

Great Linford Parish Council

Great Locality - Proud Community

Minutes of the meeting of the Recreation and Environment Committee held on Tuesday 13th May 2008 at 7:30pm in the Parish Office, Neath Hill Local Centre.

Present :Cllr Allum (Chair), Cur Morsley, Cur Stabler~ Cur Tripp, Cur Byfield, Cur Williams, CllrLoftus, Cur Rose, Cllr Ellis, Cllr Connor, Cllr Brockwell Cllr Teesdale (observing).

1. Apologies - none
2. Declarations of Members Interests - no declarations made
3. Minutes of the last meeting: it was proposed by Cllr Williams and seconded by Cllr Stabler that the minutes of the meeting held Tuesday April 8th 2008 be signed as a true record.
4. Matters arising : there were no matters arising.
5. Downs Barn Sports Facility - quote for lighting in the sports facility is required.
6. Marsh Drive Sports Facility -
 - a. The proposal from Richard Duffil had various options. Option B was proposed By Cllr Morsley and seconded by Cur Rose. Option I was proposed by Cllr Stabler and seconded by Cllr Williams. Option I was voted in.
 - b. A meeting to discuss council decision of Option 1 plus extra spaces to make 120 altogether will be arranged between Cllr Allum Parish Manger and Richard Duffil.
Completion target is the start of the new season.
7. High Street Sports Facility - nothing to report
8. Updating of Play areas.
 - a. Phil Snell's proposal was accepted by council. The process of consultation with children and residents was appreciated.
 - b. Meeting with Phil is required to determine the whole cost and its funding
 - c. Council request a meeting with Phil to discuss, Serjeants Green, Pennyland and money from S 106.
9. Allotments
 - a. Parish Manager to obtain quotes for security gates at Hills Close, Gifford Gate
and Neath Hill now grant has been received
10. Dog Poo bags

- a. Cost of providing dog poo bags is to be presented at the Full Council meeting

11. Estates:

- a. Great Linford Clir Loftus raised issues of the state of the lay area and rubbish at the back of one of the property's
- b. Blakelands Cur Tripf'raised concerns that
 - i. the safety barriers have still not bee(put back,
 - ii. there is graffiti around the bandstand,
 - iii. benches in play area need repainting
 - iv. a homeless man needs so help in the area and the police will be informed
- c. Downs Barn CUr Connor informed council of a wood trust event the area

12. Any Other Business

- a. Lornier Place CUr Allum asked Councillors to consider what could be done in this area. CUr Teesdale was asked to provide costings to develop an Orchard Community
- b. Water side festival Councillors were asked to consider the \parish Councils involvement in future events
- c. Waterside festival request for a grant to be presented at Council with the correct paperwork

13. Date of the next meeting is Wednesday 4th June

The meeting closed at 9:08pm

Signed

Date