

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

Your request for information has now been considered and the Council's response to your questions is shown below.

You asked:

RE: Divalli & EID & XMAS Lights/Display (Town Hall Square) – Please supply the following details regarding the above items:

- A) Dates the events of lighting to commemorate (ie From – To)**
- B) Cost of each event and cost of:-**
 - i) Town Hall Square (lights)**
 - ii) Town Hall Square (display)**
- C) Man hours taken (total) to 'put up' and 'take down'.**
- D) Was an outside contractor/sub contractor used or council staff?**
- E) If contractor/sub contractor/council staff used – please state the number of hours & cost for B:C:D:**

ANSWER

Requested dates for festivals:

	On	Off
Diwali	04/11/2012	26/11/2012
Eid	10/08/2012	03/09/2012
Christmas Lights	18/11/2012	06/01/2013

Cost of each event:

Diwali = £19,101.26

Eid = £3806

Christmas Town Hall Square (lights) = £21,157.56

Christmas Town Hall Square (display) = £29,893.91

Man hrs for each event:

Eid = 300hrs approx.

Diwali = 570hrs approx.

Christmas = 610hrs approx.

An appointed contractor was used, apart from the erect/ remove large trees, scaffolding & crib tasks. But these costs have been included above.

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