

AMENITIES COMMITTEE

7th June 2016

PRESENT Councillors: Mrs.S.Shaw (Mayor)
A.Biggs
Mrs.L.Dedden
S.Hazel
Ms.J.Russell
Miss.K.Stephens

Apologies Cllr: Mrs.S.Grove & M.Hudson

In attendance: Mrs.V.Bright, Town Clerk & Mrs.J.Gaskell, Assistant to the Town Clerk.

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28/16 Election of Chairman.

Upon nominations being called for Councillor Miss K. Stephens was proposed and seconded and was duly elected Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

29/16 Election of Vice-Chairman.

Upon nominations being called for Councillor S. Hazel was proposed and seconded and was duly elected Vice Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

30/16 Declarations of Interest.

None

31/16 Allotments.

An email had been received from the Allotment Association about the rabbit proof fencing along the section in front of the bungalow. The Clerk has asked a contractor to visit the site. He had now come back and stated that he would trim the area and then re-pin the mesh down.

32/16 Cemetery – Clerk’s Report.

a) The entrance to the Cemetery has been tarmaced, except the part by the entrance gate. Flooding has always been a problem in this area and further work may need to take place. This will be monitored; however the new piece of road has improved the access to the cemetery.

b) Members were asked what other work they wish to be carried out on the roundabout which has been cleared of shrubbery. Members agreed to the suggestion that all the stumps are cleared and it is grassed. A quotation would be sought to clear the stubs and grass the area.

c) The gates to the Cemetery will be refurbished shortly.

33/16 Recreation Ground & Open Spaces – Clerk’s Report.

a) Members are aware that the new play area in the Verwood Memorial Recreation Ground has had a few problems which are being dealt with. The play area is now open and being well used. The Chairman of F & G P has asked for an agenda item to be added ‘Post Completion Review of the Recreation Ground Playground Project’. A draft letter to Kompan was read out to the Committee.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 7.50p.m.

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Chairman