



- **Remembrance Day** – Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2022
- **Turning on the Christmas Lights** – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2022
- **Senior Citizens Christmas Party** – Monday 19<sup>th</sup> December 2022
- **Children’s Christmas Event** – Date To Be Confirmed – Provisionally set for Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2022

A new Senior Citizens event has been proposed. This is being looked at by the Parish Office and further updated will be provided as and when available.

**125/22/REC CAFÉ/PICNIC AREA DEVELOPMENT PROJECT**

Councillors were asked for their suggestions on the scope of the picnic area development and whether to include an upgrade to the play equipment in the project as well.

Councillors were also advised that the Parish Office are in the process of obtaining updated quotes for the reconfiguration of the café kitchen area.

**Councillors were keen on the idea of a levelled off picnic area to the side of the Parish Centre; however, they would first like to get a contractor in to look at the feasibility of this and make sure the area proposed is suitable for such a project. If this is confirmed, Councillors would next like for quotes to be obtained for any equipment or contractors needed to complete the work.**

**Regarding the play area, Councillors would be happy for this to be done as part of the project, however they raised concerns over costs and asked for the Parish Office to confirm whether there was money set aside in the budget to upgrade the play equipment.**

**126/22/REC BARNSLAND/ HATCH FARM/ UPMILL**

Hatch Farm/Barnsland

A meeting was held at the Youthouse on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March to decide the final layout for the wheeled sports area.

Upmill Close and Play Area                      Nothing new to report.

**127/22/REC HATCH GRANGE / MEGAN GREEN/ QUOB GREEN/ WEST END COPSE**

Hatch Grange

Through funding provided from the Welcome Back to the High Street fund, a rose display has been planted in Fir Tree Garden to commemorate the Queens Platinum Jubilee.

SINC Area    Nothing new to report.

FOHG Nothing new to report.

Megan Green

New signage being prepared

Wednesday Volunteer Group Nothing new to report.

N.I.C.E Nothing new to report.

Quob Green Nothing new to report.

West End Copse

There is some ongoing tree work.

**128/22/REC MOORGREEN RECREATION GROUND**

A query has been raised regarding who would be responsible for the maintenance of the fence around the play groups outside area. This will be discussed at the next Policy & Resources meeting.

**129/22/REC TOWNHILL FARM RECREATION AREAS**

Chartwell Green Nothing new to report.

Chartwell Copse Nothing new to report.

Townhill Farm Play Area

Benches have been ordered for both Townhill Farm and Carpathia play areas.

**130/22/REC CUTBUSH LANE FOOTBALL FACILITY**

- A defibrillator has been ordered for Cutbush Football Facility.
- The pitches are in good order.
- Councillors were asked for their approval on a quote obtained for weed control which would cost £2012.40.

**Councillors advised they were happy for this work to be done.**

**131/22/REC WEST END CEMETERY/ BURIAL GROUND**

Burial Ground Nothing new to report

Cemetery Nothing new to report.

Garden of Reflection Nothing new to report.

**132/22/REC ALLOTMENTS**

Nothing new to report.

**133/22/REC GROUNDS EQUIPMENT**

- Quotes have been obtained for a new van to replace the Ford Connect.

**Councillors were happy to endorse the Vauxhall Van and would like to put forward this recommendation to the Policy and Resources committee to approve. They have also asked for the Parish Office to clarify whether the van will be covered under the existing insurance or not.**

**Councillors also recommended looking at a longer-term strategy for moving to electric vehicles. To begin with, they suggested speaking with Eastleigh Borough Council to enquire about the possibility of getting electric charging points in the Parish Car Park.**

- The vehicle insurance renewal has come through at £1833.82.
- The play areas are all booked in for an inspection by ROSPA in May.

**134/22/REC THE YOUTHHOUSE**

A report was provided to Councillors from the Youth Team Leader.

**135/22/REC DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2022

**EXEMPT BUSINESS:** None

The meeting closed at 19:55pm