



NAILSWORTH TOWN COUNCIL
Minutes of the Recreation and Amenities Committee
Held at 7pm in the Town Hall on Tuesday 2nd August 2022

Present:

Cllr Mike Kelly (Chair)
Cllr Paul Francis
Cllr Shelley Rider
Cllr Steve Robinson

Minutes:

Locum Clerk, Mrs Irena Litton BEM

Apologies:

Cllr Jonathan Duckworth
Cllr Ros Mulhall

To consider a structural survey for the retaining wall between the Town Hall and 2 Folly Cottages, and the Town Hall and footpath

After a discussion,

It was **recommended:**

1. To set aside a budget of £3,000 for Town Hall structural surveys
2. To appoint a locum/project manager to tender for the survey work and liaise with the chosen surveyor for the initial surveys
3. For structural surveys to be carried out on the two retaining walls
4. For the walls to be included on a maintenance schedule, to prevent further deterioration.

To consider a report on the condition of the KGV skate ramps and urgent repairs needed

It was **recommended:**

1. To set aside a budget of £5,000 to cover all three units needing urgent repair
2. To investigate the cost to fully refurbish or replace (as appropriate) each unit on a rolling programme as necessary, and for this figure to be brought to the autumn budget meeting

To consider the hire charges for NTC's rooms, storage and open spaces as part of the ongoing Facilities Review

It was **recommended:**

1. Apply a charge of £100 per week to Hobbs, with effect the 1st September 2022
2. To defer a decision on all the other hire charges.
3. Cllrs Ros Mulhall and Shelley Rider to work with the Officers to review the report in full.

The Committee did not want to commence charging for outdoor community spaces (this does not apply to fees already in place i.e. pitch charges). The Committee also requested a more realistic timetable of the 1st January 2023 for the new fees to be applied.

To consider researching alternatives to the tables and chairs in the Council Chamber

It was **recommended:**

To researching more modern tables and chairs for the Council Chamber and to recommend disposal of the existing tables and chairs in time for the October budget meeting.



To consider plumbing work in KGV changing rooms at a cost of £720

It was **recommended:**

To fit lever valves on the shower feeds in the changing rooms, to clean the system of limescale and to fit a combi mate limescale filter at a cost of £720

The Committee further requested that the filter is added to the maintenance schedule to ensure the filters are changed as appropriate.

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Chair of Recreation and Amenities committee
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