

8 CITY CENTRE EVENTS - DUNDEE AND DUNDEE UNITED FOOTBALL CLUBS (AN154-2014)

DUNDEE FOOTBALL CLUB SPFL CHAMPIONSHIP 2014

Dundee Football Club were successful in winning the SPFL Championship 2014 on Saturday, 3rd May when they defeated Dumbarton FC.

In collaboration with Dundee FC, the Council will host an event in the City Centre on Sunday, 11th May, 2014 to celebrate this win and the Team's return to Premiership football. This will include a Civic Reception in the City Chambers and a presentation of the Trophy on the balcony of the City Chambers.

DUNDEE UNITED SCOTTISH CUP - 17TH MAY, 2014

In the event of Dundee United Football Club winning the William Hill Scottish Cup on Saturday, 17th May, 2014, the City Council will host a celebration event in the City Centre on Sunday, 18th May, 2014.

In collaboration with Dundee United, the Council plans to host an open-top bus journey with the team, a reception in the City Chambers, and the presentation of the Scottish Cup on the balcony at the City Chambers.

In order to deliver these events safely stewarding and barriers are required.

It is estimated that the total cost of hosting both these events will be £20,000 and it is proposed that this sum be met from the Common Good Fund.

If Dundee United do not win the William Hill Scottish Cup then the proposed event will not take place, however the City Council will still incur expenditure of £3,100 for deposits.

The Committee is asked to agree that the estimated costs of £20,000 being incurred on the proposed events and £3,100 if the Dundee United event does not take place be funded from the Common Good Fund.

In view of the timescales involved this note was approved by the Chief Executive in consultation with the Convener of the Policy and Resources Committee, Labour Group spokesperson, Conservative member, Liberal Democrat member and the Independent member.