	2017/18 Q2 forec	est 2017/18	Budget 2016/	17 Actuals	2016/17 Budg	get 2015/16 /	Actuals	2015/16 Budget	2014/15 Actuals	2014/15 B	udget
Direct Employee costs	239,536	239,536	238,4	10	211,858	215,576		207,187	212,151	198,237	
Utilities	24,795	24,795	21,2	35	21,210	20,805		17,365	21,100	20,350	
Service running costs: furniture, licences, bins, cash collection, equipment, advertising	116,350	116,350	91,5	95	100,855	135,051		138,964	145,906	139,803	
Income from sales of programmes, ice creams, confectionery, theatre tokens	(35,835)	(36,435)	(37,04	5)	(35,975)	(37,745)		(42,050)	(35,731)	(39,136)	
Recovered costs - postage, box office set up, casual staff	(12,000)	(12,308)	(12,28	3)	(12,732)	(14,714)		(12,000)	(1,225)	0	
Membership fees	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,34	5)	(2,000)	(1,547)		(4,593)	(2,010)	(4,500)	
Contract receipts, Advertising income	(5,149)	(5,149)	(20,99	6)	(19,000)	(18,624)		(20,119)	(18,585)	(20,000)	
Booking fees	(16,875)	(22,500)	(24,84	,	(22,508)	(22,056)		(20,396)	(19,094)	(20,000)	
Net income from Professional Shows		(135,000)	(152,68		(128,020)	(120,366)		(151,000)	(141,564)	(125,000)	
Letting Fees, equipment hire		(151,910)	(152,74	8)	(151,452)	(155,704)		(161,000)	(143,151)	(177,000)	
Net income/Commission from Community Performances, other events		(8,639)	(3,70	7) 0	(7,729)	(3,211)		1,750	21,612	(2,565)	
Bar Expenditure - staff, equipment, provisions		79,520									
Bar Income - sales of hot drinks, snacks, ice cream and confectionery, drinks	(120,330)	(127,130)									
Full year surplus/deficit on Playhouse activities	(22,4	15)	(39,870)	(54,410)	(45	5,493)	(2,533)	(45,892)	39,410		(29,811)

Comments:

The Playhouse Theatre

As in 2016/17, letting and equipment hire income is performing well.

Forecast income from shows booked for the rest of the year is above 2016/17, although Panto ticket sales are a significant factor in achieving this.

Legislative changes to credit card charges to be implemented in January 2018, will impact on the £22k booking fee income budget. The Q2 forecast has been reduced to £17k.

Overall, at present no other significant variations are anticipated on the Playhouse Theatre budgets.

The Playhouse Bar

The bar contract income to the Council for the outsourced bar was £14k per annum. Since April 2017 the bar has been run in house, with a net income budget of £48k.

The income to date for drinks, snacks, etc., has been broadly on target and in line with profiled estimates based on data provided by the previous operator.

At Q1 the overall position was looking on track to hit budget by year end.

Since then however, expenditure on staffing and provisions have increased beyond budget and the net income figure could prove challenging.

The full position will not be clear until after the busy Pantomine season, but at present it looks possible that the bar could be around £16k overspent by year end.

Income and expenditure will be monitored regularly over the coming weeks and months and all possible remedial action will be taken.

For information: Non direct costs									,			,				
Building costs:																
Cottages Rent & Service Charge	28,250		28,250		30,649		29,200		29,215		29,200		29,164		28,250	
Business Rates, Insurance	29,010		29,010		24,751		24,990		24,650		25,021		24,450		24,541	
Cleaning and Maintenance Contract costs	59,638		59,638		81,165		80,270		75,139		75,090		62,523		62,333	
Capital Expenditure - Roof Repairs					0	0			197,900				3,500			
Subsidy on building		116,898		116,898		136,565		134,460		326,904		129,311		119,636		115,124
Indirect Employee costs - Management/Admin, Pensions	58,065		58,065		76,028	0	76,027	0	77,068	0	77,068	0	65,690	0	65,690	0
Central charges requiring redistribution	124,995		124,995		134,246	0	117,469	0	113,593	0	110,896	0	124,482	0	110,846	0
Asset rents	79,009		79,009		38,529	0	86,029	0	79,009	0	79,009	0	68,979	0	68,979	0
		262,069		262,069		248,803		279,525		269,670		266,973		259,151		245,515
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Totals		356,522		339,097		330,958		368,492		594,041		350,392		418,197		330,828
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