



CAMBOURNE TOWN COUNCIL

District of South Cambridgeshire

LEISURE & AMENITIES COMMITTEE

A meeting of this Committee was held at The Hub Community Centre, Cambourne on Tuesday 19th September 2023. Meeting commenced at 19:20

Present:

Cllr G Thompson (Chairman)
Cllr S Bhattacharya
Cllr S Achall

Cllr A Fisher
Cllr J O'Dwyer
Cllr R Poulton

In attendance: John Vickery-Town Clerk

18 members of the Public were in attendance for the meeting.

1. **APOLOGIES**

Apologies for absence were received from Cllr N Aktar, Cllr J Patel and Cllr A Siddiqui. Acceptable reasons for absence were given.

It was:

RESOLVED to accept the apologies from Cllr N Aktar, Cllr J Patel and Cllr A Siddiqui.

2. **MINUTES**

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the Leisure and Amenities Meeting LA/M94 held on Tuesday 20th June 2023.

It was:

RESOLVED that the Minutes for the meeting, held on Tuesday 18th April 2023 (M94) were approved and signed.

3. **MEMBERS DECLARATION OF INTEREST OR REQUEST FOR DISPENSATION** for items on the agenda.

There were no declarations of interest for items on the Agenda.

4. **CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Chairman had no announcements.

Cllr S Bhattacharya left the meeting during the following item.

5. **CAMBOURNE YOUTH PARTNERSHIP**

Cambourne Youth Partnership (CYP) submitted a report. (Copy attached)

Emma Whitbread was in attendance for the meeting and presented the report on activities since the previous report including the summer period and answered some questions of clarification.

The open session is working well with new young people with new and regulars attending.

Neil Thompson presented data on the Equality, Diversity and Inclusion of young people attending CYP (copy attached to the confidential minutes).

Signed

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It was proposed that up until April 2024 CYP can look at providing additional activities outside of the 2023-24 SLA due to be considered at the next Council meeting. The SLA for 2024-25 will be reviewed shortly.

The Town Clerk will meet with Emma Whitbread to discuss use of the building.

It was:

RESOLVED to receive the report.

The Committee agreed to move forward item 9.1

CORRESPONDENCE

9.1

Cambourne resident

Request for access for Basketball practice.

Hi John,

I am writing on behalf of a group of teenagers aged 13-16 who are keen basketball players.

I work as a supply teacher in Cambourne Village College and have heard from the Year 11s (15-16 year olds) that they have nowhere *indoors* to practise around here. My children (aged 14 and 8) also enjoy playing for the local team and they, and their team mates also say the same.

There is only one outdoor basketball court in Cambourne. And one of those 2 hoops has been in need of repair for ages.

The teenagers are desperate to have somewhere indoors to practise. We are talking about 16 year old boys who have now left CVC- a demographic that we surely want to engage and encourage in appropriate activity.

I know that you told me that there were hoops allocated for the sports centre but because they were not put up they were given to the college. Although the students have had the benefit of the hoops in their school during sports games and when playing for the local 'Fastbreak' team who hires the hall, they cannot afford the fees to hire the venue privately.

Therefore, I would like to make a request on their behalf to the Leisure and Amenities Committee for:

1. Providing hoops for the benefit of local people at the sports centre.

2. For stipulating that court hire must be within the reach of local teens to afford to play. For example, Huntingdonshire District Council run a scheme at their local leisure centres where children can hire a court for an hour for £3 in the holidays.

I am sure that the council will all agree that local teenagers should be at the heart of sports and leisure provision. Basketball is a great team game that any child can play, it is inexpensive, and appeals to children who have missed out on football.

Basketball is growing in popularity. Cambourne has a very popular club for children from U10 through to U18 (Fastbreak).

If they had an accessible place to practise in our typical British weather it would benefit a range of children, particularly of that older teen age, and therefore the wider community.

Please let me know when this matter will be discussed so that I can attend.

Signed

Date 19th September 2023

Best,
Kirsty Ellerker

Hi John,
Further to our phone conversation, please could you add that we would like to have an arrangement for the children to hire the Cambourne Village College court for free at the weekends, so that they can go and practise. And in the mean time get hoops installed in the sports centre.

Is this something that the council can facilitate please?

