

CAMBOURNE PARISH COUNCIL

District of South Cambridgeshire

Leisure & Amenities 20th November 2018

6.1 BURIAL GROUND

No change since last reported.

It is:

RECOMMENDED that the report be received

6.2 ALLOTMENTS

All allotment renewals have now been returned. Any that were not returned are in the process of being re allocated. There are four vacant at Brace Dein and three vacant at Crow Hill. Residents on the waiting list have been contacted and we are awaiting response. The water at the allotments was turned off on 7th November 2018.

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6.3 PLAYGROUNDS, OPEN SPACES, SKATE PARK AND FOOTPATHS

Playgrounds

The playgrounds continue to be well used. The springer in Upper Cambourne play area has been replaced and the Grounds team have now completed all items on the RoSPA report. The replacement net bridge has now been installed. The repair works to the cross-beam scales is in progress.

Open Spaces

The open spaces have recovered from the dry weather and are still being maintained even this late in the year. The ground staff will be carrying out some new hedge planting and maintenance in areas under our control.

The Wildlife Trust has requested permission to plant a hedge to the rear wall of the Manor House. Correspondence attached.

Skate Park

A meeting was held which was well attended by users of the skate park and we had over 20 feedback sheets filled in. These are being collated and work is ongoing on bringing forward a new scheme and identifying what grants will be needed or are available.

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6.4 PREMISES

Cleaning check lists for the Cleaners and Caretaker are now in place in every building. Since the deep clean carried out by Complete Cleaning we have not had any issues raised from hirers. The bookings document has now been updated, now named 'lettings package'. The Office Administrator is working on creating a lettings package for regular hirers.

PPL & PRS licenses have been obtained for The Hub, Sports Pavilion, the Blue School and both Cricket Pavilions.

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Hub

The Hub continues to be well used. The Community Development Officer has organised a Christmas Market which will take place on 24th November 2018, and along with the Parish Clerk have ordered a Christmas tree to go into the Main Hall. The tree will have barriers around it as part of the risk assessment outcome.

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Lower Cambourne Cricket Pavilion

The Lower Cambourne Cricket pavilion continues to be used regularly.

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Sports Pavilion

The Sports Pavilion continues to be well used by both private and regular hirers.

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Great Cambourne Cricket Pavilion

Is continuing to be well used.

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6.5 CAMBOURNE SPORTS FACILITIES

No further updates.

6.6 BOWLS CLUB

No further updates.

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6.7 SPORT IN CAMBOURNE

To receive a report.

6.8 TRAILER PARK

The trailer park continues to be used well. There are now only two vacant spaces. We have had several enquiries over the past few months from people in neighbouring villages wanting to use the Tailor Park.

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