

## Bransgore Parish Council

Minutes of a meeting of the Amenities Committee held on Tuesday, 10th April, 2012 in the Small Hall, The Village Hall, Bransgore at 7.30 p.m.

Present: Cllr. C. Lockyer (Chairman); Cllr. A. Hickman; Cllr. J. Lay; and Cllr. S. Owen  
Mr. E. Macknamara (Clerk to the Council)  
Mr. D. Lay (Bransgore Cricket) Mrs. M. Gallacher (Bransgore Netball) and Mr. G. Williams (Bransgore Croquet)

DEMOCRATIC SESSION: No matters were raised.

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST – None

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE - Cllr. P. Dupres and Mrs. K. Davies (Jack and Jill)
2. MINUTES OF THE MEETING - 13th March, 2012  
The Minutes of the meeting held on the 13th March, 2012 were approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman
3. MATTERS ARISING:
  - (i) The Queen's Diamond Jubilee: The number of spoons required by the Jack and Jill Pre-School Group would be 54 in addition to the numbers already confirmed by the Bransgore CE School.
  - : ii) Over flow Car Park- The cost of improving the surfacing of the overflow car park would be considered at a future meeting.
4. CORRESPONDENCE: i) English Table Tennis Association: The Clerk reported that the ETTA were inviting expressions of interest in the provision of internal and external table tennis facilities. The scheme was being supported by way of a lottery grant. It was agreed that at this stage the Parish Council should register an interest so that further consideration could be given to the financial implications when further details had been received.
5. HALL USERS' OBSERVATIONS: No matters were raised
6. VILLAGE HALL MATTERS: No matters were raised.
7. PAVILION MATTERS: i) Pavilion Door: The Clerk reminded users that the Pavilion door should be kept shut when the Pavilion was not in use.
  - ii) Gas Boiler: The Croquet Club asked if it would be possible to use the Gas Boiler now that their season had started.
8. PAVILION SITE: i) Water Butt: The Clerk reported that the water feed to the Water Butt had been disconnected and reminded users that it would fill from the mains adding additional cost. The rainwater pipe should, therefore, be left in place at all times.
  - ii) Ground Force Day: Mr. Lay reported that the Cricket Club had a successful Ground Force day. Work on the Cricket Field had commenced and the ditch had been filled. The Practice Net would also be re-located. The outfield would be sprayed on the 18th April, 2012 (weather permitting).
  - iii) Unauthorised Parking: It was noted that unauthorised vehicles appeared to be using the Pavilion Car Park. The situation would be monitored.
9. RECREATION GROUND AND PUBLIC OPEN SPACE: No matters were raised.
10. MULTI USE GAMES AREA: The door entry system to the area would be brought into use with effect from

11th April, 2012 and fobs would be issued to users.

11. FINANCIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT:

i) Budget Report: The Budget report for the period ending 31st March, 2012 was circulated at the meeting. RESOLVED: That the report be received.

ii) Football Pitch Maintenance

The Clerk reported that he had discussed the maintenance of the football pitches during the winter months with the Contractor and he had suggested a maintenance programme which would also benefit the cricket field. However, as there were no representatives of the Football Clubs present it was agreed that the Clerk obtain the views of the Football Clubs and report to the next meeting.

iii) CCTV Cameras: RESOLVED: That the quotation received for the replacement of Cameras Nos. 1 and 2 in the sum of £454.40 ex VAT be accepted.

12. ANY OTHER BUSINESS:

i) Pavilion Storage Area: The Clerk was asked to remind users that Lime should not be mixed in the storage area at the Pavilion.

ii) Village Hall Changing Rooms: The Clerk reported that the repairs to the external pipe work at the Village Hall Changing Rooms was in hand.

13. DEMOCRATIC SESSION: No further items were raised.

14. DATE OF NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, 8th May, 2012 in the Small Hall, Village Hall, Bransgore at 7.30 p.m.  
**There being no further business the meeting ended at 8.12 p.m.**

Chairman..... Date.....