

Community and Leisure Facilities Committee Minutes

Meeting held in the Village Hall on Tuesday 21st March 2017 at 7.30pm

Present: Cllrs Morris (Chair), Collier, Hodson, Richards, Alan Raven (Cricket), Ian Stuchbury (CUFC), Andy Ward (S&SC) and the Clerk

- 17L/025. Chairman's Introduction and Apologies** – apologies accepted from Cllrs Berenger (personal), Mudd (personal), Nicholas (personal), Young (work) and Bob Lee.
- 17L/026. Public participation – Standing Orders to be suspended** – no public present.
- 17L/027. To accept Declarations of Interest** - To receive disclosures of pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests from Councillors on matters to be considered at the meeting. Noted that none received.
- 17L/028. Minutes** - Resolution that the minutes of the Committee meeting held on the 17th February 2017 be signed as a correct record. **RESOLVED.**
- 17L/029. Reports**
- **Clerk** – light in Village Hall now repaired. Les King Wood – all works done with the exception of removal of old tree guards.
 - **Health & Safety report** – as per report in pack.
 - **Balancing Pond** – ditch is still to be sealed. Guard rails have now been installed.
 - **Major developments** – SCDC meeting on Thursday to discuss Gladman application for 200 houses + 70 homes with care. There is still time for residents to comment.
 - **Youth Provision** – nothing to report.
 - **Village Hall** – project has stalled. Planners are insistent that height and mass is still a problem. We have submitted a new Design & Access statement giving rationale for nursery provision. Architects are meeting with Head of Services to see what we would be allowed to do. Planning Department have a meeting next week in advance of meeting with W&B.
 - **Dog fouling** – waiting delivery of stickers.
- 17L/030. Fen Reeves** – to consider granting formal permission for Cottenham Childminders group to use the site following access clearance works – Clerk reported that access has now been cleared by County. Resolution that formal permission be given to Cottenham Childminders group to use Fen Reeves for den building and associated activities. **RESOLVED.**
- 17L/031. Fen Reeves maintenance** – Resolution to repair roadside fence and cut back brambles from rear entrance gateway at a total cost of £150 + VAT. **RESOLVED.**
- 17L/032. Village Hall Hire 1** – to consider permitting usage of the Hall for a charity fundraising event – Resident and daughter are walking across the Sahara in aid of Arthur Rank and would like to use the Hall for a fundraising event. Resolution to allow Deanna Raven free use of the Village Hall for fundraising event. **RESOLVED.**
- 17L/033. Village Hall Hire 2** – to consider permitting usage of the Hall for a regular booking and moving Planning Committee meetings to the Pavilion – Need to get pedestrian pathway installed first. Cllr Morris to instruct contractors.
- 17L/034. WARG Field** – to consider siting of a bench at WARG Field – Cllr Richards reported that the bench has a metal frame which needs painting and the wood needs replacing. Clerk to chase groundsman to deliver to Cllr Richards for refurbishment.
- 17L/035. Matters for consideration at the next meeting** – Hall hire charges; smell in Pavilion.
- 17L/036. Date of next meeting** – 18th April 2017
- 17L/037. Close of Meeting** – 8.22pm.

Signed _____ (Chair) Date _____