

MINUTES OF THE RECREATION COMMITTEE

MEETING HELD ON THURSDAY 9 JULY 2009

Present: Cllr F Partridge - Chairman

Cllrs: L Emo, B Garvie, L Moores, P Moores, N Tucker

In attendance: Cllrs J Blatchford, J Bryson, H Partridge

Mrs M Roberts -Deputy Town Clerk.

R/26/09 **To receive and accept apologies for absence**

Cllr L Deely (non-committee member)

R/27/09 **To receive members declarations of interest**

There were none

R/28/09 **Electors Questions/Observations**

- An elector asked about the grass cutting regime on Shalder Hill
- An elector asked whether the proposed market could be sited on the grassed area by the Methodist Chapel and along Neetside

R/29/09 **Minutes**

- (i) **To consider and approve the minutes of the Recreation Committee meeting held on 21 May 2009**

Resolved: That with the deletion of the word “not” and the addition of the word “now” under matters arising R/11/09, minutes are a true and accurate record and they should be signed by the Chairman

- (ii) **Report by Deputy Town Clerk on matters arising from the minutes**

There were none

R/30/09 **Presentation by Vicki Morrison and Simon Sparrow – Youth Needs in Bude**

Vicki Morrison spoke about the work of the Bude Youth Project, the needs of youth in the area to have a place to meet, and the current project to graffiti the inside of the Skate Board Park at Crooklets Beach. Simon Sparrow expanded on his role as Deputy Member for Youth Parliament representing East Cornwall. He explained how the SOFA project will gather young people’s views. The Chairman thanked them both for their presentation and invited them to come the Recreation Committee again as Simon’s time in office comes to a close.

R/31/09 **Consideration of terms, conditions and pricing for the use of The Triangle, Bude**

Recommended to FS&GP: The charity rate booking fee is increased to £10 inc VAT and the electricity charge is increased to £5 inc VAT. A deposit of £50 is payable on all bookings which will be returned when a member of outdoor staff have confirmed that all rubbish has been removed from the area.

R/32/09 **Update on “Bude in Bloom”**

The Deputy Town Clerk reported that the sale of hanging baskets this year increased to 63 baskets from 52 baskets in 2008

R/33/09

Consideration of purchase and placement of tiered planter

Resolved: To purchase two 6 tier Beehive Planters. One to be positioned in Rattenbury Gardens, Stratton and the second on the grassed area next to the Bude Light.

The Chairman closed the meeting at 9.25 pm

Signed.....Date.....