

**HYTHE AND DIBDEN PARISH COUNCIL**

Minutes of the Meeting of the  
Amenities Committee  
held at The Grove, St John's Street, Hythe  
on Monday 7 January 2008 at 8.05 pm.

Members: \* Mrs M McLean (Chairman) – in the Chair

oMr J Bennett	*Mr D Smith
*Mr R Guy	*Mr B Uglow
oMr G Jones	*Mr A Wade
*Mr M Short	*Mr M Wade

\* Indicates attendance  
o Indicates apologies for absence

In attendance: Mr S Spencer (Deputy Clerk to the Council)  
Mrs C Patterson (Minute Clerk)

Also present: Mr G Parkes

469/07 **Minutes**

The Minutes of the Meeting of the Committee held on 12 November 2007, having been circulated, were taken as read and signed by the Chairman.

470/07 **Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest.

471/07 **Public Participation Period**

There were no questions from members of the public.

472/07 **Notification of matters to be raised at the end of the meeting**

Members advised the Chairman of matters which they wished to raise at the end of the meeting.

473/07 **Vandalism Report 27 October to 14 December 2007**

Consideration was given to the Vandalism Report for 27 October to 14 December 2007.

RESOLVED

That the Vandalism Report for 27 October to 14 December 2007 be noted.

474/07 **Provision of a dog bin at Brendon Close Open Space, Dibden Purlieu**

Consideration was given to a request to install a dog waste bin at one of the entrances to the public open space at the end of Brendon Close.

RESOLVED

That a dog waste bin be provided at one of the entrances to the public open space at the end of Brendon Close.

475/07 **Update on request to hold a wedding reception Minute 410/07 refers**

Members noted that the request to hold a wedding reception in the gardens of The Grove had been withdrawn.

It was agreed to investigate the feasibility of using the Council Chamber as a wedding venue on a future agenda.

476/07 **To receive and adopt the notes of the Play Equipment Working Party meeting held on Thursday 6 December 2007**

Consideration was given to the notes of the Play Equipment Working Party meeting held on Thursday 6 December 2007.

Members were disappointed with the response to the questionnaires sent out despite the work put in by the Play Equipment Working Party.

RESOLVED

That the notes of the Play Equipment Working Party meeting held on Thursday 6 December 2007 be received and adopted.

477/07 **Young Sports Person of the Year Award**

Consideration was given to the composition of the working party to decide on the winner of the above award.

RESOLVED

That the working party to decide on the winner of the Young Sports Person of the Year Award comprise of Mr A Wade and the Chairman of the Amenities Committee, with the Chairman of the General Purposes and Finance Committee being invited to join them. In the event of the Chairman of the General Purposes and Finance Committee being unable to participate, the third place on the working party would be taken by the Chairman of the Council.

478/07 **Dog waste bin - Heatherstone Avenue**

A member advised the meeting that the dog waste bin which was situated at Heatherstone Avenue was missing and wondered whether the matter could be investigated.

The Deputy Clerk responded that the matter was already being dealt with.

The meeting closed at 8.20 pm.

Chairman

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