

**MAYLAND PARISH COUNCIL  
LAWLING PARK COMMITTEE  
Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> August 2010  
In the Lawling Park Hall at 7.45m**

Present:

Cllr Spires (Chairman)	Cllr Oatham
Cllr Massenhove	Cllr Evans
Mr Hawkes (Groundsman)	Mrs J Rackham (Clerk).
Mr R Leech	

**1. Apologies**

Cllr Lund

**2. Minutes of the meeting held on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2010**

Cllr Oatham proposed accepting the minutes, Cllr Evans seconded the proposal, all in favour, and the minutes were signed and dated as a true record.

**3. Football**

Holes left by FC when goal posts have been removed. **Mr Leech** agreed to check the FC's container for any sleeve covers. The Cllrs agreed to purchase small round covers and use wooden blocks for the other covers. **Clerk** to action.

Correspondence from Mayland football club requesting pitches is marked out before the start of the season. This information has already been passed to Mr Hawkes who has carried out the work requested.

The FC would like to use the LPH main hall until the extension is completed. This was agreed at the July meeting. However, it was noted that the hall is booked by other sports clubs for 6<sup>th</sup> September, 3 & 17<sup>th</sup> of October. No further Sunday bookings will be taken until after the changing rooms are completed.

The FC does not think Bakersfield is ready for football training at the moment. Once again we have had a very dry summer. It was agreed that a training pitch for 9 aside would be marked out by **Mr Hawkes**.

Mobile food van. A request to run a food van at football matches on the LPF was agreed, once the relevant certificates have been received. **Clerk** to action.

Car boot sale request. A decision may be required if we receive the request in writing. Nothing received.

**4. Skateboard Park.**

Skate park inspection quotes. It was agreed to ask Wicksteed to inspect the skate park. **Clerk** to action.

**6. Play Areas.**

Kompan. Various sections of the play equipment need to be replaced. They were noted by the safety inspector during his annual report. Cllr Spires proposed an expenditure of £566.10 + vat and carriage for the equipment only; Cllr Oatham seconded the proposal, all in favour. It was agreed by Cllr Oatham and Spires that they would fit the parts, making a saving of £358. **Clerk** to action.

**7. Lawling Park Hall (aka Scout Hut).**

Extension plan. The drain from the building has been left above ground level to make the fall. Peter will check the original specification. Cllr Spires proposed accepting the quote at £650 approx providing it is not on the original specification. Cllr Massenhove seconded the proposal, all in favour. **Clerk** to action.

Exterior lighting. **Add to September agenda.**

## **8. Bowls**

Nothing had been received in time to add to the agenda.

## **9. Tennis**

Damage to TC fencing. Quote. **Add to next agenda.**

## **10. General Area & Maintenance Report**

CCTV. It was agreed to chase up the inspection report. **Clerk** to contact Dave Rapson, crime prevention officer.

Dog bin. A decision to purchase a replacement bin at Bakersfield Path entrance was discussed. Cllr Massenhove proposed purchasing the best quality bin at a cost of £198 + vat. Cllr Evans seconded the proposal, a vote was taken, 3 yes, 1 no motion carried. **Clerk to action.**

Picnic table. The grass cutting contractors have offered to dispose of this table. It was agreed. The cost of repair is too much. **Clerk to action.**

## **11. Items to be added to next meeting's Agenda**

Removal of trees, moving FC container, Coppicing ditch, air ambulance.

The Chairman closed the meeting at 8.45pm