

**OVERTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL
GENERAL AMENITIES COMMITTEE MEETING
22nd July 2023**

PRESENT: Cllr Lynch (Chair), Cllr Hellingman, Cllr Walker

1. 2023.01 ELECTION OF CHAIR

Cllr Lynch: proposed by Cllr Walker seconded by Cllr Hellingman

2. 2023.02 APOLOGIES

Cllr Copeman and Cllr Whittaker

3. 2023.03 TO DISCLOSE PERSONAL AND PECUNIARY INTERESTS - None disclosed

4. 2023.04 QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC – None disclosed

5. 2023.05 TO DISCUSS MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

For information only

- A new climbing wall and a set of swings for older children was installed in September 2022
- The new Trim Trail was installed in June 2022 (A consultation exercise was held in October 2021 and invitations for a set of 4 new pieces of exercise equipment were sent out).

6. 2023.06 INTERNAL INSPECTION OF THE FOOTBALL PAVILION

- The pavilion is in good condition and the outside is in good order.
- The cold-water tanks and pipes in the loft require lagging before winter.
- The Home Team toilet cistern requires attention.
- With regard to the review of shower provision, it was decided that due to the very limited usage of the facilities, no further action or expense is warranted.

7. 2023.07 MILENNIUM MEADOW

- The fence behind the football pitch requires attention. Cllr Lynch to source posts and rails (Councillors will effect repairs, date TBC)
- Trim Trail - The base post cover on the Ski pole equipment needs securing.

8. 2023.08 PLAYPARK

- The surrounds encompassing the fort and other areas now need immediate action – Cllr Lynch will approach Paul at Eastwick for this and other repairs in the playground.
- The zip wire hose needs attention – Cllr Lynch will make temporary repairs, Clerk to contact the original supplier.
- The nesting swing requires new D-rings – Cllr Lynch to action
- The yellow play train roof requires slates to be replaced – Eastwick
- Various tree branches are overhanging play equipment. This will be addressed by the a Community Council working Party

9. 2023.09 MAIN CAR PARK TOILETS

- Cleanliness was slightly less than the normal high standard expected at 10:00 in the morning
- Toilet block requires a thorough weeding around the edges. The hedge outside the male toilet door needs to be cut and the Ivy needs to be cut back and brambles removed – Clerk to discuss with the Ground Maintenance Contractor

10. 2023.10 CEMETERY

- The main entrance hedges require cutting ASAP - Clerk to discuss with the Ground Maintenance Contractor
- The mole problem requires attention – Clerk to action
- The broken bench by the Cemetery hut needs removing – Cllr Walker to action
- The remembrance gardens wooden surrounds need to be cleaned and treated – Clerk to obtain quotes

11. 2023.11 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

- October TBC

The Chair closed the meeting at 12:00 pm