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Marchwood Parish Council

Minutes of the Amenities Meeting of Marchwood Parish Council held in the Pine Room at Marchwood Village Hall on Monday 9 June 2025 at 7.30pm.

Present: Councillors: N Buckett, P Mballa, K Petty, Cllr Saxby, Cllr Hindle and Cllr Shelley

In attendance: Angela Woodward, Deputy Parish Clerk/RFO.

Apologies

AC/25/001 – apologies for absence was received from Cllr Leath (work commitments), Cllr Proctor (personal) and Cllr Case (annual leave).

Resolved – to accept apologies for absence from Cllr Leath, Proctor and Case.

Declarations of Interest

AC/25/002 – Cllr Petty declared an association with two members of the Mens Shed.

Public Participation

AC/25/003 – Community Volunteer, Mr G Wright, attended the Committee on agenda Item 5, Community Activities.

Minutes:

AC/25/004 - Resolved – to accept the minutes of the Amenities meeting held on Monday 10 March 2025 as a true and accurate record and duly signed by the Chairman.

Community Activities

AC/25/005 – Mr Wright addressed the Committee to summarise the updated proposal for a 6ft wooden fence with freestanding wood storage at Lloyds Recreation Ground.

Resolved – to accept a 6ft fence being erected with free standing wood storage sited 1 metre from the workshop and neighbouring property. The fence will be painted the same colour as the workshop when it is painted.

Amenities Team Report

AC/25/006 – Members noted the report

Tree Works - Our tree surgeons have nearly completed the tree works that were identified by tree inspector.

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Machinery/Vehicles - We have sold the ISUZU D-Max HY71 ELU

We have replaced a starter motor on one of the ride-on mowers and replaced one of the flail decs.

Lloyd Recreation Ground – The new pin code locks have been fitted to the 3G court and 5-a-side court.

The electric roller shutter have been replaced on the main pavilion door. The Hub roller shutter has been serviced, and the HUB window shutter has been repaired.

The work identified in the Fire Door Inspection has been scheduled for 11-13 June 2025.

The installation of the solar panels and ASHP/Hot Water Cylinder is scheduled to begin w/c 16 June 2025.

Marchwood Men's Shed have fitted a cupboard around the EV charger and electric cupboard for safety measures.

We have had one electric meter removed so everything is now going through a 3-phase meter.

Play Parks - The rubber flooring has been repaired at the Lloyds Recreation Ground play park.

Staff Training - The Ground Staff have completed the following training: -

Ladders & Stepladders, Hand Arm Vibration, Fire Safety Awareness, Fire Extinguisher Use, Fire Marshall, VQPA1/FC07 L2 the Safe Use of Pesticides PA1

Ground staff will be undertaking Ride on Mower Training 20 June 2025.

Income & Expenditure

AC/25/007 – Resolved - the income & expenditure was noted with any overspends being explained.

Councillor Petty asked how often the HUB is hired out.

Councillor Buckett suggested that we should advertise the HUB in the village news to increase bookings.

Notice Boards

AC/25/008 – Resolved – to remove the damaged notice board at Twiggs Lane.

Councillors agreed to try and seek out a better location for a notice board in the Twiggs Lane area of the village, as it is good for the parents attending the infant school.

The meeting closed at 8.05pm. The date of the next meeting 29 September 2025.