



**Minutes of the Recreation and Parish Hall Committee held on 12th May 2016
at 7.00pm in the Committee Room, the Parish Hall, and Newdigate Street,
Kimberley**

Present: Chairman T Rood

Councillor: S Easom
D Saxton
T Syson
R Plumb
J Sisson
J Pearce
T Davies

Members of the public

85. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor's;
Brunt – holiday
French – holiday

86. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

87. MINUTES

Members were asked to accept the minutes of the Recreation and Parish Hall committee from the 14th April 2016.

RESOLVED that; the minutes of the Recreation & Parish Hall committee meeting held on 14th April 2016 were accepted as a true record.



88 MEETING WITH POLICE REPRESENTITIVES

No update from the Police representatives.

89 BOUNDARIES & FOOTPATHS

The Clerk informed the committee that the request for bollards to be placed the Stag Public House is still ongoing and that County Councillor Ken Rigby is aware of the potential hazard.

90 MAINTENANCE SCHEDULES

The Clerk informed the committee that the balustrade at the Bowls Club house had become a potential health and safety issue. The balustrade was in need of immediate replacement which had proceeded at the cost of £500.00.

The Clerk informed that a Health & Safety consultant had visited all the Council sites and the report will follow once payment had been made of £450.00.

91 RECREATION GROUNDS

The Clerk informed that further vandalism had occurred on the Stag playground. It was discussed that type of apparatus to be reinstated may have to be a different style.

RESOLVED that; Councillor Pearce and the clerk will work together to look at different types of apparatus for replacement.



92 FOOTBALL GROUNDS

The Chairman suspended standing orders and invited Neil Johnson from Kimberley Miners Welfare Football Club to speak

Neil Johnson enquired if any progress had been made with the lease for the Football Club. He informed that a revised simpler proposed lease had been sent forward.

The Chairman reinstated standing orders

The committee informed that the Football Club lease was still needed to be reviewed and that the Council had set up a Football sub-committee to fact find the best way forward for the site. The committee suggested that the Neil Johnson could aid the process and send through details the current position of the Football Club.

RESOLVED that; Neil Johnson will email the Clerk the current position of Kimberley Miners Welfare. The Football Club sub-committee will convene and fact finds the best options for the Football ground in terms of best value for money. The Football Club Subcommittee is to report to Full council

92 PARISH HALL

The Clerk informed the committee that the Parking restrictions on the Car Park are still not being adhered to. The Clerk explained that the Health & Safety consultant had visited the Parish Hall suggested that the storage rooms at the back need to be revised. The Clerk informed that currently regular users of the hall store items which are not suitable for the storage cupboard as they are heavy to move.

RESOLVED that; the clerk write to all users of the hall reminder them to keep there apparatus tidy and in their allocated place.

93 COULORFUL KIMBERLEY

The Clerk updated that the application for the stress testing of the baskets is still ongoing. Awaiting method statements to arrive for the hanging of the baskets.

94 LEVEL CROSSING

No further updates on this item

95 OLD SCHOOL HOUSE

Councillor Rood updated Paul Gagn has been instructed to go ahead with the plans for the Old School House renovation.



96 CEMTERERY CHAPEL

The Clerk informed the committee that the Health & Safety consultant had risk assessed the cemetery chapel and it has been graded as low risk. Once the written report is received and the fire extinguishers have been replaced the licence for the Chapel will proceed. Councillor Rood suggested ideas for the brochure to advertise the Little Chapel on the Hill for Civil Ceremonies.

Councillor Plumb asked the committee if they should wish to receive a donation of an electric organ for the Chapel.

RESOLVED that; the electric organ is accepted for the Cemetery Chapel.

97 EVENTS

The Clerk informed that all items confirmed and a schedule for the Senior citizens Tea Party 18th May 2016 will be emailed out to the events committee.

98 CLERKS REPORT

The Clerk reported to urgent items for the committee.

99 CORRESPONDENCE

No urgent correspondence to discuss by the committee

100 PLANNING APPLICATIONS

No planning applications to consider

101 DATES OF NEXT MEETINGS

19th May 2016 Annual Town Meeting 7.00pm

19th May 2016 Annual Meeting of the Full Council 8.00pm



