

HEMINGFORD ABBOTS PLAYING FIELD

Minutes of the Meeting of the Administrative Trustees

held on Monday 22nd of April 2024 at Hemingford Abbots Village Hall.

Present: HAPC Cllrs: Marcus Whewell, Peter Keen, Phillip Cooke and Glenda Perrott Clerk: Maxine Blewett

Meeting opened at 8.20 pm

- 1. Apologies received and accepted from Cllr Shaun Reinson
- 2. Declarations of Interest: None
- 3. Open Forum: Not applicable
- 4. Resolved to approve the Minutes of HAPF meeting held on the 22nd of January 2024 (all in favour).
- 5. Matters Arising
- 5.1 Resolved to approve a request from the Chair of the Friends of St. Margarets Church to use of the Playing Field on Saturday the 29th of June for an event to mark the 60th anniversary of the first Flower Festival. The organisers have been asked to provide a risk assessment to HAPC.
- 5.2 Noted that a parishioner emailed the Clerk in March to ask if it was too late for the PF hedge to be cut back. The Clerk responded to say that due to the bad weather and flooding on ROL it had not been possible to cut the hedge before the nesting season started. The hedge trimming will be arranged for the autumn. Noted.
- 6. Playing Field
- 6.1 Noted: That monthly safety checks of the Playing Field have been carried out by Mr. Martin and there have been no issues identified to date. .
- 6.2 Noted: That HDC Groundworks were unable to provide help to clean up the overgrown weeds along the perimeter of the PF.
- 7. Closure of the Meeting 8.35 pm
- 8. Date of Next Meeting Monday 22nd July 2024.

Signed......Chair Marcus Whewell Date: 22nd July 2024