

**OLD CATTON PARISH COUNCIL , MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
RECREATION GROUNDS COMMITTEE
HELD AT 7.30 P.M. ON MONDAY 17TH JANUARY 2005,
AT THE PAVILION, CHURCH STREET**

PRESENT: Miss P Wilkin Mr C Green

Miss M Booty – Tennis Club
Mrs S Hedges – Anglia Bowls Club
Mr T Jones – ATV Bowls Club
Mr C Scott – Cricket Club
Mr R Tolliday – Junior Football Club

APOLOGIES: Mr B Leggett, Mrs G Masdin, Mr D Thompson, Mrs S Lincoln

The Chairman welcomed everybody to the meeting.

8. MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF 29.9.2004

The minutes, which had been adopted by the Council, were confirmed, and signed by the Chairman.

9. REPORTS OF THE SPORTS GROUPS

- 9.1. Tennis. Miss Booty reported that the Club continued to play despite the winter weather.
- 9.2. Anglia Bowls Club and ATV Bowls Club. Mrs Hedges and Mr Jones had nothing to report. They agreed that the condition of the green had been very good during the last season.
- 9.3. Cricket Club. It was AGREED that the Council would publicise the club in its next newsletter.

The Club asked if its sight screen could be stored complete, or in sections during the forthcoming season. It was AGREED that this would be discussed by the Planning and Property Committee.

It was AGREED that the Norfolk Cricket Board's pitch assessor might look at the pitch and make recommendations by arrangement with the Clerk.

- 9.4. Football Club. Mr Tolliday was concerned that arrangements had not been made to provide toilet facilities for the Five a Side weekend. It was AGREED that a special meeting should be arranged with Club officers and members to discuss this. The Club was approaching the attainment of Charter Status.

10. CHURCH STREET RECREATION GROUND

- 10.1. Drains. Only one quotation had been received for the drainage work despite repeated requests to other contractors.
- 10.2. Multi Use Games Area. Discussions were in the early stages about the

possibility of providing a joint facility with the school. Accessibility Guidelines would be borne in mind.

- 10.3. Entrance to Garrick Green. The neighbours' fence had yet to be repaired and the gate was therefore not being locked at night. It was hoped that the situation would be addressed very soon. There was a need for greater security and to lock the main gates and the Pavilion door during football training. It was confirmed that should members of the JFC wish to hire the kitchen and meeting room facilities they would be welcome to do so at the usual rates.

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11. LAVARE PARK

There was nothing to report.

12. DATE OF NEXT MEETING Monday 25th April 2005.

There being no further business the Chairman thanked everybody for attending and closed the meeting at 8.15 p.m.

Chairman, 25.4.2005