A block booking for 3 hours on a Saturday and a Sunday afternoon for example. Where they can turn up and play.

What time is the Leisure Committee meeting on Tuesday please?

Best,
Kirsty

The meeting was adjourned so the resident and basketball players could answer questions from the Councillors.

They would like indoor facilities at the Cambourne Sport centre. The clerk confirmed that there had been hoops supplied for the Sports Centre but due to installation issues these were donated to Cambourne Village College (none were originally planned to be installed).

There may be funding from the National Basketball Association.

The meeting was reconvened so the committee's business could be concluded.

The Town Council will ask if there can be a special arrangement for youths to book the Basketball court at weekends at a special rate in the Village College. The subject will also be raised with Simon Clasby

It was
RESOLVED to receive the correspondence and agree to take the agreed actions.

6. REPORT ON FACILITIES

An update on Facilities in Cambourne since 18th April 2023

6.1 BURIAL GROUND (Cambourne Cemetery)

There have been an ashes internment since the last report. We have had a request from a stone mason in relation to a monument for an ashes plot (email attached)

It was:
RESOLVED that the report be received and agree to amend the documentation to include an alternative to a standard 2" deep memorial.

6.2 ALLOTMENTS

The allotment renewals were due on the 1st September we are currently in the process of issuing a holding email while we sort this out.

The intention is to inspect all allotments and send out renewal forms to those being cultivated. The plots not being cultivated will receive a letter regarding not renewing as they are not maintaining their allotment. This should enable us to clear a number of plots and offer them to those on the waiting list.

Signed

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This should be done as soon as possible staff permitting.

It was:

RESOLVED that the report be received.

6.3 **PLAYGROUNDS, OPEN SPACES, SKATE PARK AND FOOTPATHS** **Playgrounds**

- Great Cambourne Play area was resurfaced early July and opened for use on the 10th August. With all the swings etc put back.
- Work is continuing on the replacement equipment in Great Cambourne Play area. The opportunity to review all the play areas and the trim trail to get a package together for grant submission. The two work experience pupils from Cambourne Village College did a lot of work on this and have collated information that is being priced. We will then hold a consultation with the users to support the grant application.

Open Spaces

- The hedge cutting has started around Cambourne and will take some time to complete.
- Grass cutting and strimming continues.
- Ongoing watering of hedge plants that were planted over the winter.
- The ground staff will shortly be going around Cambourne spraying.

The policy on grass cutting and areas to be left needs to be finished.

Skate Park

The Skate Park continues to be well used.

It was:

RESOLVED that the report be received and the grass cutting policy to be completed ready for the spring.

6.4 **PREMISES & FACILITIES**

The premises continue to be well used by regular and private hirers.

It was brought to the attention of the Council that an EICR certificate every three years. A local electrician was appointed to carry out this work. All buildings now have a current EICR certificate in place. The tests did highlight some faulty sockets, some that needed upgrading due to changes in legislation and some faulty MCB's these have all been replaced.

The Sports Pavilion:

The Dugout continues to be well supported.

The Hub

- The planters outside the Cricket Pavilions and Bowls Pavilion have been planted with new plants and flower baskets have been installed around the Hub.

The extension of the Hub is being revisited with consideration of extending on the grass adjacent to the office rather than the first floor so that the works in expanding the Hub could be carried out without closing the existing spaces minimising the impact on existing hirers.

Cricket Pavilions

The cricket club is coming to the end of their season so the pavilion is starting to be used by private parties at the weekends in addition to the regular hirers.

Blue Space

Work is ongoing on a plan for upgrading the building due to its age and usage. There is an issue with the lighting which will be covered under item 11.

Soul Building

Working with Cambourne Youth Partnership and some crowd funding we have been able to install a snack bar, this is due to be finished week beginning 18th September 2023 (Plumbing and electrics..

Sports Facilities

- The replacement movable goals purchased using a donation from Cambourne Town FC have been delivered, assembled and are now in use. The existing goal post and sockets have been removed. The new mobile goals allow the pitch layout to be changed more easily to reflect the requirements for each season.
- Original tennis/netball courts (MUGA) as previously reported the courts need resurfacing. It had been considered whether we could bind and repaint the surface, but the Company inspecting the Court stated this would be a waste of money as it would need resurfacing in up to two years.
A meeting was held with the Netball and Tennis clubs and the plan is to work together on the applications for grant funding to assist with the resurfacing.
- The tennis court by the Dentist will also need some TLC next year.
- The grounds team are due to start the close of season works on the Cricket Wicket and Bowls Green week beginning 18th September 2023.

