



COMMUNITY HALL/RECREATION COMMITTEE MINUTES

Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 21st June 2023 at the Community Hall, Rydon Road, Kingsteignton at 7pm

Present:

Chair: Cllr J Scagell

Councillors: M Field, J Gordon, J Gregson, K Jones, D Ripping

Ex. Officio's: Cllrs R Peart and B Thorne

Communications Officer: Mrs S Simmons

CR22/2023 Apologies

Resolved: Apologies were received and accepted from Cllr T Dempster

CR23/2023 Declaration of Interest

Resolved: There were no declarations of interest.

CR24/2023 Election of Chairman of the Committee.

Resolved: Cllr Scagell be elected as Chairman for this committee.

Proposed: Cllr Scagell

Seconded: Cllr Field

All agreed.

CR25/2023 Election of Vice Chairman of the Committee.

Resolved: Cllr Field be elected as Vice Chair

Proposed: Cllr Scagell

Seconded: Cllr Thorne

All agreed.

CR26/2023 Minutes

Resolved: The minutes of the meeting held on the 19th of April 2023 were approved and signed.

Proposed: Cllr Peart

Seconded: Cllr Ripping

All agreed.

CR27/2023 Kingsteignton In Bloom update from Mrs S Simmons.

Mrs Simmons reported that 11 entries had been received to date.
We had 25 entries last year, all of whom have been contacted & invited to enter.

Posters have been advertised on: FB/website/noticeboards/bus shelters,
all schools/pre-schools/library/Tesco/Hobbycraft/Central Stores/Co-op/Homebase

Cllr Gordon offered to place a poster in her window at home – Mrs Simmons to forward.

Mrs Simmons will also follow-up with schools to encourage entries and continue to get posters publicised.

Cllr Gregson mentioned that the link on FB to be able to download an entry form doesn't work.

After minute: Mrs Simmons has checked the FB link and it does work.

CR28/2023 History Garden – re-naming

- Cllr Scagell asked Council to consider re-naming the History Garden to the Secret Garden as it has no relevance to history. Discussions of names took place.

Resolved: That the History Garden be re-named as the 'Family Garden' and for Councillors to bring designs for a sign, featuring families & a picnic, to the next CR meeting 20th Sept.

Proposed: Cllr Peart

Seconded: Cllr Jones

All agreed.

- Cllr Scagell asked Council to allocate a budget for the raised beds in the garden.

Resolved: That £1,000 budget was agreed to purchase approx. Cllrs Field and Peart will organise approx. 100 plants including hardy scented shrubs, bulbs, flowers and bird boxes that will encourage wildlife. To be planted in the Autumn.

Proposed: Cllr Peart

Seconded: Cllr Gregson

All agreed.

CR29/2023 New shields for the Town Signs.

Cllr Scagell asked Council to have the crest transfers removed and replaced on the Town Council signs (on entry to the town).

Resolved New transfers to be sourced by KTC office and replaced by FMO's.

Proposed: Cllr Peart

Seconded: Cllr Field

All agreed.

CR30/2023 Oakford Trust email regarding lighting on the Lawn.

The Oakford Trust email was noted.

Resolved : KTC to continue with the trial light on the slope, as agreed previously.

Proposed: Cllr Peart

Seconded: Cllr Scagell

All agreed.

CR31/2023 Correspondence

There was no correspondence

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 20th September 2023

The meeting closed at: 7:42pm

Signed.....

Dated.....