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CHAIRMAN'S REPORT TO THE MEETING OF FULL COUNCIL ON WEDNESDAY 27 FEBRUARY 2019

22 January 2019 - 17.30-18.00 – County Hall

Youth Council. To award certificates to schools and to meet the Youth Council members who have worked hard on specification for the awards.

I am delighted that the Youth Council continue to do so well, and super to catch up with everyone.

22 January 2019 - m18.00-23.00 – Lord Mayors Suite Guildhall Portsmouth

Attended with Deputy George Cameron the Lord Mayor of Portsmouth's' Annual Dinner. A beautiful event, with 'all the family silver' out on show and for us to use. So great that Portsmouth Authority allow this. A real showcase!

26 January 2019 13.40 - 15.30 - East Cowes Town Hall.

Royal British Legion County Conference. I am always pleased to attend this event, and so grateful to the amazing volunteers, that keep the Legions open.

1 February 2019 - 17.30-21.30 -Cowes Yacht Haven.

Isle of Wight Council Staff Awards Ceremony. So many staff from across the spectrum, shows how diverse and brilliant staff are. Have to say, dress code should have been 'thermals'!! It was quite literally freezing at the yacht haven! Food was delicious. Delighted to help award the Long service awards.

15 February 2019 -18.40-22.00 – Riverside Centre Newport

This is Your Life event to outgoing Lord Lieutenant Sir Martin White. So many friends and funny stories told. A fitting tribute to a superb Lord Lieutenant of the Isle of Wight of almost 13 years! Well done to Richard Priest and friends who arranged the event.