The meeting was adjourned so members of netball club could answer questions from the Councillors.

The court is too slippery in the wet so they cannot practice. They are willing to work with the Town Council, but their national association (Netball England) has limited funds available.

The meeting was reconvened so the committee's business could be concluded.

Cllr as Fisher gave some information on possible funding available for female sports. The Council would look to include match funding into the budget for 2024-25.

It was:

RESOLVED that the reports be received and the Council looks at including the upgrading of the netball and tennis court in the budget for the next financial year.

6.5 CAMBOURNE SPORTS FACILITIES

Report received from Simon Clasby, Manager at Cambourne Fitness and Sports Centre.

No report was received from Simon Clasby.

6.6 TRAILER PARK

The Trailer Park currently full, with the renewals due in March 2024. The Trailer Park is due to have the hedges trimmed and to be sprayed with weed killer.

It was:

RESOLVED that the report be received.

Cllr S Achall left the meeting during the following item.

7. FOOTBALL DEVELOPMENT REPORT

To receive a report from the Football Development Officer (copy attached).

It was:

Signed

Date 19th September 2023

RESOLVED to receive the report.

8. SPORT IN CAMBOURNE.

To receive a report from the Town Clerk (copy attached).

There was a positive discussion on the benefits of reforming the Sport In Cambourne Working Group. The group would welcome all sport groups in Cambourne.

It was:

RESOLVED to receive the report and look to restarting Sport In Cambourne Working Group.

9. CORRESPONDENCE

9.1 was considered earlier in the agenda.

9.2 Cambourne Church

Correspondence regarding 25th anniversary of Cambourne.

Next week the Church Council will be discussing a proposal for celebrating 25 years of the church in Cambourne, possibly by initiating a project to create a sustainable "Silver Jubilee Garden" in the grounds of the church. As this would require significant liaison with other community organisations I am writing to enquire, at this scoping stage, whether the Town Council may also be considering marking 25 years since the first residents moved in.

I look forward to your feedback, and any advice for taking such a project forward. I will let you know if the project is agreed for progressing by the Church Council.

Yours,

Pam

Cambourne Church Council

Consideration was given to the correspondence and there was general support for the principal, but it would need to be reviewed by the Full Council and when staff resources improve.

It was

RESOLVED to receive the correspondence and agree to the principal subject to the Full Council considering the subject.

9.3 Cambourne resident

Request for bus stop

Dear John,

As discussed on the phone few minutes ago, I am here writing to request the Cambourne Council to install a bus shelter in Upper Cambourne in Lysander Close (park in front of the Vine).

It is an open area where there is no repair and many people in Upper Cambourne take the bus every day from that bus stop.

Please let me know if that will be possible.

Thank you in advance for your collaboration.

Best regards

Lorena

Signed

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The bus link is due to start imminently and with the Cambridge to Cambourne route being finalised this may have an effect on the location of bus stops and the Combined Authority Mayor was looking at bus shelter provision.

It was:

RESOLVED to receive the correspondence update the resident on the current position.

10. PUBLIC BODIES (ADMISSION TO MEETINGS) ACT 1960

Exclusion of the press and the public.

MOVE: that in accordance with Section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 and by reason of the confidential nature of the remainder of the business, the Press and the Public be excluded from the Meeting.

11. CONFIDENTIAL MATTERS

There was no update from the Town Clerk.

It is:

RESOLVED to receive the reports and take the agreed actions.

12. MAINTENANCE EQUIPMENT

To consider a report from the Town Clerk

It is

RESOLVED to receive the report and accept the lowest tender for a Deisel and Electric Gator, but to try and agree a discount for purchasing two Gators at the same time.

13. MUGA

To consider a report from the Town Clerk.

It is

RESOLVED to receive the report and accept the lowest tender from AS Sport subject to the grant being approved.

14. PUBLIC BODIES (ADMISSION TO MEETINGS) ACT 1960

Re-admittance of the press and the public.

