#### RUDDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

# **Draft Minutes of the Amenities Committee meeting**

Held at St Peter's Rooms on Tuesday 8th July 2014 at 7.30 p.m.

### Membership

D J Hall G Ellison Chairman Vice-Chairman

Miss S A Chambers
A M S McGowan

P F McGowan
Mrs M Robinson
Mrs B M Venes
W A Wood

PCG = Parish Council Ground staff

Action

PCO = Parish

Council

Office

Persons absent are marked 'A'

Persons representing the Parish Council on other business are marked 'O'

### Also in Attendance

Councillor Mrs A Auckland
Councillor Mrs S Kaur Samra

Councillor Mrs M Pell
Councillor N J Tegerdine
R Turner Deputy Clerk

2 members of the public

# Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor M S McGowan and the reasons accepted.

### Declaration of Member's Interests

Councillor Mrs B. M. Venes declared an interest in any item relating to the allotments and Vicarage Lane Cemetery.

### Minutes

The minutes of the meeting held on 27<sup>th</sup> May 2014, having previously been circulated, were confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

### A. 14/07/01 Action Update

An update on actions resulting from recommendations had previously been circulated.

Members noted this information.

### A. 14/07/02 Motion for Adjournment

**Resolved that**: The Committee adjourns to allow the members of the public present to make statements on agenda items

# **Committee in Session**

# A. 14/07/03 Development

### New Applications

**Resolved that**: The observations contained in Planning Schedule 720 are adopted.

# A. 14/07/04 Beer Festival on the Green

A. 14/07/05 Co-op – Use of St. Peter's Rooms

This agenda item was deferred to the next meeting.

**Resolved that**: The Working Group meet with the Three Crowns and report back at the next meeting.

report back at the next meeting.

Information regarding a request for free use of St. Peter's Rooms by the Co-op had previously been circulated to members.

The Co-operative Store, Ruddington is currently raising funds for St. Peter's Junior School playground appeal and James Peacock Infant School. They are hoping to raise a minimum of £1,000 for each. The project will help improve the facilities for both current and future pupils to both schools.

They have been holding many events in store to raise funds; the current total is approx. £1,100. They have written requesting free use of St. Peter's Rooms to hold a table top sale along with an afternoon teas event to raise additional funds.

**Resolved that:** The Co-op is granted free use of St. Peter's Rooms.

PCO

GE/DH/

PM/MR

# A. 14/05/06 Reports on Amenities Matters

# France Visit

Councillor P F McGowan reported on his trip to France, on which he represented the Parish Council, with the Army Cadets. He visited Ypres and the Menin Gates and laid wreaths to commemorate the lives lost in WW1.

### Groundstaff

The Chairman announced that Chris Churches, Senior Groundsman, has won the regional award from the Nottinghamshire Football Association for "Groundsman of the Year 2014", he goes through to the nominations at National level. Chris said it is a team effort and thanked the Qualified Groundsman, Seasonal Groundsman and Councillors for their support.

Deputy Clerk reported correspondence had been received from the Chairman of the Cricket Club thanking the Groundstaff for their support over the recent weeks. Also from a resident, remarking on the excellent way the grass has been looked after on Western Fields playground.

The meeting closed at 7.47 p.m.

Chairman

Committee Chairman