

# CAMBOURNE TOWN COUNCIL

District of South Cambridgeshire

## Leisure & Amenities 19<sup>th</sup> November 2019

### 8.1 BURIAL GROUND

There has been one burial since October and the ashes section of the burial ground will soon be opening for a double interment of cremated remains.

It is:

**RECOMMENDED** that the report be received

### 8.2 ALLOTMENTS

Most allotment holders returned their renewal letters by the 30<sup>th</sup> September 2019 and those who did not renew, were sent reminder letters and emails. Those who have not responded will now be sent eviction letters. There are 9 vacant plots at Brace Dein and 2 vacant plots at Crow Hill. All those on the waiting list have been contacted, which have resulted in some of those on the waiting list taking on plots. Those who declined a plot have either requested to wait for half plots, would like to wait for the new year to take one on or did not respond.

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### 8.3 PLAYGROUNDS, OPEN SPACES, SKATE PARK AND FOOTPATHS

#### Playgrounds

The roof to the tower at Lower Cambourne Play Area. The boards have arrived and are being cut ready to reinstall.

#### Skate Park

This is covered by Agenda Item 12.

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### 8.4 PREMISES

All venues continue to be well used by the community for regular bookings and private functions.

The Sports Pavilion has dried out after the flooding and hirers are able to use the building as before. Repairs works to the ceiling are still to be carried out. The Claims Company has been chased regarding settlement of the claim.

The new blinds in the Hub Main Hall were fitted on the 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2019 and have been greatly appreciated by hirers.

Contractors have begun repair works at The Blue School and have fixed issues with the toilets between Classrooms 1 and 2 and works on the stairs and ramp at the front of the school began on the November 12<sup>th</sup> 19. Hirers of the Blue School were informed of the repairs and were told about alternative entrances to use. Next, they will be working on the heating manifolds and servicing the plumbing, heating, Electrical, Fire etc. They were planning to be in a position for a transfer at the end of November this is now likely to be December 2019 or January 2020.

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### **8.5 CAMBOURNE SPORTS FACILITIES**

No further updates have been received.

### **8.6 SPORT IN CAMBOURNE**

No further updates from the committee.

### **8.7 TRAILER PARK**

The Trailer Park currently has no vacant plots and there are 4 people on the waiting list.

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