

NORTH FERRIBY PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES
Playing Field Committee
8 October 2025

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

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

Minute No.
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26. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE** – Cllrs Holborn, Knight and Shaikh submit apologies
27. **DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY OR NON-PECUNIARY INTEREST** – D. Morgan declared an interest as a member of Ferriby Shed and D.Wyndham declared an interest as a member of the Cricket Club.
28. **MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 10 SEPTEMBER 2025 – Resolved** – that the minutes be accepted as an accurate record and were signed by the Chairman.
29. **PUBLIC FORUM** – There was no public speaking
30. **PARK WARDEN'S REPORT** – The Park Warden reported that he would be on holiday at the end of October, and it was agreed that the litter picking duties would be carried out by Ferriby Shed. Otherwise, apart from a lot of litter, there are no issues to report.
31. **CLERK'S REPORT**
 - 31.1. **Monthly Report** – The Clerk reported that the CCTV issue has been discussed with Delta Security and will be checked at the next service. There is a training session on the implementation of Martyn's Law on 21 Oct, and the recording will be circulated to members who cannot attend live. It was agreed that the water heater in the pavilion toilet would be replaced at a cost of £250. Finally the Cricket Club have reminded the Clerk that there is a piece of play equipment in the Score Box, and it was agreed that its installation on the play area should be considered during the future development project.
 - 31.2. The financial position of the Playing Field Committee was discussed. No concerns were raised.
32. **OTHER MATTERS**
 - 32.1. **Play Equipment Repairs** – Both the zip wire and basket swing need maintenance and it was agreed that the quotation from Team Sport and Play, at a cost of £1,630 + VAT would be accepted, with the payment to be made from the Charity Account.
 - 32.2. **Bowls Club** – It was agreed that the funds remaining in the Bowls Club account, in addition to the money raised by selling the Dennis lawnmower and hedge trimmer would be transferred to the Charity Account and only used to set up a new bowls club in the future, or if this does not happen, to redevelop the site for a new use. It was also agreed that regular site inspections would be carried out every 3 months or following severe weather.
 - 32.3. **Trees** – It was agreed to accept the quotation of £900 + VAT from Ferriby Fencing for crown lifting the line of trees along the eastern edge of the playing field and removing a tree root on the surface of the field.
 - 32.4. **Grange Lane Verge** – It was noted that the Ferri-Bee Village Group along with help from the scouts had planted bulbs and wildflowers in the verge at the end of Grange Lane.
 - 32.5. **2026/7 Budget** – Initial project ideas for the budget were discussed.

The meeting closed at : 8.40pm

Date of next meeting : 8 October 2025