

LUDGERSHALL TOWN COUNCIL



Minutes of the Recreation, Leisure & Environment committee meeting held on 19th December 2016 in the Council office, 22 High Street, Ludgershall at 7-00pm.		
Present:	Cllr Hall in the Chair	Cllr White
	Cllr Downie	Cllr Williams
	Cllr Hollis	Cllr Giles
Absent:	Cllr Steers	

	<u>Agenda Item</u>	<u>Action</u>
78/16	1. Apologies – No apologies	
79/16	2. Declaration of Interest – no declarations received.	
80/16	3. Minutes from previous meeting had been circulated and approved at December 2016 full Town Council meeting.	
81/16	4. Capital Projects – Precept 2017/2018 New safety surface replacement - quote with projected prices for 2017 including goal mouths – After a lengthy discussion it was decided that Cllrs are to look through the paperwork of the 2 best quotes clerk to email and to make a decision on which one to go with at next meeting. Clerk to find out about holding the price for a period of time on the 2 nd quote received.	Clerk
82/16	5. Play Areas - Inspection Report – Clerk read the items that are in need of work - the small blue mushroom step pod can be lifted off and needs re-gluing, Clerk has already asked Wilmont. The Flat Seat Swing has been modified with iron bars which could potential cause an accident if children climb on these whilst someone is swinging, clerk to get Wilmont to remove bars and make good. Dewey's Lane – no issues. Pretoria Road – no issues.	Clerk Clerk
83/16	6. Recreation Ground a) Signs for Dog Exercise Area - repair of signs ongoing. b) Clearing hedge and lifting trees – Quote accepted from Gavin Jones. Clerk to raise a works order. c) Renewal of Electricity Plan – Clerk to find out if we can get a more reasonable price.	Cllr Giles Clerk Clerk
84/16	7. Environment a) Castle Street Trees Work - Completed b) Update on Antisocial behavior – clerk read 5 items that had been reported	Clerk

	<p>on the rec, a Mattress, television and 3 chairs dumped on the Rec, 1 broken glass & a small fire in the litter bin. It was discussed that we could issue a poster about the expenditure LTC has to spend every month on Anti-social behavior, and ask local shops to put in their windows. Possibly getting Wellington Academy students involved by creating their own anti-social behavior posters to put up around Ludgershall.</p> <p>c) Parish Steward - update - clerk reported that they had completed the works of the list for November, and had done extra clearing of leaves for Remembrance Sunday. Cllrs to inform clerk if anything is found - leaves in drains was suggested. Clerk to suggest to the Stewards</p> <p>d) No Parking on Grass on Castle Street – clerk sent letters to residents requesting not to park on grass. Also there has been complaints of parking irregularly outside the Queens Head specifically on a Weds evening – clerk spoke to Wiltshire parking, they have no authority unless double yellow lines – It was suggested that we could put a flower Barrel in place to stop people parking on the path and clerk to contact Wiltshire Council about re lining the road markings and issuing signs. Check the parking on the junction of Bell Street & Andover Road – clerk spoke to Wiltshire parking, they have no authority unless double yellow lines but if there is an obstruction on the road then the Police would need to be called.</p> <p>e) Consultation on Draft Wiltshire Playing Pitch Strategy and Wiltshire Open Space Study Community Area Profiles – Clerk to send all the info via email to the Cllrs. Cllrs to have a look and give update.</p>	<p>Clerk</p> <p>Clerk</p> <p>Clerk</p> <p>Clerk</p> <p>Clerk & Cllrs</p>
<p>85/16</p>	<p>8. <u>Any Other Business</u> (For information only)</p> <p>Clerk read an email from Pulborough Parish Council (PBC) asking for advice on fencing around their play areas, and if dog fouling in the play areas was an issue. Cllrs stated that we had had no issues without fencing, a security light would be beneficial for them to have and possibly dogs on leads sign posts. Clerk to report back our feedback to PBC.</p>	<p>Clerk</p>

There being no further business to discuss the meeting closed at 8.00pm. The date of the next meeting will be 16th January 2017.

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