

**Minutes of the Recreation and Amenities Committee held at Quedgeley Community Centre on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30pm**

**PRESENT** Cllr G Smith, Cllr S Smith, Cllr G Wheatley

**OFFICER PRESENT** Mrs Hughes

In the absence of the Chairman, Cllr S Smith **PROPOSED** Cllr Wheatley take the Chair.  
 Seconded Cllr G Smith Vote unanimous

R.084/22-23	<p><b>Apologies for Absence</b>                  Cllr Thompson and Cllr Weston</p>
R.085/22-23	<p><b>Declarations of Interest</b>                  None Received</p>
R.086/22/23	<p><b>To Adopt the following Minutes of the Previous Meeting dated:                  7<sup>th</sup> September 2022</b>                  Cllr G Smith <b>PROPOSED</b> to adopt the above minutes as a true and accurate record of the meeting.                  Seconded Cllr S Smith Vote unanimous <b>So resolved</b></p>
R.087/22-23	<p><b>Correspondence</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Resident – cremated remains plot for family.                      Cllr S Smith <b>PROPOSED</b> two plots would need to be purchased this was unanimously agreed by the committee.</li> <li>(b) Abbey Surfacing – price to address pathway                      The committee requested the cost for the work to be included on the next agenda.</li> <li>(c) ICCM – The Journal Autumn 2022                      Cllr S Smith volunteered to read and report his findings to the next committee.</li> </ul>
R.088/22-23	<p><b>Community Events</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) <b>Firework Display – 12<sup>th</sup> November 2022</b>                      Report on progress                      Mrs Hughes advised the office will be opening during the evening and possibly weekends during the first week in November to sell tickets.</li> <li>b) <b>Xmas Event – Date 11<sup>th</sup> December 2022</b>                      Report on progress – nothing to report at this stage</li> </ul>
R.089/22-23	<p><b>Playground Safety Reports</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Druids Oak, Woolstrop Play Area and Bristol Road Recreation Ground – to consider any necessary actions arising from the reports.                      Woolstrop Play Area: 27.09.22 :                     <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tunnel – some missing and rotten posts – in hand</li> <li>• Surface on mound needs filling – office to raise an order</li> </ul>                     Bristol Road Rec: 27.09.22 : the following item was raised:                     <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Large hole in the middle of the football pitch very dangerous – work has been completed.</li> <li>• Graffiti – has been removed from the play equipment</li> </ul>                     Druids Oak: 27.09.22 : the following item was raised:                     <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The stream adjacent to the play area is overgrown – office to obtain the price</li> <li>• Safety surfacing is cracking</li> </ul> </li> <li>(b) To discuss current condition of Druids Oak Play area and consider possible improvements – Update                      Cllr G Wheatley reported a site meeting with a representative from Haggs took place previously, Haggs are going to provide 3 designs and costing in due course.</li> </ul>

