



Dear Councillor

6 September 2018

You are invited to attend a meeting of the **RECREATION & LEISURE COMMITTEE** to be held on **TUESDAY 11 SEPTEMBER 2018 at 6.30 pm** in the Committee Room at the Town Hall, 37 West Borough, Wimborne Minster.

Members of the public are advised that they may speak at the meeting on items on the agenda, at the discretion of the Chairman, if notification is given to the Town Clerk prior to the meeting.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Lawrence Derry'.

Town Clerk

AGENDA

- 1 Apologies for absence.
- 2 **RECREATION GROUNDS INSPECTION REPORT**
To be tabled.
- 3 **REDCOTTS RECREATION GROUND – ROUNDHOUSE**
(Min 23 – 05.06.18)
To consider the report of the Town Clerk (copy herewith).
- 4 **BLIND LANE ENTRANCE BED – PLANTING SCHEME**
To consider the report of the Town Clerk (copy herewith)
- 5 **DOG WARDEN PATROL REPORTS**
To receive the reports for June, July and August 2018 (copies herewith).



MEMBERS OF COMMITTEE

Cllr Mrs S A Bell (Chairman)

Cllr R P Nunn (Vice-Chairman)

Cllr J Burden

Cllrs Mrs S A Cook

Cllr Mrs P A Hymers

Cllr Mrs D J March

Cllr Mrs A E Roberts

Cllr T F Wheeler

Ex-Officio – Chairman & Vice-Chairman of the Council

(Members are reminded of the importance of letting the office know of non-attendance by noon on the day of the meeting)

LOCALISM ACT 2011 and CODE of CONDUCT

Members are reminded to comply with those elements of the Localism Act and the Town Council's Code of Conduct in respect of disclosable pecuniary interests.

GENERAL CONDUCT

Members are reminded that the Council has a general duty to consider the following matters in the exercise of any of its functions: Equal Opportunities (race, gender, sexual orientation, marital status and any disability), Crime & Disorder, Health & Safety and Human Rights and Data Protection (General Data Protection Regulation).

WIMBORNE MINSTER TOWN COUNCIL

To: Recreation & Leisure Committee

Date: 11 September 2018

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

**REDCOTTS RECREATION GROUND – ROUNDHOUSE
(Min 23 – 05.06.18)**

Members will recall that at the June 2018 meeting Sgt Travers of the Neighbourhood Policing Team had requested that the Roundhouse be demolished as it was being used by young people to take illegal drugs and was in his opinion a focus for criminality and anti-social behaviour. The request was refused.

The Police And Communities Together (PACT) Panel has now asked if the Committee would consider installing lighting in the shelter as a deterrent to young people committing the acts mentioned above.

The Police have been unable to offer any advice on a suitable type of lighting other than a solar powered dusk til dawn light, with the panel mounted high on the roof of the shelter and with a suitably robust LED lamp inside.

An electrician has been asked to suggest possible options but feels that solar powered lights which can be bought 'off-the-shelf' would not be suitable. He feels that they are unreliable and inefficient as well as not being vandal proof.

To make and install a solar installation with a battery storage facility to generate enough power to provide lighting for at least five hours per evening would cost in the region of £1,200-£1,500.

His preferred option would be to wire the lights from a lamp column with the cable running underground powering suitable spot lights.

Members should be mindful that no installation will be totally vandal proof and I am concerned that if approved this lighting will need constant repair because of vandalism.

A separate request has been received from the Police asking if the Committee would agree to the felling of the lime tree which obscures the view of the CCTV camera looking into the shelter. However, this tree is protected by a tree preservation order and the Tree Officer who has been contacted would not agree to its removal for this purpose.

The Committee's decision on the lighting issue is requested.

WIMBORNE MINSTER TOWN COUNCIL

To: Recreation & Leisure Committee

Date: 11 September 2018

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

BLIND LANE ENTRANCE BED – PLANTING SCHEME

Members will recall that when the work was completed at the Blind Lane entrance and a bed was created, the Committee asked Wimborne in Bloom to suggest a planting scheme.

This has now been received and is shown on the reverse of this report.

As Members will see three options are suggested:

a bed containing grasses for texture or shrubs for scent or shrubs for colour and mass planting.

The maximum cost is estimated to be less than £150 which can be met from the planting fund.

