# MINUTES of the GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE MEETING held on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2022 at Summercourt Memorial Hall commencing at 7.45pm.

**PRESENT:** Cllrs D Hearl, M Bunyan, M Kessell, D Cole, C Cowburn & C Hook. **SUBSTITUTE:** Cllrs Wimberley, Shaw, **APOLOGIES:** Cllrs P Cocks & M Gregory.

#### 22/GP01 Declarations of Interest in agenda items.

None.

Proposal by Cllr Hearl to move forward item 5 as Cllr Cole needs to leave the meeting, seconded Cllr Wimberley, carried. The above was duly **resolved.** 

22/GP02 Minutes of the Committee Meeting of 14<sup>th</sup> September 2021 to be approved.
Proposal by Cllr Bunyan to approve the minutes of 14<sup>th</sup> September 2021, seconded Cllr Hook, unanimous.

The above was duly resolved.

#### 22/GP03 Matters arising

20/GP05- Gardening Club; no update.

### 22/GP04 Playing Fields

- a. Indian Queens Recreation Ground
- i. Public Toilets update.

The toilets are now open to the public, opened on 6<sup>th</sup> January. This has been advertised on the website. The light in the unisex toilet is on a pull switch, the light in the disabled is automatic, did members want to swap the light in the unisex, or shall it be monitored to see if it is left on?

There is also a problem with water collecting in the corner of the car park, at the bottom of the slope to the toilets following heavy rain, all levels are draining to this point, I have asked the handyman to have a look, as a soakaway maybe needed. Water is collecting in the first cubicle of the unisex toilet, this has been reported to the builder who is going back to sort out.

Proposal by Cllr Hook to swap to automatic light, seconded Cllr Hearl, carried. The above was duly **resolved**.

- ii. Basket swing- new basket ordered, waiting for delivery; to note. Noted.
- iii. Any other matters relating to Playing Fields.

Handle on Home Changing Rooms- this broke off in the handyman's hand, Clerk has contacted a locksmith under urgent to replace the handle. He had a preliminary look this morning and will be ordering a new handle to replace.

## 22/GP05 Old St Enoder Cemetery- to consider path (Cllr Hearl)

Cllr Hearl reported that at the Remembrance Day Service the path was very muddy and wet. Cllr Cole was worried that a path would change the character of the Cemetery. Cllr Cowburn suggested a site visit so members could assess the path. Discussion took place regarding flattening the path. To defer to next meeting.

## 22/GP06 Correspondence

None.

#### 22/GP07 Other *urgent* business.

Pot hole Recreation Ground Lane- Clerk has requested handyman to repair, to monitor.

Discussion took place regarding poles for speed visor.

## 22/GP08 To set date and request agenda items for next GPC meeting.

The next meeting will be March 2022 after Planning Meeting.

• Churchyard Path.

There being no further business the meeting was closed at 8.10pm.

Signed : ..... (Chairman) ..... (dated)