Freckleton Parish Council

Minutes of Open Spaces Committee meeting held on Monday 23rd April 2018

Present: Councillor, T Threlfall, (Chair)

Councillors, Mrs. L Willis, Mrs. P Holt, St J Greenhough, K McKay, Mrs. J Cartmell and 2 representative from Football Club

1) Apologies:

None.

2) To discuss the requirements of the Football section.

The following improvements were put forward by the Football section:-

- a) Barriers on the southern side of the pitch. (This is a league requirement). Approximately 30 metres to the east of the dugout and 15 metres to the west. It was suggesting the materials could be supplied by a local builder's merchant in exchange for an advertising board.
- b) Extra storage area for portable barriers when cup games are played.
- c) Lay soil and seed on some areas of the pitch that have been damaged during the winter.
- d) Verti-drain and weed and feed both pitches.

3) To review the "old equipment" left on the Sports field

A number of pieces of equipment that were still in use were identified and it was agreed that they should be stored together adjacent to the patio area.

It was agreed that the Cricket section should be asked to move the following pieces of equipment that appeared not to be used any more:-

Metal stands, Old roller, Tarpaulins, Old site screens and old boards adjacent to the properties on Ribble ave

4) To review phase 3 of the Memorial park Development

The Chairman reported that he had held a meeting with a local contractor and the Chairman of the friends of the park and it was suggested that the following improvements should be progressed in the area grassed verge next the MUGA:-

Install 4 seats along the edge of the grass verge for parents to watch the children in the play area (The Chairman has obtained 4 seats from FBC).

Install a half moon tarmacked area. The Contract will provide an estimate and has agreed to donate a half moon seat to compliment the area.

Signed......Mrs. M Whitehead, Chairman.....

Date.....21/05/2018.....