

Draft minutes of Lyminge Parish Council Community Engagement and Events Committee Meeting.

Held on Monday 29th April 2024 in Lyminge Methodist Church.

04.01 Present: Cllrs Arnold, Joyce, Fuller, Huntley and McWhinnie.

In attendance: Chani Sanger (Clerk)

Apologies: None

Declarations of interest: None

04.02 Minutes:

[Motion - To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 22nd February.](#)

Proposed: Cllr Fuller | Seconded: Cllr Huntley | Motion passed.

[Motion - To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 11th March.](#)

Proposed: Cllr Joyce | Seconded: Cllr Arnold | Motion passed.

04.03 D Day:

The following updates were given:

- Contact has been made with Lyminge Primary School regarding their involvement during day time events.
- The PFA have also been contacted.
- Committee chair to work with school and PFA on timings and bring back to committee.
- The PCC is happy with a service being held.
- The beacon will be lit at 21:15.
- The guides will attend after their meeting.

Cllrs questioned whether there could be long term remembrance i.e pebbles around the village. Could the scouts be involved in this? Committee to liaise with Cllr King.

04.04 Meriden Park:

Following several working group meetings involving residents, the committee has put together a recommendation for Full Council. It was also noted that flooring should be considered, either full flooring or consideration of the additional grounds maintenance.

[Motion - To recommend the following to Full Council - this should make up the content of the tender for the play park.](#)

1. [The ethos of the new park should be inclusivity, accessibility and encouraging imaginative and educational play.](#)
2. [The following equipment should be seen as a priority: climbing frame with a slide; swings; ground level trampoline \(suitable for wheelchairs/pushchairs\) and a ground level roundabout \(suitable for wheelchairs/pushchairs\).](#)
3. [Visual aesthetics should be similar to the new park at Tayne Field.](#)

Proposed: Cllr Fuller | Seconded: Cllr Arnold | Motion passed.

04.05 Summer event:

The following updates were given:

- Music artists are being contacted by Cllr Arnold.
- Cllr McWhinnie suggested artists to contact.
- Cllr Huntley is looking into staging options.
- Cllrs Arnold and Fuller are meeting on 30.04.24 to discuss plans.
- The event will include a 'thank you' celebration for the organisations that fundraised for the new Tayne Field play park and the unveiling of a plaque.

04.06 Date of next meeting: TBC

Meeting closed at 20:14

Signed:

_____ Chair (Date __/__/24)

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