

The George Philippi Memorial Sports Ground

Registered Charity 301793

Minutes of Meeting held 9pm Monday 16 September 2024 Crawley Village Hall

Present: Tim Anderson, Fred Fratter, Henrietta Boucher, Martin White
Nicky Breen
Apologies: Vanessa Chapman, Paul Whiteley

20.01 To Approve Minutes of 15 July 2024 Meeting

The minutes were approved.

20.02 Recreation ground

- **Condition/Upkeep**

The area around the playground that has been kept wild over the spring and summer is to be mowed.

- **Playground**

Sovereign carried out an annual maintenance report on 12/08/24. Some medium and low risk items were identified. These have been addressed by Tim, with just a couple of low risk items outstanding. There has been an increase in damage to the playground over the summer. It was suggested that this may be because there is an increase in use due to visitors staying in the campsite. Folly Farm is to be asked whether they will consider making a donation to the playground to help with the upkeep.

Action:NB

- **Cricket**

Martin reported that the cricket team won half of their games played, making it their best season. As yet there has not been any letting of the nets. Concerns were raised about children climbing up the nets to retrieve footballs stuck on the top, which is liable to damage the nets. Discussion was held as to whether to put signage up or have an implement available to push any balls off the top, with no decision being made.

20.03 Finance

- Recent transactions – to approve income and expenditure since last meeting.

Payments

Date	Ref	Payee	Details	£
14/07/2024	PX15	FTL Thatching	Slide installation	1200.00
14/08/2024	PX16	Greener Landscapes Supplies Ltd - Robert Carter reimbursement	Mat reimbursement	60.00
14/08/2024	PX17	Martin White	Pavillion sundries reimbursement	167.63
14/08/2024	PX18	Scandor Landscape Contractors Ltd	July (cuts 13-15)	286.20
07/09/2024	PX19	Scandor Landscape Contractors Ltd	August (cuts 16-18)	286.20
29/08/2024	PX20	Southern Electric	1.4.24-6.8.24 direct debit	126.86

Receipts

None

Payments PX15-20 were approved.

Note: Apply for absolute title of land 1 April 2036