



CHURCHILL PARISH COUNCIL LEISURE COMMITTEE MEETING

Minutes of the
Meeting held on Monday 21st October 2019 at 7.30 pm
at the Community Club, Churchill.

Present:- Councillors Rick Brafield, Simon Glanfield and Bill Carruthers

User Representatives: Angus Lewis (Churchill Football Club)
Matt Hoy-Green (Cheddar Rugby Club)
Mike Legg (Churchill Cricket Club)
Chris Masters (Churchill Cricket Club & Cheddar Valley Ladies
Rugby Club)
Tim Cockram (Wrington & Redhill Under 13s Junior Football
Team)

Also present: Ann Boote (Clerk)

1920/L/016 Apologies for absence

Councillors Georgie Collett, Jackie Bush and Tim Jessiman
Mike Tucker (Churchill Football Club)

1920/L/017 Declarations of Interest

None

1920/L/018 To confirm the meeting held on 24 June 2019.

The Minutes of the meeting held on 24 June 2019 were agreed and signed as
a correct record.

1920/L/019 Public Participation

No members of the public were present.

1920/L/020 Update of Budget Vs Spend to date 2019/20 Financial Year.

Members were provided with copies of the current budget, which are on target
and within budget.

1920/L/021 Play Areas

The Committee discussed the most recent Playground Inspection Report.

RESOLVED

It was agreed that the Clerk would investigate the cost of Strim guards for the
base of all wooden recreation equipment to halt the damage of grass
strimming equipment.

It was agreed that The Clerk should investigate the cost to renew the Swing, Junior -1 Bay 2 seat for comparison with repairing the current equipment.

It was agreed to accept the quote from B2F to carry out repairs to the Skate Ramp and repair cracked concrete.

1920/L/022 **Playing Field of the Year Award**

The meeting was informed that the Parish Council had been awarded a certificate for 'Playing Field of the Year 2019', Commendation for the Ladymead Lane Field.

1920/L/023 **Football Club Matters**

The Meeting was informed that Churchill Football Club was performing well.

The Meeting was informed that the Youth Football Team was playing well. They organised selling refreshments and snacks at each match, to raise funds for the club, which was proving to be a success..

A request was made to the other sports representatives to allow some of the team's line marking equipment to be stored securely.

RESOLVED

The football club agreed to provide a key to enable sharing of the storage facilities.

1920/L/024 **Cricket Club Matters**

The meeting was informed that the adult team was having a successful season. The Under 13s had merged with a team from Congresbury. The Under 9s team were doing well, with a membership of over 30 players.

1920/L/025 **Rugby Club Matters**

The Ladies rugby team were enjoying using the facilities at Churchill for training. However, they agreed to move back to their home ground to play matches.

A discussion took place regarding sharing storage for equipment.

1920/L/026 **Community Club**

The meeting discussed the proposed improvement plans for the Sports, Leisure and Social facilities. Ideas were put forward and it was felt a very positive step forward for the local area. It was reiterated that these plans were just suggestions and more consultation was required.

RESOLVED

It was agreed that a public meeting would be arranged in 2020 to show the general public the proposed plans to ask for ideas, suggestions and the thoughts of local residents.

1920/L/027 To receive matters for information and future agenda items.

Councillor Bill Carruthers suggested that Leisure meetings should take place on a more regular basis i.e. every 3 months instead of 4.

It was suggested that the sports storage containers be sorted out to make better use of the space and secure the area to provide more storage space between containers.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 8.35pm

Next meeting – 24th February 2020

Signed

Date