

QUENIBOROUGH PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Recreation Committee held in the Council Meeting Room at 8pm on Wednesday 25th April 2018

PRESENT: Mr S Wright (in the Chair)
Mrs R Curtis
Mr B King
Mr N Morton

Apologies from Mrs P Jones

6244 Matters arising from the Recreation Committee held on 21st February 2018

6186. King George V Tree work. This had not been done because of the wet weather. Mr Morton questioned if it should be held off now.

6192. This was discussed, and it was agreed to investigate an in-house solution with the possible use of the school and volunteers.

RESOLVED: that the Clerk should supply Mr Morton with local contacts and also obtain prices for bird and wildlife boxes.

6245 Work programme for the playing fields

The current programme had been circulated with the agenda. This was discussed. Quotations had been received for grass protection matting.

RESOLVED: that the following action be agreed:

- a) that the Council should buy the grass protection matting for the entrance to King George Playing Field and for around the train and ask the Gardener/Handyman to fit it. Additional hours should be given to the Cemetery Gardener/Handyman to assist if required. A budget of £400 was agreed.
- b) That November 5th should be given two weeks to complete the clear up of the bonfire square.
- c) That 2 tonne of mill waste should be ordered for the car park at Rearsby Road.
- d) That the litterbin on Rearsby Road Playing Field should be replaced.

6246 Quotes for wet pour around the roundabout on the King George V Playing Field

The two quotes received were given on a different basis.

RESOLVED: a) that both companies quoting should be asked to requote for the replacement of the wooden edging and the replacement of the sunken/loose areas

b) that Syston and other surrounding Council's should be contacted to see who they use for wet our surfacing

6247 Discussion to repair limiters or get all outdoor gym equipment service and repaired.

RESOLVED: that the service maintenance agreement should be entered into with the supplier for one year. This is subject to clarification of the services offered as part of the agreement.

6248 Adoption of The Millstones Play Area

RESOLVED: that the play area, as outlined on the plan adopted, should be adopted by the Council

6249 Queniborough Football Club Lease

A copy of the current lease had been circulated. The following points were raised in discussion: the length of the lease, the use of the storage shed, maintenance and litter, treatment of the pitch, rent review.

RESOLVED: a) that the renewal should be discussed with Queniborough Football Club

b) that the legal adviser should be used as for the last renewal

6250 Notices for the playing field

Copies of the proposed notices had been circulated.

RESOLVED: that quotations should be requested based on the drafts circulated to Committee and that the position of notices could be placed on a park map

6251 Request for fair on Rearsby Road Playing Field

Some documentation had been supplied from the organiser but was difficult to view

RESOLVED: that the Committee require a full set of documents by Wednesday 2nd May otherwise permission will not be granted.

6252 Planning applications

P/18/0835/2. Fell 1 Pear tree. (Conservation Area Notice). Jasmine Cottage 30 Main Street Queniborough. LE7 3DA

For information only.

P/18/0611/2. Outline planning permission for up to 220 dwellings with associated road infrastructure, landscaping, drainage and associated works (considering access from Melton Road only with all other matters reserved). Land at Melton Road Queniborough LE7 3FL.

RESOLVED: that the additions to the draft agreed at Council be approved and this should now be submitted as the Council's objection.

Further leafleting and action on the developments in the village was discussed.

RESOLVED: that further leafleting or distribution to houses via the Gazette was not agreed but posters should be placed in local shops and notice boards.

6253 Replacement photocopier

The current photocopier couldn't be repaired. Four quotations had been received.

RESOLVED a) that further work be carried out on the quotations so that they could be compared
 b) that a table be drawn up showing comparison of the quotations, particularly the cost of the lease, additional costs of consumables, number of copies included in the lease, cost be additional copies, length of lease, speed of copies, connectivity
 c) that this should be carried out for A4 and A4/A3; and for black & white and black & white and colour

6254 Items for discussion at next meeting

None