

LEISURE AND RECREATION COMMITTEE
30th October 2018

Present: Councillors Campbell, Jones, Mellows, Morris, Nicholson, Swift, Upson, A Westmorland, G Westmorland & Wootton

Apologies: Councillor Riley

00 Members of the public were in attendance.

141 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.

142 MINUTES

RESOLVED: That the Minutes of the meeting held on 04th September 2018, as detailed in Minute Book No. 3 (2018/2019) pages 096 – 106 and as adopted by the Town Council on 09th October 2018, be received and approved.

143 WATER PARK - INCOME REPORTS

Members discussed the information relating to the income received from the Water Park for August 2018 and September 2018 as compared to the previous year – pages 145 – 148 of these minutes.

It was agreed that the information be noted.

144 COMMUNITY CENTRE – INCOME REPORTS

Members discussed the information relating to the income received from the Community Centre for August 2018 and September 2018 as compared to the previous year – page 149 - 150 of these minutes.

It was agreed that the information be noted.

145 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 August 2018 and September 2018 as compared to the previous year – page 151 - 152 of these minutes.

It was agreed that the information be noted.

146 FOOTBALL FACILITY – INCOME REPORTS

Members discussed the information relating to the income received from the Football Facility for August 2018 to September 2018 as compared to the previous year – pages 153 - 154 of these minutes.

It was agreed that the information be noted.

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147 HEMSWORTH MARKET – INCOME REPORT

Members discussed the information relating to the income received from the Hemsworth Market for August 2018 and September 2018 as compared to the previous year – page 155 - 156 of these minutes.

It was agreed that the information be noted.

148 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. Bonfire
Members were informed that the arrangements for the bonfire and fireworks display were completed and a request was made to nominate a member to light the fire and judge the Guy Competition.
It was agreed that the information be noted and that Councillor A Westmorland judges the Guy Competition and lights the bonfire.
- c. Walls Ice Cream
Members were informed of the information received from Walls in relation to the sponsorship proposal for the next three years.
It was agreed that the information be noted and that the proposal is accepted.
- d. Attempted Break In
Members were informed of the attempted break in.
It was agreed that the information be noted.
- e. Replacement Windows.
Members were informed of the quotations obtained for replacement windows and that provision was in the budget to cover this cost.
It was agreed that the information be noted and that an order is placed with the cheapest quotation obtained.
- f. Bike Track
The Chairman of the Council informed members of the information received in relation to Bike Track.
It was agreed that the information be noted, that information is obtained on disabled access and further reports provided as the project progresses.

149 LAKESIDE CAFÉ AND SOFT PLAY AREA

The Deputy Town Clerk reported on the following:

- a. Overview and update.
The Deputy Clerk informed members that the Lakeside had now reverted to the winter opening times.
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 157 of these minutes be noted.

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149 LAKESIDE CAFÉ AND SOFT PLAY AREA - continued

c. Breast Feeding Friendly

The Deputy Clerk informed members of the request from Families and Babies to make the Lakeside Café a Breast Feeding Friendly Place.

It was agreed that the information be noted and that all Town Council premises are registered on the Breast Feeding Friendly Scheme.

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

a. Overview and Update.

Members were informed that the planned maintenance of the sites was being undertaken.

It was agreed that the information be noted.

b. Sandygate Floodlights

Members were informed that there remained one floodlight at Sandygate that still required minor repairs and that this was in the hands of the contractor.

It was agreed that the information be noted.

151 ALLOTMENTS

The Deputy Clerk reported on the following:

a. Planned Maintenance Programme.

Members were informed that the planned maintenance programme was being completed to schedule.

It was agreed that the information be noted.

b. Fire on Sandygate

Members were informed that there had been a fire on the Sandygate allotment site and that the tenant of the plot had been informed that the rubbish on the site required removing; in addition another tenant had been contacted regarding their perimeter fence as this had caused a problem for the Fire Service accessing the fire.

It was agreed that the information be noted.

c. Allotment Representatives Meeting – 12th September 2018.

Members discussed the information circulated with the agenda.

It was agreed that the information be noted.

152 CHRISTMAS LIGHTS SWITCH ON

The Deputy Clerk informed members of the arrangements for the Christmas Lights Switch On.

It was agreed that the information be noted.

153 CHILDRENS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Members were informed of the arrangements for the Christmas Party in December.

It was agreed that the information be noted and that the arrangements are confirmed.

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154 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

155 HEMSWORTH WATER PARK

The Deputy Clerk informed members of the request to prevent vehicle access to Hemsworth Water Park overnight.

It was agreed that projects to prevent access to Hemsworth Water Park overnight are explored.

Meeting closed at 19:35

Rachel Middleton
Deputy Clerk
30th October 2018