

MARLBOROUGH TOWN COUNCIL

RECREATION AND AMENITIES COMMITTEE

Minutes of a Meeting of the Recreation and Amenities Committee held on Monday, 22nd August, 1994 in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, Marlborough at 8.11pm

PRESENT

Councillor D. I. Smithers

Chairman

Councillor L.H. Bulley
Councillor Mrs. O.L. Delyle-Turner
Councillor Mrs. J.M.A. Goodfellow
Councillor R.S. Notton
Councillor S.A. Radnedge
Councillor J.S.T. West

Mr. A.W. Skittrall

Town Clerk

135/94 APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received from the Town Mayor - Councillor I. J. Perryman, Councillors Mrs. J.E. Western and Mrs. J.E. White.

136/94 MINUTES

RESOLVED: That the Minutes of the meeting held on the 27th June, 1994 having been circulated, be taken as a true record and signed by the Chairman - Councillor D. I. Smithers.

137/94 MATTERS ARISING

(a) TOWN HALL REFURBISHMENT - ASSEMBLY ROOM - MINUTE 87/94(a)

The Chairman reported that the sub-committee had met and agreement had been reached on -

- (i) lighting
- (ii) public address system
- (iii) curtains
- (iv) bar improvement
- (v) upgrading Ladies Toilets



137/94 MATTERS ARISING ctd

- (a) TOWN HALL REFURBISHMENT - MINUTE 87/94(a) ctd

Staircase Area

Councillor R. S. Notton raised the question of the dangerous stairs and the need for decorating this area, Councillor J.S.T. West said he is in favour of carpeting the stairs and redecorating the ground floor entrance area in addition to the stairway.

RECOMMENDED: That the ground floor lobby and stairway be re-decorated and estimates be obtained for carpeting the stairs.

- (b) SCROLLS IN THE COURT ROOM - MINUTE 87/94(b)

The Town Clerk reported that this work is in hand.

- (c) THE WAR MEMORIAL - MINUTE 87/94(c)

The Town Clerk advised the he had not yet received a reply from Dobson's Garage, to a letter written some two months ago.

It was agreed that the Chairman would speak to the Proprietor of the garage.

- (d) PRE-SCHOOL PLAY GROUPS - MINUTE 87/94(a)

There was nothing to report on this item.

- (e) PUBLIC SEATS - MINUTE 87/94(a)

The Chairman reported that the new seats had arrived and placed in The Priory and Cooper's Meadow. He also reported that Mr. and Mrs. I. Jones had asked for permission to place a Commemorative Bench on The Green outside No. 10 in memory of Miss Stevens who was Senior Mistress at Marlborough Grammar School for some 40 years.

RECOMMENDED: That Mr. and Mrs. I. Jones be thanked for their offer which is gladly accepted by the Town Council.

The Town Clerk advised that he had received a request for a seat in Barton Park to be placed somewhere on the hill at College Fields.

RECOMMENDED: That a seat be purchased for College Fields.

138/94 GUTTER CLEANING - SUNDAY, 16th OCTOBER, 1994

The following agreed to help in addition to the Chairman, Councillor L.H. Bulley, Councillor R. S. Notton, Councillor S.A. Radnedge and Councillor J.S.T. West.

The Deputy Town Mayor agreed to serve refreshments.

139/94 CEMETERY

- (a) EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF BURIAL

The Committee confirmed the following applications for Exclusive Right of Burial -

Mr. John Robert Stacey Philpott, Grave Space No. 242 Section D
3 Kingsbury Terrace,
Marlborough.

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CEMETERY ctd

(b) MEMORIALS AND INSCRIPTIONS

The Committee confirmed the following applications for the erection of a Memorial -

Natural Stone/Rustic Edge -

'In Loving Memory of
Dearest Colin Dickman
11-12-1920
20-8-1993'

Grave Space No. F(CR) 54

White Marble -

'In Loving Memory
Alice Perry
1911 - 1983
Alfred Perry
1911 - 1994
Reunited'

Grave Space No. D 89

The Committee confirmed the following applications for additional inscriptions -

'also of
his dear Wife
Queenie
Died 24th February, 1994
Aged 84 years
Reunited'

Grave Space No. D 188c

'Also his
Beloved Wife
Beatrice Florence
Died 28th June, 1994
Aged 84 years'

Grave Space No. C 366

'Now resting with
Loved Ones'

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ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- (a) TOILETS FOR THE DISABLED, GROUND FLOOR, TOWN HALL - MINUTE 322/93(iii)

The Deputy Town Mayor asked for this item to be kept on the Agenda.

- (b) TOWN HALL NOTICE BOARD - NORTH SIDE

Councillor L. H. Bulley asked if the rusty drawing pins could be removed from this notice-board.

- (c) GYPSIES ON THE COMMON

Councillor L. H. Bulley asked when these gypsies are moving from The Common.

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STAFFING

GROUNDSMAN'S EXHIBITION - 1994 - WINDSOR

The Town Clerk reported that the Outside Staff had requested to attend this year's exhibition to be held in September.

RECOMMENDED: That the outside staff be given permission to attend this exhibition at the Council's expense.

The meeting ended at 8.33pm