MOVE: that the confidential business having been concluded, the Press and Public be re-admitted to the meeting.

15. DATE OF NEXT MEETING – 21st November 2023

The meeting closed at 21:25

Report on Cambourne Youth Partnership's Activities for Cambourne Town Council Leisure & Amenities Committee

June, July and August 2023

Monthly Headlines

June 2023

- Engaged with **190** young people in total
- **4** new young people attended for first time in June
- **10** volunteers supporting activities
- **1** young leader supporting activities
- **34** sessions provided across the month

July 2023

- Engaged with **183** young people in total
- **2** new young people attended for first time in July
- **9** volunteers supporting activities
- **1** young leader supporting activities
- **19** sessions provided across the month

August 2023

- Engaged with **201** young people in total
- **31** new young people attended for first time in August
- **5** volunteers supporting activities
- **2** young leaders supporting activities
- **17 sessions provided across the month**

Summer Holiday Programme

We ran a range of activities over the summer holidays, both in Cambourne and further afield. In mid-August we took 10 young people to Thorpe Park who challenged themselves to try new rides and overcome fears whilst having lots of fun.



Each Wednesday we held Art and Craft afternoons. Young people enjoyed making their own glass lanterns, creating a new mural to go above the new snack bar using Kawaii techniques and designing 2 their favourite snack characters. We also had Hannah from Popolo return with pottery painting which is always a big hit! Young people enjoyed decorating snack plates or Rocket money boxes.



Each Thursday we held activities involving a different inflatable for young people to join in with. We were grateful for good weather so we could be outside in the sunshine and meet lots of new young people, some new year 7s and others that have recently moved to Cambourne.



We also ran cooking sessions for those that receive free school meals to receive a free hot meal after each of our open access sessions as part of the HAF programme. Young people enjoyed eating Bolognese, jacket potatoes with various toppings, making their own pizza and curry was a big hit! All our open access sessions are free for all young people to attend.

Boxing

Our Boxing group on a Thursday, supported by Iceni Boxing Gym, continued to have consistent numbers over the summer and the young people showed a growth in confidence with their boxing and were also visibly more confident outside of the group as well. Part of the focus of this session is to support young people's mental health and wellbeing, and there has been space within the sessions for participants to open up and share about how they are doing.

Friday Baking

Over the past few months our Baking Group has continued to be popular. Paige and Emma had a great end to the year with the Baking group, with them reflecting on how far they've come throughout year 7 and how much their confidence has grown. Their highlights of the year in the baking group were brownies, pizza, scones, strawberries and cream cupcakes!

Open Access Youth Clubs

We have continued to run four weekly open access youth clubs, covering the different age groups. There are a range of activities always on offer. One highlight was seeing three of the young people use Hama Beads in one of our sessions to make LGBTQ+ key rings to sell at school to raise money for their LGBTQ+ youth group. Pasta and Toasties are always available in our sessions, plus opportunities to bake cakes and puddings.



Music Group

We have a focussed group attending our music sessions, which allows for better engagement with them and help individuals to develop their music abilities. One of our volunteers has been able to set up a regular music opportunity in the studio as well during one of the open access sessions, which we hope will foster more interest in young people who might want to join with the smaller group sessions.

Wellbeing Café and Support Group

The wellbeing cafe continued to be popular during June and July. During the exam period we focused more on talking about exam stress and revision tips and towards the end of term we looked back on their year and how they felt about moving up in September and new teachers. We also had with us a Dance Movement Psychotherapist student (Sophie Murgatroyd) in her final year of study at the University of Derby. As part of her time on placement, Sophie provided a programme of Dance Movement Psychotherapy (DMP) within the wellbeing support group.

Football Group



Our football session on a Friday evening engages consistently with a good number of young people. There is a mix of age and abilities, from those who are looking for a serious game to some who want to have a casual kick-about.

Friday Evening Group

This youth club has attracted a lot of young people facing a range of challenges. Due to a reduction in staffing capacity we ran this group fortnightly before the summer holidays.

Detached Work

Our weekly detached sessions on a Thursday evening are a key opportunity to connect with young people who may not otherwise come along to the youth centre. It's important for us to have a presence in the community and for young people to know that youth workers are present and accessible should they want to come and have a chat with us.

