

Churchill Parish Council



CHURCHILL PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Leisure Committee Meeting held on 27th June 2022

Present: Councillors Jackie Bush (Chair of Committee), J Murray, J Ronicle and K Croker.
Parish Clerk S Diaz and three members from the Sports Clubs

- 22-23/LC6A** **To receive any apologies of non-attendance**
Councillors R Baker and R Brafield sent their apologies
- 22-23/LC6B** **To receive any declarations of interest on agenda items.**
There were no declarations of interest.
- 22-23/LC6C** **To confirm and sign the minutes of the meeting held on 21st February 2022.**
It was resolved to sign the minutes of the meeting held on 21st February 2022.
- 22-23/LC6D** **To consider the quote from Alvis Groundcare for the work to the playing fields.**
It was resolved to approve the quote from Alvis Groundcare and to ask for a quote for the same treatment on the cricket outfield at the end of the season. The clerk will establish how often this work needs to be carried out.
- 22-23/LC6E** **To consider the quote from GB Sport for repairs to the Play Area.**
It was resolved to approve the quote from GB Sports for repairs to the play area.
- 22-23/LC6F** **To discuss how to prevent rogue cricket balls causing damage to homes in Turnpike Close.**
It was agreed to ask the resident to confirm that they have received approval from the housing authority to place a net at the side of their property to catch any tiles/balls from the cricket club. The Parish Council sought guidance from the English Cricket Board last year who confirmed that Churchill Cricket Club had carried out every measure to mitigate safety measures. If agreement has been permitted to erect a net on the side of the property the Parish Council will arrange for this to be fitted.

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- 22-23/LC6G** **To consider the quotes for the maintenance to various areas of the Parish.**
It was resolved to approve the quote for maintenance from Pro Handyman Services to various areas of the parish.
- 22-23/LC6H** **To consider the budget v spend**
The budget versus spend is on track for the year.
- 22-23/LC6I** **To consider the addition of cycle racks next to the Community Club door.**
It was agreed to place 2 cycle racks either side of the front door at the Community Club.
- 22-23/LC6J** **To consider the quotes for the new steps to Community Café.**
It was resolved to approve the quote for 2 steps at the new entrance of the Community Café from Cottage Gardens.
- 22-23/LC6K** **To consider purchasing a defibrillator for the Parish.**
The clerk is waiting for the current provider to confirm the end of warranty on the current device. Once this is determined the current provider will present to full Council at the next meeting for the best options and answer any questions. The clerk will contact the fire brigade and continue to source other sponsors for donations for either 1 or 2 devices.
- 22-23/LC6L** **To receive updates from the Sports Clubs.**
The Cricket Club have enquired when the lease will be complete as the delay has resulted in the club being unable to apply for funding this year. The clerk advised that the Solicitors said they had been held up due to another case and the clerk will respond asking for a reduced cost of the work due to the delay. The cricket club will be responsible for removing their recycling. The Rugby Club advised that they have had a good season and all females are training at the recreation field. They expressed an interest to have sole use of the training pitch.
- 22-23/LC6M** **To receive matters for information and future agenda items**
The Parish Council will source quotes for a soakaway at the top of the recreation field. The clerk will contact Wrington for details of who maintains their skate park. The clerk will contact the insurance company regarding the Skate Park. There has been an increase in litter at the top of the recreation field, the clerk will ask the Parish Orderly to carry out regular checks. A post will go on the website and Facebook page reminding people to take litter home or dispose of accordingly. There has been an increase in litter from the Post Office down Front Street. The clerk will ask Churchill Academy to remind pupils to use the bins available.

The next Leisure Committee meeting will be Monday 17th October 2022 at 7.30pm
End of minutes