

BARWELL PARISH COUNCIL  
CEMETERY, PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE  
THURSDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2023 AT 7.00PM  
HELD AT THE JUBILEE HALL, BYRON CLOSE, BARWELL

Present: Cllrs Mrs H Smith, Mrs P Kirby, Mr J Buck and Mr M Simmons

Clerk – Mrs D Deighton

MOP: 1

1/2023 ELECT A CHAIRMAN

RESOLVED that Cllr Mrs H Smith be elected Chairman of the Cemetery, Parks & Recreation Committee for the 2023/24 Council year

2/2023 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies received and accepted from Cllrs Miss C Granger and Mrs C Green

3/2023 DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY INTEREST

None

4/2023 DISPENSATIONS OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTEREST

No dispensations were granted.

5/2023 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

6/2023 MINUTES

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Cemetery, Parks and Recreation Committee meeting held on 9<sup>th</sup> March 2023 be approved and signed by the Chairman.

7/2023 CLERKS REPORT

Clerk reported on the following:

- Radford Park old Sensory Garden plot needs attending to, members agreed to put on next agenda to consider ideas
- Community Allotments on Washington Close, members agreed to put on next agenda for ideas of how to implement it
- Cemetery Regulations will be on next agenda
- Surveyors have been in the Jubilee Hall on the instructions of HBBC
- Covid Bench was not awarded PCIF Funding, members agreed to put on next agenda for consideration
- Cricket Club request to hand a banner on the railings of Kirkby Park, members objected to the idea and instructed Clerk to inform them of the decision

8/2023 BUS SHELTER ON QUEENSWAY

Members instructed Clerk to contact Aviva Bus Company for assistance and consider other sites for the installation

9/2023 JAPANESE KNOTWEED

Shire Environmental Grant has been awarded for the removal of the Japanese Knotweed on Barwell Park. Clerk advised the members that Finance have refused to pay upfront for the successful contractor and therefore the situation is ongoing

10/2023 PARK REPORTS FROM MEMBERS

Members agreed on members inspecting parks and reporting back to the next meeting as follows:

- Cllrs Mr J Buck and Mrs C Green – Cemetery and Radford Park
- Cllrs Mrs H Smith and Mr M Simmons – Barwell (Tip) Park
- Cllr Miss C Granger – Tweed Park
- Clerk to ask Cllr Mr A Wheeler to report on Boston Park either by attending the meeting or written report

11/2023 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

8<sup>th</sup> June 2023

(The meeting closed at 7.29pm)

Chairman's Signature.....