

NORTH FERRIBY PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES
Playing Field Committee
12 November 2025

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

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

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33. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE – Cllr Holborn submitted apologies

34. 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.

35. MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 8 OCTOBER 2025 – Resolved – that the minutes be accepted as an accurate record and were signed by the Chairman.

36. PUBLIC FORUM – The Park Warden reported that there were no new issues to raise.

37. PARK WARDEN'S REPORT

38. CLERK'S REPORT

38.1. Monthly Report – The Clerk reported that the CCTV cameras on Grange Lane were not working and that an electrician was required to make the repair. It was agreed that the should be arranged as soon as possible and that up to £500 could be spent on the repair without needing further approval. It was also noted that a switch for one of the wall heaters in the pavilion had been replaced at a cost of £55 + VAT. The work to crown lift the trees and grind out a tree root had been completed, and it was agreed to ask Ferriby Fencing to carry out a vertidrain treatment as per the budget. Finally it was noted that the water to the Allotments, Bowls Pavilion and the Changing Rooms had been switched off.

38.2. The financial position of the Playing Field Committee was discussed. The recent, large water bill was discussed in detail, and it was agreed that the findings indicate that there is a small water leak somewhere. An approach to trying to locate the water leak was agreed and the Clerk will work through these steps before contacting Yorkshire Water.

39. OTHER MATTERS

39.1. Cricket Club – A report on the activities of the Cricket Club over the season was given, noting the highlights of the club.

39.2. Tree Management Policy – The Committee reviewed the draft Tree Management Policy and agreed that the policy should be recommended to the Parish Council for adoption.

39.3. Tennis Court Fence – The quotation from Ferriby Fencing for repairing and strengthening the southern side of the fence was discussed and it was **Resolved** to approve the expenditure of £770 + VAT.

39.4. Footpaths – It is no longer possible to deliver the proposed tarmac surface for the entrance into the Play Area, due to the change in costs. Instead it was **Resolved** that the proposal from Ferriby Fencing to use concrete paver at a cost of £940 + VAT would be approved. It was also noted that repairs to the main footpath to the skate park were suggested, but the committee decided that these should be considered alongside the new path being created as part of the new housing development.

D. Wyndham left the meeting

39.5. Playing Field Committee Budget 2026/7 – The different elements of the budget were discussed and reviewed including new items to introduce new seating in the shade near the play area and to replace the now obsolete fuse board in the Pavilion.

The meeting closed at : 9pm

Date of next meeting : 10 December 2025

Signed by the Chairman.....Date..... PFC pg.84