

**LEISURE AND RECREATION COMMITTEE**  
**08<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

**Present:** Councillors Mellows, Nicholson, Swift, Upson, A Westmorland, G Westmorland, & Wootton

**Apologies:** No Apologies were received

**00 Members of the public were in attendance.**

**182 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Councillors should disclose pecuniary or non-pecuniary interest/s in any item/s on this agenda. **The Chairman read out the following statement.** Members are referred to, and shall observe, the provisions of the Hemsworth Town Council's Code of Conduct. If a Councillor has a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest he/she must, unless a dispensation has been granted, withdraw from the meeting room and take no part in the discussion or vote. If any interest (Pecuniary or Non-Pecuniary) has not been entered in the Town Council's register then you must disclose it at the meeting and inform the Monitoring Officer within 28 days of the date of initial disclosure. Failure to abide by the provisions of the Code in regard to Disclosable Pecuniary Interests now amounts to a criminal offence.

**No declarations were received.**

**183 MINUTES**

**RESOLVED:** That the Minutes of the meeting held on 30<sup>th</sup> October 2018, as detailed in Minute Book No. 4 (2018/2019) pages 141 – 159 and as adopted by the Town Council on 04<sup>th</sup> December 2018, be received and approved.

**184 WATER PARK - INCOME REPORTS**

Members discussed the information relating to the income received from the Water Park for October 2018, November 2018 and December 2018 as compared to the previous year – pages 193 – 198 of these minutes.

**It was agreed** that the information be noted.

**185 COMMUNITY CENTRE – INCOME REPORTS**

Members discussed the information relating to the income received from the Community Centre for October 2018, November 2018 and December 2018 as compared to the previous year – page 199 - 201 of these minutes.

**It was agreed** that the information be noted.

**186 LAKESIDE CAFÉ & SOFT PLAY AREA – INCOME REPORT**

Members discussed the information relating to the income received from the Lakeside Café and Soft Play Area for October 2018, November 2018 and December 2018 as compared to the previous year – page 202 - 204 of these minutes.

**It was agreed** that the information be noted.



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### **187 FOOTBALL FACILITY – INCOME REPORTS**

Members discussed the information relating to the income received from the Football Facility for October 2018, November 2018 and December 2018 as compared to the previous year – pages 205 - 207 of these minutes.

**It was agreed** that the information be noted.

### **188 HEMSWORTH MARKET – INCOME REPORT**

Members discussed the information relating to the income received from the Hemsworth Market for October 2018, November 2018 and December 2018 as compared to the previous year – page 208 - 210 of these minutes.

**It was agreed** that the information be noted.

### **189 REVIEW OF CHARGES – ALL SERVICES**

The Deputy Clerk informed members of the current charging costs for services. Members discussed the costs.

**It was agreed:** that the charges remain the same for a further twelve months.

### **190 SERVICE PROVISION - COMMUNITY CENTRE & HEMSWORTH WATER PARK**

The Deputy Town Clerk reported on the following

- a. Overview and update  
Members were informed that the maintenance program work being completed at the Community Centre and Hemsworth Water Park.  
**It was agreed** that the information be noted.
- b. Bike Track  
Members were informed of the meeting held in relation to the Bike Track and the further information received from District MBT.  
**It was agreed** that the information be noted and that Wakefield Council is contacted to ascertain if they agreed to this project.

### **191 LAKESIDE CAFÉ AND SOFT PLAY AREA**

The Deputy Town Clerk reported on the following:

- a. Overview and update.  
The Deputy Clerk informed members that services at the Lakeside were working well.  
**It was agreed** that the information be noted.
- b. Stocktake.  
Members discussed the information circulated with the agenda.  
**It was agreed** that the stocktake information on pages 211 – 213 of these minutes be noted.



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**192 GARDEN SCHEME, FOOTBALL FACILITIES (Sandygate & Cemetery Road) AND HEMSWORTH MARKET**

a. **Garden Scheme, Football Facilities and Hemsworth Market**

Members were informed that the services at the Football Facilities and Hemsworth Market were working well.

**It was agreed** that the information be noted.

b. **Christmas Market – Letter Jon Trickett**

Members were informed of the letter received from Jon Trickett regarding the Christmas Market.

**It was agreed** that the information be noted and the Council informed the tenderer that they will no longer be permitted to give live prices at this event.

**193 ALLOTMENTS**

The Deputy Clerk reported on the following:

a. Overview and Update.

Members were informed that the Planned Maintenance Programme was being completed to schedule.

**It was agreed** that the information be noted.

b. Request for Livestock outside the Council's current policy.

**It was agreed** that this matter awaits the outcome of the current consultation with allotment holders.

c. Request for a Community Allotment

Members were informed of the request made for the use of two plots as a Community Plot on Springfields.

**It was agreed** that the Council discusses this matter in further detail with parties concerned.

d. Keepmoat Request for permission to enter land

Members were informed of the request from Keepmoat to enter the Town Council's land and the meeting held with Keepmoat and that further information was being sent to the Council by Keepmoat.

**It was agreed** that the information is noted and further correspondence is awaited.

**194 BRASS BAND CONCERTS**

Members were informed of the costings for the bands for the three concerts next year.

**It was agreed** that Strata Brass provide the music for the October concert and that two other bands are selected for the April and November concerts.

**195 CAR PARK KINSLEY**

Members were informed of the request for information for Wakefield Council in relation to the car park in Kinsley.

**It was agreed** that the information be noted that the Wakefield is informed that this car park is used on a daily basis.



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**196 EXCLUSION OF PRESS & PUBLIC**

**RESOLVED:** that in view of the confidential nature of business to be transacted, it is advisable, in the public interest, that the public and press be excluded and they are instructed to withdraw.

**197 ROOM HIRE REQUESTED**

Members were informed of the existing free use of the Community Centre and arrangement free use for the event in February 2019.

**It was agreed:** that the information is noted and the Committee confirms the continued free use of the Community Centre by the same organisations on the same basis as previous years and agreed the free use for the event in February 2019 and the provision of a presentation.

**Meeting closed at 20:00**

Rachel Middleton  
Deputy Clerk  
08<sup>th</sup> January 2019

