# Minutes of the Sport and Recreation Sub-Committee of Aston Clinton Parish Council held on 13th April 2019 at 10am at Aston Clinton Parish Meeting Room

#### Present:

Councillors: -L Tubb - Chairman C Judge

L Ronson P Wyatt

Minutes: P Wyatt

0 members of the public

## 19.01 Apologies

Apologies were received from Cllr Howard.

## **19.02** Declarations of Interest:

## 19.03 Minutes of the last Meeting – 12/9/18

The minutes were approved and signed. Cllr Judge advised that she should be recorded as having attended.

#### 19.04 Colts

- i **Tournament Weekend 29/30<sup>th</sup> June**: The Colts had submitted their event form & insurance, and all was in order. They will be asked to move play to the Meadow Pitch, due to the planned remedial work to be carried out on the main pitch. They will also be asked whether they can use the school for parking this year. Cllr Tubb will contact the Colts on these matters.
- ii **Progress on Things to Do:** The unused goal posts are considered as belonging to the Colts and a formal email is to be sent, asking that they are removed within 28 days, after which the PC will cut them up. There have been complaints from the Horticultural Society regarding the items placed in front of the container. Cllr Tubb agreed to contact the football club stating that the PC will remove the items.
- iii **Other:** The electrical work in the compound had not been carried out and Cllr Tubb offered to contact the contractor on this. The community services team will be asked to clear the alleyway beside the garage as much as possible.

#### 19.05 ACFC:

- i. **Roping-off of Pitch**: Although there have been 3 accidents in the last 6 months, it was discussed that the team have been using the ropes in this way for many years, without incident. The ropes must be in place prior to the match, for officials to inspect the pitch. The option to install plastic railings, with entrances at each corner and by the dug-outs, was discussed. Also, with entrances for the grounds maintenance equipment to get through. This matter will be put on the next Facilities committee agenda.
- ii. **Temporary Accommodation Costs**: Cllr Ronson raised concerns around the temporary accommodation costs, especially the amounts for the F.C. It was discussed that this is not final and includes some public toilets.

## 19.06 Allotments

i. **New Maintenance Arrangements**: Mr Ronson has now resigned his duties and the allotmentholders are not doing the required maintenance, other than their own plots i.e: strimming, filling the water tank, mowing pathways etc. Mr Waller has offered to do this work at £20 per fortnight. The PC will need to buy a mower and Cllr Ronson offered a new one she does not need, for £50. Both matters will be recommended to the next Facilities committee.

ii. Other

**Sign for the Park:** The clerk is to be advised of the required wording re. cycling. **Grounds Maintenance Contract**: It was discussed whether a new contract for this season is to be drawn-up.

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