

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF SOUTH WONSTON PAVILION COMMITTEE 02-11-2021 AT 2.00 pm at the Pavilion

**PRESENT**

Cllrs Perrins (JP) (Chairman), Cllr Selby, Cllr Peal, Cllr Street and Clerk Mrs Jones (RJ)

**APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Tree Warden Lesley Mackinnon (LM)

**PAVILION MANAGEMENT**

The Deep Clean took place on Monday 1st November and booked for the beginning of December.

Scouts have now collected their items in the store cupboard and returned a set of keys.

A Swifts meeting with Pete Laud and Guy Bewick will take place over the next 2 weeks with Clerk & Cllr Perrins.

Cleansing Services Group needs to be booked to clean the sewage tank as the sensors stopped working when baby wipes etc get caught.

The heating has been fixed. The part was replaced FOC as it only broke 11 months ago. As it was slow to arrive Clerk bought an extra soft starter.

The rainwater system has been fixed and the pump has been secured in the hole to hopefully save it from getting damaged.

The Damage Report and Action Plan were reviewed and are attached. Clerk to update following the discussions.

**FINANCE**

No Finance was discussed; all invoicing has been completed to 31<sup>st</sup> October with an estimate of income to the 31<sup>st</sup> March

**RECREATION GROUND MANAGEMENT**

Bench shelters have now been fixed down and grass and grounds are going to seed the patches that have been left. The pallets still need removing from the park.

Russell will also look at suggestion of a Community Bench.

The hedges around the recreation ground and childrens playground have been cut. They will be topped in February once the new path has bedded in as the tractor

needs to access it from Ox Drove. Grass & Grounds will go around and tidy up the section the tractor was unable to reach.

## **CHILDRENS PLAYGROUND**

Clerk placed an order with Vitaplay to replace the top piece of wood on the wooden climber. This has now arrived and needs to be installed.

Clerk is negotiating a reduction in price to purchase a zip wire and mound tower, after the Parish Council approved the purchase at the October meeting. A meeting is also being arranged for Cllrs to meet with the playground company.

**Tree Warden – Lesley & Paul were unable to attend the meeting but sent in this email after the meeting.**

Herewith a plan with the approximate positions of the wild daffodil and snake's head fritillary bulbs. The daffodils are in clumps near the benches closest to the Pavilion, on the further bank of the Playground and in the silver birch grove. The fritillaries are in the damper area around (what is left of) the dogwood. We finished planting with our volunteers last weekend.

We had also planned to grow cowslips, dog violets and primroses from seed as well as asking residents for donations of snowdrops (in the green) next Spring. Once the silver birch have grown enough to provide a little shade, English bluebells could also be put in the grove. However, this will be for our successors.

**DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING**

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2021