

Wickham Parish Council

Recreation Committee

Minutes of a meeting of the above Committee held at Wickham Centre on Wednesday 4th July 2012 at 7pm.

Present: Sue Roger-Jones (Chairman), Angela Clear (Vice-Chairman), Di Frost, Justin Gamblin, Tony Ryder.

John Tull and Malcolm Burt from Wickham Dynamos, Pat Fortnum from Waltham Wolves, Parish Clerk Nicki Oliver.

- 1 To receive apologies for absence** Marie du Boulay, Nick Guy, Jenny Hollis.
- 2 To receive declarations of interest on agenda items** None.
- 3 To adjourn meeting to allow participation by members of the public**
Included below.
- 4 Agenda**

4.1 To discuss facilities required for recreation land to the north of Wickham should it become available.

Members considered it too early to be discussing requirements for the land as its availability is dependent on planning permission for residential development elsewhere in the village. Informal discussions were held and a draft wish list prepared for possible reference in the future.

Full sized astro turf football pitch.
1 full sized grass football pitch.
2 Mini pitches grass.
Cricket nets.
Tennis courts- at later date.
Pavilion with meeting room as well as usual changing rooms etc.
Floodlights.
Car parking

A safe access onto Mill Lane.

The 8 acres need levelling, grading and drainage

It was also confirmed that subject to funding the Parish Council would like to see the recreation ground pavilion replaced.

- 5 To identify any unmanaged risks within this committee's remit** None.
- 6 Review effectiveness of communication, development of links with other community organisations and support for local democracy through making information more widely available** Continue to monitor.
- 7 Recent correspondence/ reports from meetings attended of relevance to this committee** None.

Meeting closed 7.50pm