Schools Work

We continued to provide support for students within Cambourne Village College, particularly those who are struggling to engage with their education. In the summer term we used some of our funding from UK Youth Thriving Minds to fund a tutor to deliver weekly lessons with a year 11 boy who was due to sit his GCSEs despite not attending school for over a year. He engaged well with the sessions and managed to sit a number of his exams, something that he would not have felt able to do without this support.

Youth Celebration Night

Romsey Mill holds an annual Youth Celebration Night in Cambridge which celebrates young people and their achievements over the past year. This event was held in July; there were live performances and videos demonstrating aspects of the work. Cambourne young people were awarded certificates and volunteers were given gifts as a thank you for all that they do.



News



We are delighted to have been named as South Cambs District Council's Charity of the year.

On the 1st June Youth Development Worker Emma Whitbread had her head shaved in Cambourne Soul to raise money for Romsey Mill!



We're grateful to Cambourne Town Council for the support they give to enable this work to happen.

Jon Sanders (Youth Development Team Coordinator for Romsey Mill) and Emma Whitbread (Youth Development Worker)
15th September 2023

Signed

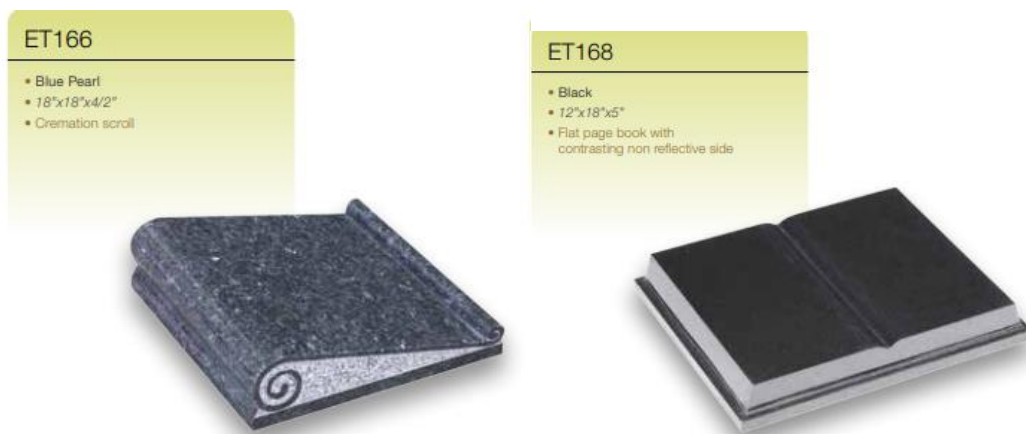
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Cemetery plaque enquiry (ashes section)

Hi we just spoke regarding the ashes plaques attached are the 2 version this client is requesting costings for but i can't get him a costing until I have a verbal response from yourselves.

Generally, we supply a standard 18 x 18 x 2" flat plaque for the majority of ashes plaque, But some councils/ Cemetery depts are now allowing a sloping wedge 18 x 18 x 4" lowering to 2".

This client is requesting either



BOTH WOULD BE THE REQUIRED 18 X 18" but it is the differing heights I am unaware you will allow, or the differing designs.
Look forward to hearing from you soon

Sara Paris 01223 208351 - A.C Stoneworks

Colin & Sara Paris
A.C STONEWORKS

Silver prize Winners in the 2021 British Register of Accredited Memorial Masons (BRAMM) sponsored, Memorial Design Category of the National Competition

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Football Development Report

Summer Football Camps 2023

The Council & Cambourne Town Football Club co-hosted 6 weeks of Holiday Football Camps for 5–13-year-olds, both Boys & Girls. The Camps first started in May Half-Term where we trialed the Holiday Camps and they were a great success with 160 bookings across the 4-day Camps.

This Summer, we provided similar opportunities for children in and around Cambourne by delivering the Football Camps from 10am – 3pm every day. This provided a cheap childcare option but also an opportunity for children to stay off their games consoles and get out of the house in a safe and structured environment led by qualified coaches. Over the 6 weeks, we aimed to gain 800 bookings which would have averaged around 133 bookings a week. We managed to beat this target significantly by hitting 960 bookings over the 6 weeks which averaged at 160 bookings per week. One week during the Holidays, we reached over 200 bookings.

