

# Wickham Parish Council

## Recreation Committee

Minutes of a meeting of the above Committee held at Wickham Centre on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July commencing at 9pm.

**Present:** Sue Roger-Jones (Chairman), Trevor Astbury, Marie du Boulay, Angela Clear, Justin Gamblin.

Parish Councillors Di Frost , one member of the public, Parish Clerk Nicki Oliver.

- 1 **To receive apologies for absence** Mike Carter, Colin Roke.
- 2 **To receive declarations of interest on agenda items** Sue Roger-Jones declared a personal interest in agenda item 4.1.3 as a member of the School's governing body.
- 3 **To adjourn meeting to allow participation by members of the public**
- 4 **Agenda**

4.1 To receive update on plans for short term repairs/ improvements to Wickham recreation facilities: recreation ground, pavilion; play areas, kick about area, tennis court, skatepark and Community Centre kick about area.

4.1.1 Proposal to prepare long and short term action plans for improvements and additions to the recreation facilities for the Committee and Parish Plan. **Refer to next meeting.**

4.1.2 To receive update on options, plans and fundraising progress for new MUGA on recreation ground. To define and agree roles and responsibilities to progress project. **Refer to next meeting.**

4.1.3 To consider a partnership proposal between the Parish Council, Community Association and Wickham Church of England Primary School to provide an all weather sports pitch on school grounds for use by the School and community. **It was agreed to recommend to Full Council that the proposal be fully explored with the three potential partners.**

4.1.4 To receive update on the project to extend the skatepark **Work has started on site and should be completed within five weeks.**

4.1.5 To receive update on Scout HQ proposals from Cllr Clear **Work to progress the detail of the lease is ongoing.**

4.1.6 To receive update from Wickham Cricket Club on new pavilion proposals **Wickham Cricket Club has advised that it will not be needing the £25,000 Open Space Fund the Parish Council has set aside for its new pavilion.**

4.1.7 To review risk assessments for major assets within the responsibility of this committee and revise as necessary. **Refer to next meeting.**

- 5 To identify any unmanaged risks within this committee's remit** None.
- 6 Review effectiveness of communication, development of links with other community organisations and support for local democracy through making information more widely available** Continue to monitor.
- 7 Recent correspondence/ reports from meetings attended of relevance to this committee**  
Wickham Cricket Club update on Open Space Fund requirements, see 4.1.6 above.

Meeting closed 9.35pm