REDCOTTS – Cemetery Road entrance bed

Grasses for texture

MISCANTHUS

Flamingo h 1.2 deciduous pinky cascading flowers
Kleine Fontaine h 1.5 deciduous upright flowers
Either of these for top of border. Cut back in spring

PENNISETUM

Fairy tales

Hameln

Orientele

Herbstzauber

All 120-150cm good flower heads pink and white all to be cut back in spring. Choose one type for flowing planting or plant various in blocks.

OPHIOPOGON

20cm black turf lily for edging

CAREX

Frosted curls bronze colour looks good in mass planting

Shrubs for scent

LAVENDER

ROSEMARY prostrate type

THYME and SAGE for edging

Other plants for edging

AJUGA

SILENE

ARMERIA

Shrubs for colour and mass planting

ABELIA

Kaleidoscope h 4ft evergreen bronze and yellow

CORNUS

Alba elegantissima h 5ft red winter stems cut down in spring

Dog Warden Patrol Report

Month: JUNE 2018

Parish: WIMBORNE

Total Hours: 8

Date	Time Started	Time Finished	Comments
4/6/2018	14.00	15.00	Patrolled Leigh Park. Very hot day 3 MOP seen with dogs, two were seen to pick up.
7/6/2018	13.15	14.15	Patrolled Redcotts, 2 MOP seen with dogs, of which one was seen to pick up. One DFD seen on the field, none on the paths.
14/6/2018	14.30	15.30	Patrolled Leigh Park. 2 MOP seen with dogs, both picked up.
18/6/2018	12.30	14.00	Patrolled Redcotts, 3 MOP seen with dogs, of which one was seen to pick up, no DFD seen on the paths or on the field.
19/6/2018	15.00	16.00	Patrolled Leigh Park, One MOP seen walk across field with dog on lead, 2 DFD observed.
26/6/2018	11.30	12.30	Patrolled Redcotts, 5 MOP seen with dogs, of which 3 were seen to pick up .One DFD seen on path and two on the pitch.
28/6/2018	10.30	12.00	Patrolled Leigh park. No dog walkers seen.

Dog Warden Patrol Report

Month: **JULY 2018**

Parish: **WIMBORNE**

Total Hours: **8**

Date	Time Started	Time Finished	Comments
2/7/2018	12.45	13.45	Patrolled Redcotts, One MOP seen with a dog and picked up, no DFD seen on the paths of field.
5/7/2018	12.30	13.30	Patrolled Leigh Park. 3 MOP seen with dogs, of which two were seen to pick up. Gave some complimentary dog bags to elderly couple, who were seen to pick up after both their dogs.
10/7/2018	7.45	8.45	Patrolled the Rec. 4 MOP seen with dogs, of which, two were seen to pick up. Had a word with one dog owner who was on the phone and not watching where his dog was, it was out of sight.
16/7/2018	15.00	16.00	Patrolled leigh Park. Two MOP seen with 3 dogs, of which one was seen to pick up, one DFD observed.
20/7/2018	11.00	12.00	Patrolled the Rec. 3 MOP seen with dogs, no DFD observed on the paths or the playing field.
24/7/2018	10.15	11.15	Patrolled Leigh Park. One dog walker seen with dog on lead.
27/7/2018	16.30	17.30	Patrolled Redcotts, 6 MOP seen with dogs, of which three were seen to pick up. One DFD seen on the path and two on the field.

Dog Warden Patrol Report

Month: AUGUST 2018

Parish: WIMBORNE

Total Hours: 8

Date	Time Started	Time Finished	Comments
2/8/2018	10.00	11.00	Patrolled the Rec. Only one MOP seen with a dog on lead and picked up., no DFD seen on paths or on the field.
7/8/2018	10.15	11.15	Patrolled LEIGH PARK. 2 MOP seen with dogs and both were seen to pick up.
9/8/2018	9.30	10.30	Patrolled the Rec, 8 MOP seen with dogs, of which 4 were seen to pick up, 2 DFD seen on the field.
14/8/2018	15.00	16.00	Patrolled Leigh Park, One MOP seen with a dog on lead and picked up.
20/8/2018	12.00	13.00	Patrolled leigh Park, One MOP seen with a dog, 2 DFD observed on side of field, replaced NO DOGS ALLOWED sign in play area near building that had been removed.
22/8/2018	10.20	11.30	Patrolled the Rec and paths, 4 MOP seen with dogs, of which 2 were seen to pick up, no DFD observed.
28/8/2018	13.45	15.00	Patrolled Leigh Park, 4 MOP seen with dogs, of which 2 were seen to pick up.
30/08/2018	13.00	14.00	Patrolled the Rec. 3 MOP see with dogs, all were seen to pick up, no DFD seen on the paths.