

**Cheddleton Parish Council**

**MINUTES OF THE CHEDDLETON PLAYING FIELD COMMITTEE MEETING  
HELD IN THE CRAFT CENTRE ON TUESDAY, 26<sup>th</sup>. JUNE 2019.**

**ATTENDANCE** Councillor – M.T. Bowen, Miss O. Lucas, Mrs. L.M. Salt, S. Scalise, M.P. Worthington.

Member – Mr. R. Beresford, Mr. K. Wheawall.

**APOLOGIES** Apologies for absence were received from: -  
Councillor – I. Dakin, H.R. Jennings.

**811** **ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN** Councillor Scalise, proposed by Councillor Bowen with all members agreeing was duly elected Chairman for the ensuing year.

**812** **ELECTION OF VICE-CHAIRMAN** Councillor Jennings, proposed by Councillor Bowen and sec. by Councillor Scalise, was duly elected Vice-Chairman for the ensuing year.

**813** **MINUTES** The minutes of the meeting of the 22<sup>nd</sup>. January 2019, taken as read, were confirmed as a true and accurate record and signed by the Chairman.

**814** **MATTERS ARISING**  
There were no matters arising from the minutes.

**815** **CORRESPONDENCE**  
There were no correspondence read.

**816** **FEEDBACK FROM VOLUNTEERS**  
Continuing the Rota for another 5 weeks and meet again 30<sup>th</sup>. July 2019 prior to the CCMC Meeting at 6.45pm.

**817** **ANNUAL INSPECTION OF THE FIELD**  
As yet this hasn't been received.

**818** **BESPOKE SWING BRACKETS**  
The Clerk explained that Mr. Beresford had stated that the stronger brackets that they had specially made for the swings had all been used now so there are no spares should they have any further breakages. Mr. Beresford stated his neighbour had designed and produced the others several years ago so he could be approached to make some more. Councillor Bowen proposed to get 4 spares which was seconded by Councillor Worthington so it was agreed to let Mr. Beresford organize getting these made.

**819** **GENERAL CONDITION OF THE FIELD**  
It was put that the field was looking good with the six-week school holidays fast approaching. Mr. Beresford mentioned that there were quite a few branches round and about on the field which needed clearing and that also a new Garage base by the other garage had been put down and all the rubbish had been left by the owner. Councillor Scalise suggested that they take a look on Friday and perhaps gather it together as they patrol the Playing Field.

**820 ANY WORKS REQUIRED**

Councillor Scalise mentioned the safety flooring needed some attention sooner rather than later and Mr. Wheawall agreed that it was a trip hazard. After some discussion it was agreed that Mr. Wheawall and Mr. Beresford would look at the bag of stuff that the last repairers had left and glue to see if they could make a repair. So, it was agreed to let them investigate further. Councillor Scalise also thought that Councillor Tunna had some from Toll Bar Playing Field so would speak to him. Mr. Beresford mentioned the state of the fencing on the toddlers play area which needed painting. Councillor Scalise also stated it was in need of some repair after some discussion it was agreed to Mr. Beresford & Mr. Wheawall to take a look at repairing it and painting it to preserve it but using a better wood preserver.

**821 OUTSIDE MEMBERS' – ANY MATTERS TO RAISE**

No other matters to be raised.

**822 GRANGE POND**

Mr. Beresford stated that there was quite a bit of rubbish in the pond which needed removing and a work party may be required to clear it. After some discussion it was agreed to ask the handyman to take a look at clearing it.

**823 BRIDGE EYE PLAYING FIELD – GENERAL CONDITION OF THE FIELD AND WELL**

The Clerk reported that there had been a second incident of tipping of garden waste on the field but that she had reported it to enforcement at SMDC and they were going to pursue it. She had stressed the importance of stopping this from happening before everyone does it and as the well dressing takes place in July. Councillor Bowen asked if the church had asked for permission to dress the well. The Clerk stated that she had not received anything but would check back as to what the previous arrangement had been.

**824 FORWARD AGENDA ITEMS**

The condition of the benches in The Pound.

Chairman  
29<sup>th</sup>. October 2019.