

NORWOOD GREEN RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION MEETING

Tuesday 9 May 2017

PRESENT: L Webster, D Sugden, S Dickinson, J Dent, H Eastwood, C Dent, C Webb, Councillor David Kirton, Councillor George Robinson and residents

APOLOGIES: N Collins, C Ferneyhough, A Porter, W Ramsden, C Andrews

In the absence of W Ramsden, L Webster chaired the meeting.

The minutes of the last meeting were proposed as correct and seconded.

D Kirton introduced the new local George Robinson to the meeting attendees.

Village Greens

The new surface that has been laid around Norwood Terrace is causing problems, the lime stone chippings that have been used are very large and residents with buggies are having problems pushing them over the chippings. D Kirton advised he had raised the concerns with the council but asked the residents to wait until the surface had been down a while to see if use/weather would 'bed' the chippings down. J Dent mentioned that the lime stone chippings had encroached onto the green and asked if D Kirton knew when the telegraph poles to set the boundaries would be laid. D Kirton said he would raise the question with the Council, J Dent asked if it was the case that the council had no funds then perhaps the costs could be covered by the Village.

Parking on Village Pavements

It was felt that this was still an issue, and as per the previous meeting the police have suggested putting a polite notice on windscreens of the offending vehicles. L Webster will also put something in the next Newsletter.

Play Area

1. The working party is making progress and C Webb advised the next stage is to obtain some feedback from local schools, this would hopefully be done before the summer holiday period begins.
2. C Webb advised that volunteers were needed to clear the area that needs fencing and to install the fencing.

Clothing Sale

C Dent advised the Clothing Sale had raised £280, which could be used towards the play area fun.

Bus Turning Circle

A resident asked what the status was regarding making good the turning circle and was under the impression that the building work was complete. L Webster to check status with W Ramsden.

Village Benches

A residents asked about the plans for the upkeep of the village benches. This is a point that has been addressed at the Management Meetings. C Webb to check status with M Frasier.

20mph Speed Limit

A Parker had approached D Kirton prior to the meeting to ask about the possibility of a Radar Speed sign being installed along with the 'standard' 20mph indicators. D Kirton advised that the cost of these is around £600 and it was not something the Council would be able to fund. A Parker asked about the option for the Village to fund a sign themselves. D Kirton suggested the Village should wait until the 20mph speed limit was introduced to see the outcome before any additional measures were put forward/introduced.

Meeting closed at 8.15pm

Next Meeting June 13th 2017