

The Minutes of the Youth & Wellbeing Committee Meeting held on 24th June 2020

A meeting of the Youth & Wellbeing committee was held on 24th June 2020 via Zoom at 7.00 pm.

Present: Cllr. L. Hicks, Chairperson, Cllr. A. Davis, Cllr. S. Coventry, Cllr. L. Wilkins and Cllr. B. Wragge

1. Apologies for absence – Apologies for absence had been received from Cllr. B. Hadley.
2. Declarations of Interest – none to report at the meeting.
3. Minutes of the Youth & Wellbeing committee meeting held on 27 th May 2020 – were received and approved at the meeting and signed by the Chairperson.
4. Matters Arising – Cllr. Davis agreed to forward an additional item (j) to the Clerk to be added to the Terms of Reference for the YWB committee. Emergency Plan – The committee agreed to keep the Emergency Plan as an agenda item as at the moment there were frequent changes being made to the document. A box on wheels was to be purchased and items for emergency use were to be stored in the box at the GMCC which were listed in the Emergency Plan. A quotation for a laptop was being provided by Dave King.

5. Update on provision of new recreation equipment

The committee agreed to contact Kompan for a fourth quotation for new recreation equipment.

6. Youth Services

CMAS were to be contacted as they could open-up the Youth Club at the Cricket Club as from 4/7/2020 by using the field for the youth sessions. The Cricket Club were to be contacted to notify them that the Youth Club sessions would soon be commencing and the Parish Council needed clarification if the food business would not be operating on the same evening as the Youth Club sessions as there would be a health and safety issue.

Youth Club Shed – Cllr. Hicks asked for volunteers to assist in sorting out the Youth Club shed. Date to be arranged. Liaise with the Baptist Youth Club if there was any equipment they would like for the youth club sessions which the Cricket Club Youth Club no longer required.

7. Health Services

Defibrillators – This standing item would be suspended from the agenda until September or October to allow Cllr. B. Wragge time to complete the defibrillator audit.

Community Mental Health Project & Health & Wellbeing

7.1 Cllr. Davis updated the committee on the Mental Health Project. This would be offering 1. First Aid Training and 2. Intergeneration work on Dementia Friendly Bourton and 3. Suicide Awareness and Prevention training within Bourton-on-the-Water.

Cllr. Davis asked to attend a two-day course on Mental Health which would award her a level 3 qualification, in order to skill her to deliver the rest of the Parish project. This would be held at The Nuttery in Notgrove within the next 2/3 weeks. Part of the course would be undertaken via Zoom and then the rest at The Nuttery. Cllr. Davis asked the committee for permission for herself to attend the Mental Health course at a cost of £180.00. Cllr. L. Hicks proposed and Cllr. S. Coventry seconded the proposal. A unanimous vote was taken in favour of Cllr. Davis attending the course.

7.2 The Dementia Friendly Bourton steering group was holding its next Zoom meeting to discuss its plans within the village on Monday 29th June 2020, 4.00 pm – 5.30 pm. Cllr. Davis and Cllr. Wragge had already attended the 12 hour training programme in 2019. Cllr. Hicks offered to attend the steering group meeting.

7.3 It was noted that a resident in the village has created the “Bourton Centurians” challenge (to encourage older people to commit to an activity challenge for each of 100 days) and his own commitment was to walk around his garden daily for 100 days. He has asked via the Browser that any money he raised be handed into the reception area of the Parish Council offices at GMCC. Funds raised were to go to good causes in Bourton, including Post Covid-19 lockdown support for the village.

7.4 Cllr Davis had visited Stow-on-the-Wold & Moreton-in-Marsh fire stations with thank you Hamper and Cake (thanks to Carol Paxton and Kate Hunter), and Cllr Hicks was to visit Northleach with the same. While Cllr Davis was at Moreton, she had been able to design with

Senior officers a pilot programme for Bourton residents, based on Gloucestershire's Fire and Rescue service's Safe and Well Service. This offers a free home assessment service for the elderly or vulnerable to offer advise on issues of risk in the home and help with fire exit plans, smoke detectors, and our Parish funds might assist with carbon-monoxide detectors if needed. Bourton Street Volunteers would help with prioritizing those most in need in Bourton. This information was to go into the next edition of the Bourton Browser.

8 .Any Other Business

Recreation grounds could open-up as from 4/7/2020. The committee agreed to wait for government guidelines.

9. Date of Next Meeting – Wednesday 22nd July 2020 at 7.00 pm.

The meeting closed at 7.58 pm.