

Freckleton Parish Council

Minutes of the Open Spaces Meeting held on Monday 21st September 2015

Present: Councillor T Threlfall, (Chair)

Councillors, Mrs. N Griffiths St J Greenhough and a representative from Freckleton in Bloom.
Mrs. J Cartmell and Michael Cartmell represented Golden Leaf

1) To accept Apologies for absence.

Councillors K McKay, (other business), Mrs. M Whitehead and T Fiddler (holiday)
It was resolved that the reason for absence should be accepted.

2) To record the Declaration of interest from members in any item to be discussed.

All Councillors, as Landlords of the Bush lane sports field, declared an interest item 8.

3) To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 27th July 2015

It was resolved to approve the minutes, previously circulated, of the Open Spaces meeting, held on 27th July 2015,

4) To consider a request FIB to contribute to an information/history board for the Village.

It was reported that the noticeboard would be located adjacent to the Old Bank building.
It was agreed that Councillor Threlfall should work with the FIB committee to establish the information to be contained on the notice board.

5) To consider an offer from Lorenzo for the large black plastic planters to use somewhere in the Village.

It was suggested that the planters should be located at the corner of Green Lane and Naze lane.
Councillor Threlfall and Michael Cartmell agreed to review the location.
It was resolved to accept the offer.

6) To agree the planting schemes and designs for the Council's beds for summer 2016. – (Golden Leaf to confirm)

It was agreed that Golden Leaf would co-ordinate with FIB and the joint Order would be submitted to Newgate nurseries.

7) To consider trimming the tree that overhangs the house on Lytham road, adjacent to Memory Close Open spaces area.

It was resolved that the Tree(s) should be trimmed.

8) To reconsider the location for the Grass cutting compound on the Bush lane Sports field.

The preferred location would be on the southern side of the Cricket outfield halfway between the Centre and the Score box.

The Clerk was asked to write to the Cricket section to see if it would be practical to install plastic mess, in front of the new compound and below the grass surface, in order that the removal wagon would not churn up the outfield when the weather was inclement.

Signed.....T Fiddler, Chairman.....

Date.....05/10/15.....