CERNE VALLEY PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Play Park Committee held at 2.00 pm on Monday 07th March 2022 On site at Cerne Abbas Play Park, Duck Street

Present: Cllrs M. Keating, C. Crosbie, and L. Prowse

1. Appointment of Chair

Cllr Keating was happy to continue until the next meeting. This unanimously agreed.

2. Apologises for absence

All members were present.

3. Declarations of pecuniary and other interests

No declarations were made.

4. To agree the minutes of the previous meeting held on 08th November 2021

These were agreed as a true and accurate record of the meeting.

5. Chairman's update

There were no matters other than on the agenda.

6. Inspection Report and site inspection (remedial items for action)

Members were happy with the current inspector and format of report. Cllr Keating stated that the final post had been removed.

7. Finance update

Income

Precept £ 900.00

Expenditure

Precept £ 688.45

Reserves £ 2125.45

8. Future projects

a. Installation of rubber mulch surfacing

Two quotes had been received. The committee agreed that the quote from Dorset Council provided best value for money, and indeed would provide continuity of work as they installed the previous surfacing.

It was confirmed to have the same rubber mulch.

It was confirmed the funds would be met from CIL as per Full Council resolution in February 2022.

The Clerk would contact Dorset Council and confirm the quote and request an expected start date.

b. Refurbishment of remaining seats

Members agreed to ask Mr Drage to jet wash the remaining benches.

The committee were happy to pay for the work.

All agreed to apply some decking oil after this was completed.

Cllr's Keating and Prowse would contact Mr Drage.

c. Inspection of climbing frame wooden slates

Further to the inspection report, 10 slates were identified for replacement. It was agreed soft wood was the preferred option.

Members agreed to get a quote for this project and also for the additional 21 slates that were part of the equipment.

Cllr's Keating and Crosbie would ask for these quotes.

9. General discussion period

There were no further matters.

10. Items and date for next meeting

The next meeting was scheduled for Monday 12th September at 2pm.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 1.50pm.

Mike Keating Chair