



**NAILSWORTH TOWN COUNCIL**  
**Minutes of the Recreation and Amenities Committee**  
Held at 7pm in the Town Hall on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2022

**Present:**

ClIr Mike Kelly (Chair)  
ClIr Jonathan Duckworth  
ClIr Shelley Rider  
ClIr Steve Robinson

**Minutes:**

Deputy Clerk

**Apologies:**

ClIr Ros Mulhall  
ClIr Paul Francis

**To consider the draft Recreation & Amenities budget for 2023-2024**

The office was tasked with sending a reminder to all councillors about the date for the budget meeting.

The committee members discussed how the Town Council's income from hirers might be affected and could potentially be reduced in the coming months. In addition to this, the council will also see an increase in costs, specifically energy costs.

There was then a considerable discussion regarding the contribution to Youth Services as the need for transparency and openness for such a large donation to an outside organisation was raised by the auditor. It is therefore important that a proper process for monitoring and evaluation is put in place.

**To consider the Facilities Review following extra information and examination by cllrs and the Clerk;**

- a) Rooms, Halls and Storage**
- b) Open Spaces**
- c) KGV Sports**
- d) Cafes, pitches and markets**

It was **recommended** to agree to all of the changes to the hire charges as outlined in the four reports subject to the following amendment:

The Mortimer Gardens charge for markets to be set at £50 per hire (equivalent to two sessions at £25 per session), plus a £20 for electricity use.

**To receive a report regarding NTC's energy contracts**

The report was noted.

**To receive a report on the town Hall fire alarm**

The report was noted, and the clerk provided an update from the Fire alarm service that confirmed that following further research, the replacement of the fire panel is no longer needed.

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Chair of Recreation and Amenities committee  
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