

**A RECREATION COMMITTEE MEETING OF ALCESTER TOWN COUNCIL WAS  
HELD AT 7.00PM ON MONDAY 21 FEBRUARY 2011 AT GLOBE HOUSE,  
ALCESTER**

**Present**

S Adams, E Payne, W Malin, N Dearling, P Crabtree, C Wright (Clerk)

**Public Participation at Discretion of Chair**

No public were present

In the absence of Cllr Bunting Cllr Adams was proposed to be Acting Chair by Cllr Malin, seconded by Cllr Payne and approved by all present

**1. Apologies**

J Bunting

**2. Declarations of Interest**

No declarations of interest were received.

**3. Minutes of Last Meeting**

The minutes of the last meeting held on Monday 13 December 2010 having been circulated were approved and signed.

**4. Vision for Alcester Projects**

Cllr Dearling gave updates on the Vision for Alcester Projects:

Progress had been made with Severn Trent Water following the plans being put forward for the Drainage Sumps. Roger Jackson to correspond on this matter. The information boards and cycle racks were now available and will be delivered to Alcester soon.

**5. Conway Fields**

The Clerk gave report re. Alcester Pavilion development stating the architect and chartered surveyor had been requested to review the phases of construction to bring phase 1 of the project within the constraints of the money available that has to be spent by certain dates. It was also stated that the Breast Screening unit was also on site.

The Clerk gave an update on the Natural Play Areas stating tree planting was still to be done and Limebridge had offered assistance.

Councillors were asked to consider a future vision of recreation fields to ensure projects were in mind for planning gain with respect to the Localism Bill

The Clerk gave an update re. Alcester Community Orchard and associated projects stating planting of the trees was due on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> February and planting of the wild flower seeds at a later date. Community Workshops to be organised in the spring.

**6. Football and Lease of Golf Range**

The clerk reported regarding the Provision of football pitches at Oversley Green stating the signing of the lease was still dependant on agreements between the landlord and the football club and it was hoped to happen in March.

**7. Litter Bins**

Councillors were asked to consider areas where placement of new litter bins would be beneficial

**8. Litter Clearing**

A review current arrangements was deemed unnecessary at this time

**9. Items for Recommendation to Full Council**

No proposals were made for Council approval

**10. Terms of Reference and Current Projects**

The Terms of reference for this committee were reviewed. Grass cutting contracts were to be included as an agenda item. Tidying up in accordance with other committee terms of reference formats would also be undertaken.

**11. Correspondence**

The following correspondence was noted and the requests approved:

- a) Request from WCC PaYP to use Conway Fields at Easter 2011
- b) Request from ATFC to use the Conway Fields for a summer tournament in June

**12. Date of Next Meeting**

The date of the next meeting on Monday 21 March 2011 7.00pm at Globe House was noted