

NORTH FERRIBY PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES
Playing Field Committee
8 February 2023

PRESENT: Councillors M.Abraham (Chairman), Blogg, Holborn & Wood

ALSO PRESENT: Clerk J. Haslope , D.Morgan (Ferriby Shed), D.Wyndham (Cricket)

Minute No.

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52. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE – Cllr Knight submitted apologies.

53. DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY OR NON-PECUNIARY INTEREST – Cllrs Blogg and Wood declared an interest as members of the Bowls Club, D.Morgan declared an interest as a member of the Ferriby Shed and D.Wyndham declared an interest as a member of the Cricket Club.

54. MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 8 FEBRUARY 2023 - Resolved – that the minutes be accepted as an accurate record and were signed by the Chairman.

55. PUBLIC FORUM – The newly appointed Chairman of the Bowls Club attended the meeting.

56. PARK WARDEN'S REPORT – The Park Warden reported that whilst he was cleaning the surface of the tennis courts he noticed that the surface is being cracked and raised by tree roots. This area has been examined by the Clerk and Cllr Abraham who recommend that since it is away from the playing surface it is monitored for now. This approach was agreed by the committee.

57. CLERK'S REPORT

57.1. Monthly Report – The Clerk reported that the zip wire repair had been carried out and that the CCTV service had taken place. It was agreed that the Football Club would be approached to see if the position of their entrance light could be altered. There is a broken tile on the pavilion and possibly some loose ridge tiles, so it was agreed that the Clerk would be delegated the duty of resolving this within her expenditure limit. The response from the football club regarding the muddy ball marks was noted and it was agreed that football training sessions should be moved to the top of the playing field. Finally, it was noted that it had not been possible to find someone able to cut the skate park hedge before 1 March.

57.2. The financial position of the Playing Field Committee was noted. No concerns were raised.

58. OTHER MATTERS

58.1. Request to Use Form – The wording on the form for 2023 was approved.

58.2. Pavilion – It was **Resolved** to approve the Rules for Use of the Pavilion document and it was noted that the list of contents in the pavilion would be updated as required.

58.3. Cricket Club – The Cricket Club have been approached by Pelican CC to hold their matches at the Ferriby Ground. The matter was discussed and the committee agreed with the principal of this, and would consider Pelican CC as another user should Ferriby Cricket Club agree that the matches and preparation of the wicket could be accommodated.

58.4. Ferriby Shed – Following marking out the new workshop and reviewing it with the cricket club it was agreed that the most suitable position for the new workshop would be to the south of the pavilion. It was also suggested that whilst planning permission was being sought, permission should also be requested for future additional storage to be provided north of the pavilion and this was agreed. The Clerk will submit the planning application on this basis.

58.5. Bowl's Club – Cllr Blogg introduced the new Chairman of the Bowl's Club to the committee and explained that at its AGM, the Bowl's Club had agreed to have a meeting about forming a fundraising committee that will look into the long term repairs for the roof and floor of the clubhouse. It was also noted that repairs have been made to the floor following the burst water pipe.

- 58.6. **Grange Lane** - It was agreed that the grass verge at the entrance to Grange Lane will not be cut to support the Biodiversity Plan. The impact of this decision will be reviewed at the July meeting.
- 58.7. **Wheelchair Ramp** – The various options and quotations were reviewed and it was agreed that a folding wheelchair ramp would be purchased for the pavilion at a cost of £135 + VAT.

The meeting closed at :

Date of next meeting : 12 April 2023