



UPTON BY CHESTER AND DISTRICT PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the meeting of the General Purposes Committee, held on Monday 19 July 2021, 7.00pm, Upton Pavilion, Wealstone Lane, Upton.

Present: Cllr A Bennion, Cllr M Carter, Cllr J Evans, Cllr J Houlbrook and Cllr N Poulton

In attendance: no public.

In the absence of the committee Chairman, Cllr Alison Bennion took the Chair.

1. APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRMAN.

Resolved: This item will be deferred to the next meeting.

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

Apologies for absence were received from:

Cllr G Hulmes, – holiday

Cllr B Southward – medical

Cllr F Samuel - Covid, self Isolating

Cllr B Walker - work commitment

Resolved: noted.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST.

No declarations of interest were made.

Resolved: noted.

4. MINUTES.

Resolved: The Minutes of the meeting held on Monday 21 June 2021 were confirmed as a correct record and are to be signed by the Chairman at the next meeting.

Proposed by Cllr Carter, no seconder available as those in attendance were not at the previous meeting.

Therefore the Minutes were taken as read.

5. ANNUAL TENNIS MEMBERSHIP.

Members discussed terms & conditions of the Parish Council Tennis Membership.

Resolved: Cllr Bennion will circulate the terms and conditions written for editing and proof reading. There will be a new price for “Guest Fee” for members playing on the tennis courts with non-members. This will be 25% of court hire. The committee will recommend to the full Parish Council for approval and the current members are

given one month notice for the change to be applied (from terms and conditions adopted date).

6. PLAYING FIELD PLAY AND LEISURE EQUIPMENT.

Members discussed the teen shelter, M.U.G.A. and outdoor gym equipment how it is used and how improvement could be made.

Resolved: This committee discussed the provision and made suggestions what could be researched but felt they are not in a position to decide what the young people of Upton would like to be provided for their recreation time. A 2 question questionnaire was written to be circulated by means of a poster, social media and QR Code to gauge opinion. The committee will request the assistance of the Communications Committee to assist with the set up.

7. DATE AND TIME OF THE NEXT MEETING.

Resolved: The date and time of the next meeting will be on Monday 23 September at 7.30pm.