During week 5 of the Holidays, we delivered a Girls Only & Goalkeeper Specific Camp. Originally, this wasn't planned but due to the uptake of Girls on the Camps in the first couple of weeks as well as the excitement building around the Women's FIFA World Cup, we felt this was an opportunity to allow Girls to play together without the potential anxiety and self-pressure which can sometimes occur when playing with Boys.

Women's FIFA World Cup 2023

The Women's World Cup this year was one to celebrate with England reaching the Final and so many young Girls being inspired by their progress. As mentioned above, we delivered a Girls Only Football Camp to help celebrate and support Girls Football in Cambourne.

We also provided a Breakfast Club option during the Holidays where the Sports Pavilion was used to allow children to arrive early, watch England play and enjoy a bacon roll or sausage bap during the game. This was convenient for parents who start work early and needed to drop their children off. This also encouraged children to celebrate England's success where many of them wore their England kits and had their faces painted with England colours! Credit to Melanie Hadley & Emma Smith from Cambourne Town Football Club for volunteering to open 'The Dugout' and provide this food & drink option for children.

The FA also celebrated the 'Big Football Day' which we hosted during the Holidays when England played China. Again, this initiative was to celebrate Football in England and particularly the Women's Game which continues to grow both nationally and internationally.

Lastly, BBC Radio Cambridgeshire visited the Sports Pavilion during the World Cup when England played to witness our Football Camps and how we were celebrating the Women's World Cup. We featured on the Radio which was fantastic publicity for the Football Club, the Council Facilities, and the Town as a whole.

Cambourne Town Football Club, County & National Award 2023

Cambourne Town Football Club celebrated a Double success this Summer as they won Cambridgeshire FA's Grassroots Club of the Year followed by the biggest award available for grassroots clubs when they won FA England's National Grassroots Club of the Year Award for 2023. This is a huge achievement for the Football Club, The Council, and the entire Town. I feel this is a huge confirmation that the decision from the Council & the 5 Football Club's at the time to merge and become Cambourne Town Football Club was the correct choice and now we have been placed on the map as the Number One Grassroots Football Club in the Country. Congratulations is deserving to everyone involved.

Signed

Date 19th September 2023

Disability Provision Progress

As highlighted in my previous report, we are working hard to ensure we can provide provisions for all abilities, backgrounds & genders.

Sessions for disability groups are high on the agenda and progress is being made to ensure we provide this as soon as possible.

I have conducted a few meetings now and we are close to finalising two weekly sessions for Pan Disability, one will run on a Wednesday afternoon, and one will run on a Thursday afternoon. Details are still being finalised, but I aim to have these confirmed by the next meeting. This will ensure Cambourne Town is a more well-rounded sporting Hub for the local area and ensures we cater for all backgrounds and maximise participation and accessibility to the sport.

Football Centre Launch

Following the Development Centre sessions, we provided on a trial basis during May & June, we have opted to continue this session due to the popularity but tweak the structure of the session. The name has changed to Football Centre to make it appear more accessible. With the preferable use of the 3G over the MUGA for space and quality of surface, the sessions have moved to the 3G from 4-5pm on a Tuesday & Wednesday to allow more space and therefore more children to be able to play.

UEFA C Course, Venue Hire

The FA have confirmed their booking of our 3G facility and Sports Pavilion building for the UEFA C Course which is the second course on the coaching qualification pathway for Football Coaches. This allows coaches to enhance their qualifications and knowledge of the game to help further develop and support their players. By having it on our doorstep, we make it much easier and accessible for coaches to join this course and it also benefits the Council. These courses will be running from November – January and then February to April.

Annual Football Tournament 2023

The Football Club hosted its Annual Grassroots Football Tournament over the weekend of the 2nd & 3rd September which was hosted across the 3G pitch and all the Grass Football Pitches. Over 130 teams & over 2,000 people from across the Country attended with the Boys Tournament taking place on Saturday and the Girls Tournament taking place on Sunday. The annual Tournament plays a vital role in raising crucial funds for the Football Club but also helps celebrate local football on our doorstep, bringing teams, managers, parents, players, and volunteers together. There was glowing feedback from those involved with many highlighting the fantastic facilities we have in Cambourne and how well maintained the pitches, facilities and surrounding areas are.

