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MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE
LEISURE, EVENTS & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE
HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER
ON 3 SEPTEMBER 2019 at 8.00 PM

Present: Cllr Montague – In the Chair Ryan Bennett – Clerk to the Council
Amanda Gardiner – Administrative Assistant

Cllrs Benner, Hughes, Kyriakou, Tobin, Vassiliou, Wallington & Yeung.

In Attendance: Cllr Gallagher

Voting Members: 9

LEE1501/19 Apologies for Absence

All Members were present.

LEE1502/19 Declarations of Interest

The Chairman recommended that any declarations of interest be made, if necessary, throughout the meeting.

LEE1503/19 Representations from the Public

No representations were made.

LEE1504/19 Minutes

Members had no comments regarding the Minutes.

Resolved:

- That the Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 2 July 2019 be approved and signed by the Chairman.

LEE1505/19 Matters Arising

There were no matters arising.

LEE1506/19 Rangers Update

The Senior Ranger gave an update on the activities completed by the Rangers. In addition to their regular activities, they had updates on:

- Weston Wood – due to issues with litter accumulation and the protective fence being broken multiple times, the potential ice hole has been backfilled with wood chip and covered to make it safe.
- Dog Bin 45 has been moved off Croxley Common Moor and is now placed the other side of the boundary on the edge of the Footpath.
- Stone's Orchard Meadow Grass – TRDC contractors do not appear to be following the agreed approach of 'cut, turn and collect' and this means that seeds are not dropping to grow into next year's wildflower meadow. The Senior Ranger advised that they will be following up with TRDC.
- Sewerage – there has been several occurrences of blocked drains that have resulted from non-biodegradable items being put in the toilets at the Community

Centre and Allotments. Drains have been cleared back to New Road main sewer and any future blockages will be the responsibility of Thames Water.

- Pre-school Allotment – this initiative continues to do well and the majority of children who attend come to every session.

LEE1507/19 Works List

Members had no comments regarding the Works List.

Resolved:

- That the Works List is noted.

LEE1508/19 LEE Budget Tracker Report 2019/20

LEE Budget Tracker Report 2019/20 was reviewed. 2 activities are now complete – Peace Picnic and School Sunflower Competition. Please see updated Tracker attached.

LEE1509/19 Dog Show 2019

The Clerk provided a verbal update on plans for the Dog Show being held on Sunday 22nd September. Posters have been put up around Croxley Green and are also on the website, Facebook and Twitter. An article should appear in My Croxley. Councillors have been asked to source/provide donations for the Tombola.

LEE1510/19 NYE Fireworks 2019

The Clerk provided a verbal update on plans for the NYE Fireworks. Yahire will be providing and setting up the security barriers. 2 Security Guards from Richards Events will be on site from 12 noon on the 31st Dec to 2 am on the 1st January. DJC Sound Systems will be providing the PA system.

LEE1511/19 Pumpkin Carving

The Administrative Assistant provided a verbal update on plans for the Pumpkin Carving sessions that will be held on 30th and 31st October. Halloween themed decorations have been purchased. Grocer on the Green will be sourcing the pumpkins and the carving kits will be ordered soon.

LEE1512/19 Traveller Incursion on The Green

The Clerk provided a verbal update on the Traveller Incursion on The Green on the 15th August 2019 and in Stone's Orchard on the 31st August 2019. The Clerk will liaise with Three Rivers on what steps can be taken to prevent the incursions in future.

LEE1513/19 Closure

There being no further business the Chairman closed the meeting at 9:18pm