

Goudhurst Parish Council



YOUTH & HOUSING COMMITTEE

Minutes of a Meeting held on 23rd January 2024 at 7.30pm in the Church Rooms

Councillors Present: Cllrs Craig Broom, Antony Harris, Phil Kirkby (Chairman), and Julia Kiggell

Officers Present: Asst Clerk

APOLOGIES

600/23 Apologies for Absence were received from Cllr David Knight (TWBC Finance and Governance CAB).

DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

601/23 Phil Kirkby declared an interest in his company being one of the bid applicants for the ventilation work at Chequer Field Pavilion.

MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

602/23 It was **resolved** that the minutes of the Youth & Housing Committee meeting held on 10 October 2023, and previously distributed to members via Board Intelligence, be accepted as a correct record.

QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC AND PRESS

603/23 There were none

VENTILATION AT CHEQUER FIELD

604/23 It was **resolved** to spend up to £5578 on the ventilation, pending the outcome of the alternative quote.

YOUTH SHELTER

605/23 It is **resolved** to change name to "Village Shelter". It is **noted** this will be included in the wider village strategy.

REQUEST FOR A NEW AED FOR THE VILLAGE GREEN

606/23 It is **resolved** for the AED to be put on Church Rooms by the designated contractor

ITEMS FOR INFORMATION

607/23 The memorial bench for the Play Area is still in situ. The metal picnic bench will be removed and a brick base will be laid for the new bench in Spring.

608/23 The Council has been successful in securing a Grass Pitch Maintenance Fund

609/23 The Annual Inspection of Back Lane Play Area equipment took place with no immediate actions required, except for the recent damage done to the play area fence. It is **resolved** for the Asst Clerk to investigate long term fencing options.

610/23 It was **resolved** for the expenditure of £92 GMA Level One Training

ITEMS

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

611/23 Next Youth & Housing Committee Meeting, Tuesday 23 January 2024 at 7.30pm.

Meeting ended -20.04

Kat Hoyle – Asst.Clerk