

APPLETON WITH EATON PARISH COUNCIL

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**Minutes of the Leisure and Recreation Committee of the Parish Council
at the Village Hall
Monday, 16th March 2020 at 8:00 pm**

Issued by Allison Leigh (Clerk)

Present: John Adams, Chair (JA), Mark Richards (MR), Mrs Allison Leigh (Parish Clerk) (AL), (MC), Mr Roger Gilkes (RG), Mrs Sara Withers Mr Neil Woodley (NW)

	Description	Action/outcome
19/76	Apologies for absence	Mary Carey (MC), Hjalmar Blomerus (Sportsfield Advisory Group) (HB), Nicki Clarke (NC), Rik Hopgood (RH)
19/77	Declarations of Interest	None
19/78	Public questions and statements	No members of the public were present
19/79	Signing of the minutes: To authorise the signing of the minutes of the 20 th January 2020 meeting as a true record	The minutes of the 20 th January 2020 meeting were approved and signed.
19/80	Grass cutting: To discuss 2020/21 grass cutting quotes for the Sportsfield and Jubilee Park	The committee resolved to proceed with Ady Podbery to cut the grass for the Sportsfield. The Committee will review the cutting of the grass at Jubilee Park further.
19/81	Pavilion/Sportsfield 1. To discuss ground condition/possible works for the Sportsfield 2. To discuss ditching 3. To discuss solar panels	 1. RG reported that Ady Podbery had reviewed the grass at the sportsfield and provided a quote for fertiliser, weeding and re-seeding for £1128. The committee would like to proceed with fertiliser and re-seeding and will address weeding if deemed necessary. 2. RG will follow up with ditching 3. Solar panels will be added to the May meeting if HB is in attendance
19/82	Jubilee Park 1. Sleepers – To discuss sleeper repair and confirm proceeding with repair 2. State of the trees	 1. The committee resolved to proceed with the repair of the sleepers. 2. The state of the trees was discussed and it was noted that some branched have come down. One branch is still overhanging, but not much. MR will have a look. The committee would like AL to ask Lloyds Tree Services to look at the tree overhanging by the entrance and advise.

		3. The committee would like AL to ask the inspection company to make them aware when they are inspecting so a member of the Friends of Jubilee Park can meet them, if they'd like.
19/83	Matters arising: To discuss any further matters arising from the meeting of the 20 th January 2020 and not appearing elsewhere on the agenda	None
19/84	Miscellaneous	NW reported he has been sending out invoices for the use of the sportsfield. HE noted the cubs may be interested in the use of the pavilion every Tuesday.
19/85	Date of next meeting: To confirm date of next meeting as the 18 th May 2020	The date of the next meeting will be 18 th May 2020

Meeting closed at 8:30pm

Chairman of the Leisure and Recreation Committee

Date