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MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE
LEISURE, EVENTS & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE
HELD ON 5 MARCH 2024 at 8.00 PM

Present: Cllr Montague – In the Chair
Ryan Bennett – Clerk to the Council
Natalie Carter – Administrative Assistant to the Clerk
Nicola Dicks – Community Events & Engagement Officer
Anthony Bassenger – Senior Ranger

Cllrs Aguiar, Bichard, Hughes, Kyriakou and Reed.

In Attendance: Cllr Gallagher.

Not Present: Cllr Benner.

Voting Members: 6

Members of the Public: 2

LEE1817/24 Apologies for Absence

Apologies were received and approved from Cllr Sian.

LEE1818/24 Declarations of Interest

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

LEE1819/24 Representations from the Public

Representation from Croxfest thanking members for their help and support in previous years and are thankful for Croxley Green Parish Councils continued financial support.

[under Standing Order 13.1.15 it was agreed to suspend the meeting between 8.04 and 8.12pm]

LEE1820/24 Minutes

Members had no comments regarding the Minutes.

Resolved:

- That the Minutes of the meeting held on 9 January 2024 be approved and signed by the Chairman.

LEE1821/24 Matters Arising

There were no matters arising.

LEE1822/24 Ranger's Update

The Senior Ranger gave an update on the activities completed. In addition to regular activities, they gave the following updates:

- Stephen has now joined us and settling in well to the role.
- We are preparing for the Easter Egg hunt and trails.
- The Boundary walk has been assessed.
- The chickens have had their yearly deep clean.

LEE1823/24 **Events 2024**

The Community Events & Engagement Officer advised Members on previous events and gave the following updates:

- Our litter pick in February was well attended and we are ready for the next one this weekend.
- We are busy preparing for Neuro-diversity week with lots of activities planned.
- Preparations have begun for 80th Anniversary of D-Day.
- Preparation for our Art Exhibition and Art in the Park events have started.
- The coach has now been booked for our Summer Senior Citizens trip in July.

LEE1824/24 **LEE Budget Tracker Report 2024/25**

The LEE Budget Tracker Report 2023/24 was reviewed.

LEE1825/24 **Closure**

There being no further business the Chairman closed the meeting at 8:54 pm