



Long Stratton Town Council

The Street, Long Stratton, NR15 2AH Telephone 01508 530524

Chairman: Mr Kevin Worsley. Clerk: Mrs R Buck

MINUTES OF THE LEISURE COMMITTEE MEETING HELD MONDAY 16th 2019 AT 6PM IN THE TOWN COUNCIL OFFICE.

In attendance: Councillors Earp, Baker, Woodham, Bambridge, Worsley & Gladding

T Thompson (groundsman) B Buck (Clerk)

1. To consider apologies for absence
Councillor Pochin gave apologies due to a prior commitment these apologies were accepted by the Committee.
2. To receive disclosures of interest and dispensations
Councillor Bambridge declared an interest in item 6a as Chairman of Long Stratton Football Club
3. To sign the minutes from the previous meeting held on 24 June 2018 as a true record
The minutes of the previous meeting were signed as a true copy by the Chairman
4. To receive a report from the Groundsman regarding repair work undertaken at the playing fields
The groundsman gave a report of the work that has been undertaken on the playing fields. The committee were happy with the work undertaken.
5. To discuss and decide upon any matter arising from the Groundsman report
The committee **approved** a chipper. The committee approved the compost heap to be emptied, the groundsman advised that the top part is playing field waste the remainder is bowls club. The Committee asked the clerk to ask the bowls club to contribute to the chipper to empty the compost heap and also to provide some manpower to assist the groundsman.
6. To discuss and decide on request from Long Stratton FC
 - a. To put a 4th barrier up on the playing field
Following a lengthy discussion, the committee **recommend** to council to approve a 4th barrier which extends to the edge of the MUGA with gaps for dug outs. The barrier is to be to the cost of the football club and to the same specification that has been recently installed, with reflective triangles for health and safety purposes. There are to be no further requests for alterations to the football club.
7. To receive a report regarding progress with the pavilion
The Clerk reported that Draper Nichols were ahead of schedule.
8. To discuss and decide on the kitchen for the Pavilion
The committee approved a non-commercial kitchen, kitchen design to be agreed at an extraordinary meeting to be held the 23rd September.
9. To discuss and decide on any other matter regarding the Pavilion that arises by 4pm on Monday 16th September
There was no other matter to discuss.

Signed.....Dated.....



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10. To review the proposed planters at Churchfields

The Clerk advised that County Councillor Alison Thomas and Officer Gary Overland had not approved the planters to date.

11. To review the planters in the village for replanting

The planters were reviewed. The groundsman was asked to replant as required.

12. Any other business (for information only)

There was no any other business to discuss.

With their being no further business the meeting, the chairman closed the meeting at 19:35.

Signed.....Dated.....