

MAYLAND PARISH COUNCIL
LAWLING PARK COMMITTEE
Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 19th February 2013
In the Lawling Park Hall at 7.30pm

Present:

Cllr Spires (Chairman)

Cllr Duncan

Cllr Evans

Mrs J Rackham (Clerk).

Deb Down (boxing club). Rob Leech (football club).

1. Apologies

Cllr Massenhove, Cllr Pettitt

2. Minutes 20th November 2012.

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

3. Boxing

The boxing club would like to erect a free standing structure in the storage cupboard for storing the boxing ring. Following a discussion it was agreed that this committee would not make a decision on this until they have seen it in situ. **Deb Down** to arrange.

4. Football

The football club requests a reserve pitch be marked out on Bakersfield next season. This was agreed by this committee providing socket covers are provided by the football club and are used when the goal posts are removed. This area is used by dog walkers and they will not be asked to stop walking in this area but they must clean up after their dogs.

The football club requested marking out an under 8 pitch where the 9 aside pitch would normally go. This was agreed. It was suggested that our grass contractor should liaise with Rob Leech. **Clerk** to advise

5. Tennis Courts

Flood Lighting report. We have one quote so far. Two other contractors out of Essex were contacted without success. It was agreed to try ECC's contractor. **Clerk** to action. **Add to March agenda.**

6. Play Areas.

Nothing to report.

7. Lawling Park Hall

Roof problem. Report. We have two quotations but have suspended ordering the work to be done until a decision on a new building provided by the boxing club as been made.

Legionella Test. Cllr Spires reported that a test kit could be purchased under £200 whilst we are not bound to carry out these tests it would be prudent to do so. Cllr Spires Proposed purchasing the equipment, Cllr Duncan seconded the proposal, all in favour, **Clerk** to action.

PAT Testing results report. Every electrical item was tested. Two items will need replacing within a year. The kettle (replaced already as the old kettle doesn't switch off) and the microwave oven. **Add to March agenda.**

8. General Area & Maintenance Report

No Dog Signs on pathways. Following a discussion it was agreed to purchase signs that ask for dogs to be put on a lead. **Clerk** to investigate. **Add to March agenda.** Noticeboard in car park. It was agreed that the boxing club can use the plastic sheet in the storage cupboard to make a cover for the board.

CCTV. A request for further cameras. No decision was made, no provision is in the budget.

Deb Down reported that some dog owners are allowing their dogs to foul the entrance to Bakersfield path. **Clerk** to contact Rangers for their help.

9. Items to be added to next meeting's Agenda

Park Rangers. Increase hours

The meeting closed at 8.30pm