Rehabilitation Sessions in Partnership with Royal Papworth Hospital

An initiative that is in its early stages of discussions but looking optimistic, is a Rehabilitation Session aimed at those currently in recovery from Hospital whether through illness, surgery or medication which requires a level of rehabilitation and support following a spell in Hospital. This session would be during the day and would be a Walking Football Session which is a slower pace and is non-contact to reduce any possibility of injury, falling over or accidents.

This would help support the Hospital with those who need to follow rehab / recovery plans either upon leaving Hospital or whilst still recovering at Hospital.

This would be a new initiative to not only support people who are recovering but to also help the Hospital reduce pressure on staff with physio and recovery appointments as we can hopefully reduce the times that people need to spend in Hospital and help them get back to some normality. This would also help rebuild their social confidence and reduce anxiety coming out of Hospital, especially as participants would be surrounded by others just coming out of Hospital and recovering from illness, surgery, or medication themselves.

England FA Pilot Scheme

The FA have once again been in contact with us to utilise our large number of participants at the Football Club as well as using our facilities, both the 3G & Sports Pavilion for a new initiative they are considering launching. They have chosen us for their pilot scheme to test the provision which is aimed at 12 – 16-year-olds with around 150 young players set to take part. The scheme is aimed to support player wellbeing, mental health & how they spend their time outside of football & school. We look forward to supporting and contributing to the FA's new programme.

- Alfie Tate, Football Development Officer, Cambourne Town Council
07/09/2023

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19th September 2023

Sport In Cambourne

9.0 Sport in Cambourne

For a number of years Sporting Cambourne was a committee formed to develop Sport in Cambourne it also managed the MUGA before the Parish/Town Council was formed and the income went into a fund that was managed to support the development of sports clubs in Cambourne.

With the formation of the then Parish Council the committee stepped back and the Council took on a lot of the functions including the running of the MUGA.

Sport in Cambourne was formed as a sub-Committee of the Council (it was renamed to differentiate from the original committee) the original agenda is attached for information. This was used as a way of liaising with the different sports clubs, but this stumbled due to issues between some of the clubs and the Rugby Club starting to struggle with members. The last meeting was held in November 2012.

Some of the funds they had raised was used to support clubs and equip the Sports Pavilion and Cricket Pavilion. They paid for the drinks fridges and cooker (SP). There is still some funds in the Building Society account.

The Town Clerk has been speaking to a number of the current sports clubs that are active in Cambourne and they are keen to restart Sport in Cambourne as a link between the Council and between the clubs.

It is

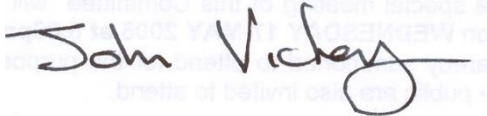
RECOMMENDED to receive the report and look at restarting Sport In Cambourne.

CAMBOURNE PARISH COUNCIL

District of South Cambridgeshire

Sport in Cambourne

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of this Working Group will be held in **CAMBOURNE YOUTH PARTNERSHIP BUILDING, BACK LANE, Cambourne** on **5th February 2007** at **7.00 pm**, to which you are hereby invited to attend for the purposes of the following business.



John Vickery, Parish Clerk

29th January 2007

AGENDA

1. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**
2. **CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**
Opening remarks from the Chairman of Cambourne Parish Council
3. **SPORT IN CAMBOURNE.**
 - 3.1 Update on Sports Centre.
 - 3.2 The Way Forward.
 - 3.3 Links with Cambourne Parish Council.
4. **TENNIS**
The use of the MUGA courts.
5. **CRICKET**
Lower Cambourne Green and Pavilion
6. **FOOTBALL**
7. **NETBALL**
8. **RUGBY**
9. **BOWLS**
10. **ANY OTHER BUSINESS**
11. **TO CONFIRM DATE OF NEXT MEETING –**

Attending for Cambourne Parish Council:

Ruth Poulton Chairman, Cambourne Parish Council
Richard Durham Chairman, Leisure and Amenities Committee
John Vickery Parish Clerk

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SC.M1 Agenda 5February 07

Signed

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Date 19th September 2023