile Átha Cliath ar fáil. Bhí plé ginearálta faoin preasráiteas agus aontaíodh gur dréacht cháipéis é agus go bhfuil an Roinn oscailte chun é a bheith leasaithe.

3. Cruinniú inmheánach le Gaeilgeóirí Comhairle Cathrach Bhaile Átha Cliath -
Labhair Ray Yeates ar an t-ábhar seo. Scríobh sé chuig an Príomhfheidhmeannach ag leagadh amach céard atá tarlaithe idir bunú an choiste agus seoladh BÁC le Gaeilge chun é a chur ar an eolas, an tseachtain seo chaite.

Mhol Ray Yeates go mba chóir go mbeadh cruinniú inmheánach le Gaeilgeóirí atá ag obair sa Chomhairle Cathrach chun labhairt leo faoin Fhochoiste seo, BÁC le Gaeilge agus Lá Mór na Gaeilge. Oibreoidh Ray, Orla agus Donncha le chéile chun daoine a aimsiú le bheith páirteach. D'fhéadfadh an cruinniú seo a bheith ar siúl ar Zoom le seomraí ar leithligh (breakout rooms) le grúpaí fócas. Aontaíodh gur smaoineamh maith é chun fostaithe na Comhairle, le Gaeilge, a bhailíu le chéile chun obair agus aidhmeanna an bhfochoiste a chur in iúl dóibh.

4. Ocáid Gaeilge i gcomhair Lá Fhéile Bríde 2022

Labhair Ray Yeates faoin ocáid Lá Fhéile Bríde a bhí seolta ag an Ardmhéara ar an Luain seo chaite. Beidh ceolchoirm ar siúl sa Round Room agus beidh rudaí liteartha agus ceol in áiteanna eile chomh maith le podchraoladh. Aontaíodh go mba chóir go ndéanfaidh an Fochoiste rud éigin oriúnach den ocáid seo. Mhol an Comhairleoir Heney an amhránaí Sibéal Ní Chasaide chun bheith páirteach sa cheolchoirm agus d'iarr Ray Yeates ar Julian de Spáinn cúpla ainmeacha a mholadh don duine atá ag eagrú an ceolchoirm.

5. Aon ghnó eile:
D'iarr Julian de Spáinn go gcuirfí Seachtain na Gaeilge ar an gclár don chéad chruinniú eile.
Mhol Ray Yeates 4ú Feabhra mar an dáta don chéad chruinniú eile.

Minutes - 14th January 2022 at 2.30pm

Minutes of the meeting - Friday 14th January 2022, 2.30pm on Zoom

Present: Cllr Mícheál Mac Donncha (Chairperson), Ray Yeates, Julia de Spáinn (Conradh na Gaeilge), Orla McMorrow, Donncha Ó Cathasaigh, Cllr Deirdre Heney, Cllr Naoise Ó Muirí

Excused: Catherine Neville

Taking Minutes: Catherine Neville

Agenda

1. Minutes and matters arising
2. Report on BAC le Gaeilge and event organised with the Minister of State
3. Internal meeting with Dublin City Council Gaeilgeoirí
4. Irish Event for St Brigid's Day 2022
5. AOB

1. The minutes and the agenda was agreed

The Chair asked a question regarding Lá Mór na Gaeilge and Ray Yeates said that he will discuss it with Julian de Spáinn when matters pertaining to BAC le Gaeilge are finalised.
With regard to the survey, Orla McMorrow aid that there were procurement issues to be dealt with and these are now in order. Orla hopes that the survey will be sent out early in the year.

2. Report on BAC le Gaeilge and the event organised with the Minister of State

Julian de Spáinn gave an update on BÁC le Gaeilge and the event organised with the Minister of State. The launch of BÁC le Gaeilge will take place at the Mansion House on 18th January. RTE and TG4 received an invitation to be there and the Lord Mayor will be there. Murphys Ice Cream (Wicklow Street) will be there as an example of a business willing to use Irish. The Department of the Gaeltacht is putting together a Press Release and Julian and his team are currently working on the BÁC le Gaeilge logo in order for it to be ready for the launch. With regard to the new employees, Julian de Spáinn confirmed that Mícheál Ó Nualláin will be employed as Director and Erin Mac an tSaoir as executive officer and they will be starting on Monday 17th January.

Julian de Spáinn shared samples of the logos that are currently in development (Castle with a Fáinne). The Department of the Gaeltacht has permitted them to carryover unspent budget for 2021 to 2022. Therefore, there is a budget of fifty thousand for 2022.

The Chair asked a question regarding the draft Press Release that did not mention funding provided by Dublin City Council.
There was a general discussion regarding the Press Release and it was agreed that it was a draft document and the Department are open to amendments.

3. Internal meeting with DCC Gaeilgeoirí

Ray Yeates spoke on this topic. He wrote to the Chief Executive last week informing him of events since the Committee has been set-up to the Launch of BAC le Gaeilge.
Ray Yeates recommended that an internal meeting with Gaeilgeóirí working in DCC take place to inform them about this sub-committee, BÁC le Gaeilge and Lá Mór na Gaeilge. Ray, Orla and Donncha will work together to encourage people to participate. This meeting could take place on Zoom with Breakout Rooms for focus groups. It was agreed that it was a good idea

for DCC employees with Irish to get together in order to make them aware of the work and aims of the sub-committee.

4. Irish Event for St Brigid's Day 2022

Ray Yeates informed the sub-committee about the event for St Brigid's Day that was launched by the Lord Mayor the previous Monday. There will be a concert taking place in the Round Room and there will be literary and musical events taking place, as well as a podcast. Cllr Heney recommended that singer Sibéal Ní Chasaide participate in the concert and Ray Yeates asked Julian de Spáinn to recommend some names to those organising the concert.

5. AOB

Julian de Spáinn requested that Seachtain na Gaeilge be put on the agenda for the next meeting. Ray Yeates recommended that the next meeting take place on the 4th February.