

was favourable. Efforts would be made to contact the remaining private owner.

Play and Sport Facilities

This would remain on hold until further progress had been made with regard to the footpath.

Village Fete

Further monies received had improved the monies made at the fete. In view of the considerable interest which had been shown it was proposed to go ahead with the Fete for 2009 on Saturday 27 June 2009.

Health & Safety

MC had provided each Club with a list of outstanding items requiring attention. KE would make enquiries with regard to the PAT testing.

Car Park

Advice had been sought of Maidstone BC but this had not yet been received. As a temporary measure and in view of the concern expressed by the members of the Committee regarding the condition of the car park, it was agreed a working party would be formed and the largest of the holes filled in. JA, DP and JB would deal with this.

Finance

Correspondence had been received from the Clerk to the Parish Council concerning the Audit Commissions requirement that the Charity should have its own bank account with the Parish Council making an annual payment to the Charity as funding. Considerable discussion took place on this request as it went against all the advice previously received by the Committee from both the Charity Commissioners and the NAPF. MC was requested to write to the PC indicating that we did not wish to take this route and that we should be allowed to continue as before. Advice received from the Charity Commission indicated that whilst a separate bank account was good practice, it is not a legal requirement from their point of view.

Administration

The Parish Council had received advice that for the sake of good practice a Lease should be issued to the King George's Charity 1084141 for the use of the Playing Field. With regard to the proposed licences the Clerk had been advised by ACRK that a notice should be posted giving details as to the use of the facilities.

Other Matters

Quotations for the installation of CCTV to cover the car park were still awaited.

The state of the fence to the play area was discussed. Action would be taken to close one of the entrances.

The Cricket Club are considering applying for charitable status. It was not felt this would conflict with the Charity.

The Bowls Club were intending to go ahead with the extension to the Club House. It was hoped that this would take place before next Season. The repair to the restraining wire for the safety net would be delayed until the extension works had been completed. In the even that these were delayed, the matter would be dealt with as soon as possible.

Date of Next Meetings - all at Hunton Club

Wednesday 10 December 2008 - 8 pm

There being no further matters the formal part of the meeting ended at 9.00pm.